



## Max Dane Mahan

December 28, 1932 - September 30, 2012

Max Dane Mahan, age 79, of San Saba, died peacefully at his home on September 30, 2012 after a courageous battle with cancer. Visitation was Wednesday, October 3, 2012 from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. at Heritage Funeral Home in San Saba. The funeral service is being held at 1:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 4, 2012 at San Saba's First Baptist Church with burial to follow at the Mahan Ranch.

Max was born on December 28, 1932 in Goldthwaite, Texas to Rex and Pauline Mahan. He was loved and admired for his kind, warm, enthusiastic spirit. Max was a successful rancher, farmer and businessman. He was most noted for his business successes at San Saba Ford Tractor Company and Max Mahan Trucking Company. Max found his greatest joys in spending time with family and friends, hunting trips to Colorado, and spending time on his ranch. He was a member of San Saba's First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his son, Dane Mahan and wife, Shelly of San Saba; daughter Kim Hamrick and husband, Lynn, of San Saba; Grandchildren Shayna Stewart and husband Sean of Katy, TX, Kami Pipes and husband Donny of Salado, TX, Colby Dane Mahan of Houston, TX, Lacey Clifton and husband Ryon of Belton, TX, and Laramie Ratto and husband Cade of Brownwood, TX; Great-Grandchildren Landon Stewart, Brysan Max Pipes and Rook Clifton; Brothers Rex Mahan, Jr. of Coleman, TX and Weldon Mahan of Brownwood, TX; his very best friend Betty Ann Johnson of San Saba and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

Max was preceded in death by his parents and an infant son, Dana Warren Mahan.

Bro. Sam Crosby is officiating the service with Danny Ingram providing the music. Pallbearers are Colby Mahan, Sean Stewart, Donny Pipes, Ryon Clifton, Cade Ratto, and Jerry Franklin. Honorary pallbearers are: W.D. Carroll, Rodney Floyd, Bob Guthrie, Bill McGuire, Jesse Miles, Gerald Nunez, Kenneth Stewart, and Weldon Whitis.

Memorial donations may be made to the San Saba EMS, San Saba First Baptist Church or the American Cancer Society.

# Tribute Wall

CH

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. Max was well respected and will be missed.*

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**Cynthia Hamrick** - October 06, 2012 at 01:10 PM

VB

“ *Max Mahan was a kind,generous,loving man and will be sorely missed.He was like family to me and I feel so blessed to have known him.My sincere condolences to the Mahan family and May God hold you close.*

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**Vicki Lindsey Bradley** - October 05, 2012 at 01:07 PM

AH

“ *My thoughts were with you all day today along with remembering the good times we all had. He was truly one of a kind and I will miss him always. Outgoing, never met a stranger,funny, charming and a great friend to my CA. I hope they're having a good old time and also hope Daddy's there with them & my son, Mike. So many fish fry's, barbeque's, times at deer camp and of course, the annual Christmas visit and gargle. He's the last of the old gang and it breaks my heart that so much has changed. I've looked at the pictures here and I see what a beautiful family you Mahan's have and I know you must be very proud and brought Max so much! I only know Dane & Kim and they have always held a special place in my heart...we had so many fun times! If I had found out sooner, I certainly would have been there....he was very special to me. God bless you all and you will continue to be in my prayers.  
All my love, Audrey*

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**Audrey Lindsey Heath** - October 04, 2012 at 11:00 PM

EF

“ So sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Edens Family - October 04, 2012 at 05:42 PM

PM

“ My deepest sympathies to the entire Mahan family. I truly enjoyed knowing Max and will miss his friendly smile. Max will be in my prayers.

Philip Mahoney - October 03, 2012 at 12:36 PM

LN

“ I met Max for the first time about 8 years ago. From the first time we met, I knew him to be a man of his word. Each time I visited his company he ALWAYS made me feel welcome and special. I know he was proud of his accomplishments in life and rightfully so. My prayers are with the family and many friends as we all mourn the loss of a good man. RIP Max, see you on the other side...

Lynn Newsome - October 03, 2012 at 12:13 PM

MF

“ Max was a special man. He will always be in our hearts and missed.

McIntosh Family - October 02, 2012 at 04:48 PM

JW

“ We are so sorry for your loss.He was a great man and wonderful boss.He will be missed and our prayers go out to each family memeber.God Bless you all...

JC and Kristy Williams - October 02, 2012 at 03:01 PM