



John Franklin McGowan

August 12, 1961 - January 28, 2011

John Franklin McGowan was born August 12, 1961 in Dallas, Texas to Frank Edward & Jesse Faye (McDonald) McGowan. He was preceded in death by his father. Survived by wife Stacy (Reeves) McGowan; daughters Hannah McGowan, Jessica Simons & her husband Phillip; grandson Peyton Simons; mother Jesse McGowan; 2 brothers; 4 sisters; father-in-law Robert Reeves; numerous nieces & nephews; extended family & friends.

Tribute Wall



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I had no idea he had passed. John and I went to Lancaster school together. I just saw him not long ago at Rocket Cafe. I remember him as a friendly very social guy. My sympathy to his family.##imported-begin##Julie Fleeman Martin##imported-end##

February 09, 2011 at 06:31 PM



“ To the entire McGowen Family... My heart goes out to you on the loss of your loved one. God Bless you all.##imported-begin##Karen Horn Rodgers##imported-end##

February 07, 2011 at 05:47 PM



“ Stacy, I am truly sorry for your loss. My sincerest thoughts and prayers are with you. God bless you and your family.##imported-begin##Chelsey Hancock##imported-end##

February 04, 2011 at 04:03 PM



“ *May all the warm thoughts that are coming your way console you and help see you through. And may it bring comfort to know you have friends who care very much about you.*

Always remember the good times with John. He loved his family so much.

You are in our prayers. God Bless.

Jerry and Bettie Poovey###imported-begin##Bettie Poovey###imported-end##

February 03, 2011 at 10:36 PM



“ *May you all find comfort in your wonderful memories of John and may God comfort you all in this time of need. You are in our prayers and thoughts during this time. Peace and love.###imported-begin##Val & Stacy Singel###imported-end##*

February 03, 2011 at 04:27 PM



“ *Hi, Stacy & Jessica*

My Sympathy with you and the family.. Veronica Adams###imported-begin##Veronica Adams###imported-end##

February 03, 2011 at 12:58 PM



“ *one day at a time###imported-begin##judy westmoreland hailey###imported-end##*

February 03, 2011 at 11:39 AM



“ Stacy, Jessie and Hannah, please know all of you are in our thoughts and prayers and admire your strength and courage during this difficult time. So sorry for your loss.

Marinell Harper##imported-begin##Marinell Harper##imported-end##

February 03, 2011 at 10:25 AM



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February 03, 2011 at 01:01 AM



“ The world lost a great person when we lost John. He was one of the few who would be there to help anyone who needed it and genuinely cared. And if you ever needed a laugh, he was the one to go too. Until we meet again.... i will miss you.##imported-begin##Laura Martin##imported-end##

February 03, 2011 at 12:47 AM



“ dear baby brother,i am going to miss those Friday nights when you came by the house to sing for me.I know you are singing beautiful music in Heaven. you will be forever in my heart!##imported-begin##angie welch##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 09:34 PM



“ Whenever John was in the room you could always expect some action. Sometimes it could make you mad, or it would be extremely funny, or it would be something straight from the heart and be so sweet, but certainly never dull or boring. The man was always going to mix things up a bit.
Thanks for the many great memories... Love ya--Brother-in-law....
JimBo###imported-begin##JimBo Bunnell###imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 05:50 PM



“ Words cannot begin to express the sorrow we have in our hearts for what your family is going through right now. Please know you're all in our thoughts and prayers as a new angel watches over all of you.

Much love...###imported-begin##Jennifer Stalcup & Shawna Scott###imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 04:53 PM



“ Stacy, Jessica and Hannah, I love you so much and I know that John loved you even more. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love you,Debbie###imported-begin##Debbie McGowan-Oswald###imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 04:41 PM



“ I am so sorry for your families loss. I will keep you all in my prayers.

God keep you and give you peace in your time of sorrow.

Love,

Shannon Dasch and family##imported-begin##Shannon
Dasch##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 04:20 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Kathy
Favor##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 04:14 PM



“ To my Big Brother you will be dearly missed... Every time I here
Amarillo by morning I will think of you. I love you Big
Brother!!##imported-begin##Renee bunnell##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 03:40 PM



“ Rest in Peace##imported-begin##Paige Reeves##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 03:04 PM



“ John,
I pray that you are at peace and the fish are biting.##imported-
begin##Bryan Reeves##imported-end##

February 01, 2011 at 05:10 AM



“ *Reader's Digest magazine has a recurring article called "My Most Unforgettable Character". My baby brother, John, is that character. From the time John was a little boy, he was "unforgettable." I am not sure what it was about John. Maybe it was his red hair and freckles or his silly little grin, but if you ever met John he was hard to forget. He was the one that could walk in a room and not know anyone there but before he left he ended up knowing everyone. He even met my in-laws long before I did. When he was a young boy he developed a love for fishing, music and sports. My husband and sons have many good memories of fishing and camping trips, talking about football , baseball, etc with "Uncle John". He was always there to make sure plenty of jokes were told, plenty of fish were caught, and lots of footballs were thrown. A month ago, I was visiting with John in the hospital and he told me that after his last camping/fishing trip, my son and his friend had made a "Top Ten List of Things Not To Forget on a Camping Trip" and he was so proud that "Uncle John" made the #3 spot. Only below #1-Beer and #2-Ten Bean Soup. I think that is pretty good! John will be truly missed in our family and things will somehow never be the same. As I said, He is an "unforgettable" character, so we will always have lots of good stories to tell. Love you brother John.##imported-begin##Debbie McGowan Oswald##imported-end##*

February 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *I love you. I'm very bereaved that you're gone, but I'm very ecstatic that you're in a place where you won't be despondant anymore. All the pain you went through, showed how much of an amazing man you were. You're a very big inspiration to me, and I look up to you. We will miss you, and I love you.##imported-begin##Alex Reeves##imported-end##*

January 31, 2011 at 08:39 PM



“ I love you, Uncle John. You will be missed. Your strength and courage, has inspired me to do something in honor of my dear Uncle John. I am going to try to start a charity, that will be non-profit and it will go for leukemia research. We decided to name it 'Uncle John's Warriors Against Leukemia' Thank you for your bright spirits, kindness, and everything that you've done. I love, and miss you, Uncle John. RIP.##imported-begin##Cydne Reeves##imported-end##

January 31, 2011 at 08:31 PM



“ May God Comfort you all in this time of need, peace and love be with you.

The Ruiz and Carrillo Family.##imported-begin##Gloria Ruiz Carrillo##imported-end##

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