



## Craig Zimmerman

June 14, 1930 - August 11, 2010

Funeral services for Craig Zimmerman, 80, of Bay City, Texas will be 2:00 p.m., Sunday, August 15, 2010 at First Baptist Church in Bay City. Dr. Michael Zimmerman assisted by Dr. Donnie Melton will officiate the service. A private family entombment will take place at a later time.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m., Friday, August 13, 2010 in the State Room of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg. There will be a visitation from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m., Saturday, August 14, 2010 at Taylor Brothers Funeral Home in Bay City.

Craig was born June 14, 1930 in Sinton to Elmer Daniel and Ella Cantwell Zimmerman. Craig was a longtime Funeral Director in the Rosenberg area and has been with Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home for many years as well as working at Taylor Brothers Funeral Home part time. Craig passed away August 11, 2010 in Richmond.

He is preceded in death by his first wife, Betty Olliff Zimmerman; son, James Craig Zimmerman; and parents, Elmer and Ella Zimmerman.

Craig leaves behind to cherish his memories, wife, Betty S. Zimmerman of Bay City; sons, Michael Zimmerman and wife, Julia, of Bay City and Dan Zimmerman of Bay City; daughter, Shelby Nicole Zimmerman of Bay City; daughter-in-law, Beth Zimmerman of Taft; brother, Kent Zimmerman and wife, Margaret, of Conroe; grandchildren, Craig Zimmerman of Beeville; great-great grandchildren, Damian Zimmerman of Beeville, Conner Zimmerman of Sinton and Allister Zimmerman of Sinton; along with numerous nieces, nephews, relatives and friends who all love him dearly.

Memorial donations may be made in Craig's name to First Baptist Church in Bay City, Texas.

Words of condolences may be left for the Zimmerman family at [www.davisgreenlawnfh.co](http://www.davisgreenlawnfh.co)

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Local arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd., Rosenberg, Texas 77471. Phone: 281-341-8800.

# Tribute Wall

JS

“ Craig and I worked together for 10 years at Davis Greenlawn. We had some interesting times working together with my impatience, and "his way" of doing things. We may not have always agreed, but we kept finding common ground and worked to help grow Davis Greenlawn. I think Maggie helped keep both of us on track. I learned many things about our industry and how to deal with vendors and families from Craig. I just spoke with him a few months back. I am truly sorry that he is gone. He was a credit to the Funeral Directors profession. May he find a great game of Texas Hold Em up above!

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**Jon A. Shults** - November 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Julie and Mike, so sorry about Craig he's always been there. It seems like that smile has always been in Rosenberg but I hate to see it not be there anymore. Make God bless and keep you safe

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**Curbie Vogler Family`** - October 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ My thoughts are with the family and friends of this great guy...he was a pleasure to work with and was always good for a story or a laugh. He will be greatly missed.

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**Karen Cortez** - August 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ Mike,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**raydell bowen crosswhite** - August 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ From our family to yours, may you find sympathy shared by your friends and loved ones.  
Craig was the first Director of the Fort Bend County Ambulance Service and I learned so much from him. Betty was our second mom. We had many happy times together. Craig was also the finest Funeral Director. God Bless you Craig, you will be greatly missed.

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**Ava & Charles McGee** - August 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ Craig,

*I will never forget all the funerals we have worked together and the fun times we had. It was never a dull moment when you were around. You always made us laugh. I am still in shock that you are no longer with us. You were a great friend and will never be forgotten.*

*Rest in peace my friend.*

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**Chad Dzierzanowski** - August 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I met Craig a few years back when I visited Davis-Greenlawn FH during my apprenticeship for Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. He made me smile and shared with me a few of his interesting stories as a Funeral Director. My God Bless the Zimmerman and David-Greenlawn families.

*Julie Christiano*

*Brookehill Funeral Home*

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**Julie Christiano** - August 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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**Curbie Vogler Family`** - August 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My deepest sympathies to all the Zimmerman family and his co-workers. For as long as I knew Craig he always had a smile on his face and a humorous story to share. Events in his life may have changed, but Craig never did. In my book, that says volumes about a mans character. He will be missed.

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**Mike Bonney** - August 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

EV

“ Holy Cross Cemetery extends sympathy to the family and co-workers of Craig. He will be remembered for his services to our parish families. Thank you Craig.

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**Evelyn Vacek** - August 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ *My sincere condolences to Betty, Shelby and all of the Zimmerman family. It was a privilege for me to work with him.* ”

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**Andrew N Nieto** - August 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM