



## Gerald Wayne Toman

January 19, 1963 - June 27, 2015

Visitation for Gerald Wayne Toman, of Rosenberg will be held Thursday, July 2, 2015, 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM at Davis Greenlawn Funeral Home, in Rosenberg, with a Rosary recited at 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be held Friday, July 3, 2015, 10:00 AM at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Rosenberg with Father Bill Bartniski officiating. Burial will follow at Davis Greenlawn Cemetery. Gerald passed away at the age of 52, surrounded by his loving family, after a heroic battle with cancer. Gerald was born January 19, 1963 to John E. and Janice Svatek Toman.

Gerald was employed with East Bernard ISD, for the last 8 years, where he found his second home.

Gerald is survived by his Mother Janice Toman of Rosenberg; Sister Cindy Heiman and husband Dennis, of Orchard; Sister Jackie Mercer and husband and best-friend Bully, of Rosenberg; Sister Nancy McCain and husband Perry, of Rosenberg; Sister Becky Donham and husband Paul, of Richmond; Brother B.J. Toman and wife Dawn, of Rosenberg; and numerous Nieces, Nephews, Great-Nieces, Great-Nephews, cousins, loved ones, and a very special Aunt Bern.

Pallbearers are Charlie Toman, Andrew Labay, Billy Svatek, Bobby Jones, Patrick Stransky, Joe Stransky II, James Kresta, and Emmett Tugwell.

Honorary Pallbearers are Keene Mercer, Seth Mercer-Ross, Jaxson Hensley, Jacob McCain, Avery McCain, Corbin Toman, Jordan Gallia and Dirk Browning.

He is preceded in death by his Father, John E. Toman, of Rosenberg; Grandparents, John and Angeline Svatek, of Needville, and Steve and Norma Toman, of Sealy.

Gerald enjoyed life to the fullest. He was an avid hunter, fisherman and all-around outdoorsmen. He enjoyed gardening and canning the fruits of his labor, and was always willing to share. He was a skilled carpenter and somewhat of a modern-day MacGyver; there was nothing he couldn't create, build or repair. His favorite days were those spent with his family, cooking in the backyard, and playing practical jokes. He remained devoted and committed to both his immediate family and his East Bernard ISD family throughout his illness...he never gave up.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the East Bernard Athletic Department. Tributes and words of condolences may be left for the family at [www.davisgreenlawnfh.com](http://www.davisgreenlawnfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

JD

“ *Condolences....Janet Delgado, Darbi Gutierrez, and Debbie Rinkel  
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1318 Georgina Street. Sorry for your loss.*

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**Janet Delgado** - August 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *Gerald was such a kind, caring and compassionate person whom  
we all loved at the Junior High. He was a very talented carpenter,  
and we admired him as he made so many nice cabinets for us -  
many times just  
using a rough sketch. Gerald took care of anything we needed and  
always with a happy attitude and a beautiful smile. We will miss him  
so very much.*

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**Shawna Traweek** - July 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *I am so saddened to hear this terrible news. Gerald was a wonderful  
person! I will pray for your family!!!*

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**Melanie Hafer Mushinski** - July 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *With sympathy*

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**Loyce Anderson** - July 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Taken way too young....my prayers & sympathy to a very special family. I was blessed to know Gerald. Although I did not see him much since our younger years he always had the ability to put a smile on your face with his great personality!

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**Karen Hajdik** - July 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Taken away young and to soon. Gerald was a very dependable guy. He came into the cafeteria every morning to check on me as we were the first on campus. He always managed to scare me but always made me laugh. He was a hard worker and a great guy. I am so sorry for your loss. He will be missed at EBISD. My mornings will never be the same.

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**Barbara Baker** - July 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Paul and I are so sorry for you loss. I Pray for your family in this great time of need. To Jackie, Heather and Jaxson, I know you feel a great void at this time but I know you will forever hold him in your hearts. He was a special person and I am honored to have known him. Just know he is in a better place now.

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**Billie Hughes** - July 01, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ My sympathies to your family for your loss. Gerald was a hard worker and always had the best attitude. His determination and will power to continue working as he battled cancer amazed me. He will truly be missed. I'm sorry for your loss.

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**Denise Rabius** - June 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *Janice, Bern and Family Although I didnt ever meet Gerald, I have heard so many good things about him. I know he will be greatly missed, but his memory lives on. God Bless each of you.*

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**Elaine & Chuck Cook** - June 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

FL

“ *The 4th grade teachers could always rely on Gerald! If anything needed repair in our classrooms, we knew he would take care of it. He could always bring laughter to our hallway with his practical jokes, too! From placing a little red bird above curtains to hiding a mouse on a teacher's chair, we always knew it had to be him. We will miss Gerald's smile, positive attitude, and work ethic at EBISD!*

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**Frances Leopold** - June 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM