



Amis Wages

September 14, 1946 - March 29, 2011

Services for Amis Richard Wages, 64, of Tyler, will be held on Saturday, April 2, 2011 at 10:00 AM at Cross Pointe Community Church with Rev. Don Spradling officiating. Burial will follow at Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery in Tyler under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mr. Wages passed away unexpectedly March 29, 2011, in Katy. He was born September 14, 1946 in Marion, LA, to Luther Irving and Francis Pleasant Amis. Richard was raised in Eldorado, AR and graduated from Eldorado High School. He attended Southern Arkansas University. He later moved to Luling, LA where he worked for Union Carbide which in turn became Dow Chemical. He retired after 42 years of service. Richard and his wife Emily were able to travel to Malaysia, China, Thailand, Singapore, London, Paris, Japan and Brazil. He was a charter member of Cross Pointe Community Church. Richard loved NASCAR and was an eternal optimist. He was an outstanding Christian who loved his family and was a devoted husband, father and Papa. Richard was preceded in death by his father. He is survived by his loving family including his wife of 44 years, Emily Wages of Tyler; children, Angela Jeannine Menchaca and husband Aaron of Spring and Carla Wages Ayala and husband Gary of League City; mother, Francis Pleasant Wages of Shelbyville, TN; grandchildren, Emily, Makenzie, Wyatt, Meagan and Ashley; and siblings Becky Hunter and husband Don of Picayune, MS, and Vyrene Crowder and husband Wayne of Shelbyville, TN. Pallbearers will be Rev. Edgar Ayala, Gary Ayala, Wyatt Ayala, Michael Henderson, Aaron Menchaca, and Jan Horn.

Visitation is scheduled from 4:00 – 6:00 PM on Friday, April 1, 2011 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy., Tyler, Texas 75703. If desired, memorials in honor of Amis Richard Wages may be made to Cross Pointe Community Church Building Fund, 4642 FM 2813, Tyler, 75703.

Tribute Wall

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“ RICHARD WAS A VERY PLEASANT, KIND PERSON THAT ALWAYS WAS SMILING THROUGHOUT THE DAY AT WORK. HE SPOKE HIGHLY AND PROUDLY OF HIS FAMILY (2 GIRLS, WIFE AND MOTHER) ALL THE TIME. HE WAS SUCH A PLEASURE TO WORK WITH AND TO CHAT WITH DAY TO DAY. HE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED HERE AT THE SHAW OFFICE.

TESHIA FULLER - March 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Emily, Vyrene, Becky, Francis....I am so sorry to hear about Richard. Duane let me know thru Facebook. I had just found him on FB about 6 months ago and we talked every so often. I talked to him last week via FB and he gave me his cell phone number. We talked a good while and the last thing we said to each other was we love yall and he said we love yall too. I am so saddened today of this as is mom. Please know that we love every one of you and I will never forget growing up and spending Sunday afternoons at your house. Big hugs and love to you all in the family.

Kim Hopkins Love - March 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Emily, my thoughts and prayers are with you. I am sorry that Brenda and I are unable to attend the service.

Carol Ann Perry - March 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ So sorry to hear about Richard. My prayers are with you Emily and the family.

Linda Kay Armer Reed - March 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM