



## Ronald Baker

February 2, 1953 - June 11, 2007

Memorial services for Ronald E. Baker, 54 of Flint, are scheduled for Friday, June 15, 2007 at 2:00 PM at Green Acres Baptist Church Chapel with Rev. Keith Brister and Rev. Lanny Bridges officiating. Private Family Burial preceded the Memorial Service at the Rose Lawn Cemetery in Meneola under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mr. Baker passed away, Monday, June 11, 2007 at the Hospice of East Texas in Tyler. He was born February 2, 1953 in Dallas, TX to Danny and Betty Baker. Ron and Becky were high school sweethearts having been married for 34 years. He graduated from UT Tyler, earned his CPA license and became CFO of a Houston based pharmaceutical company. Ron lived his life honoring God, mentoring his family, and serving many with his willing hands and open heart. He was deacon and BSF leader and his walk with his Lord was evident to all. Enjoying the great outdoors, Ron was an Assistant Scoutmaster, Pilmont Veteran, and many times over "Buffalo River Rider". Ronald Baker is survived by his loving family including his devoted wife, Becky Baker of Tyler; daughter, Ruth Lee McLain husband, Ben and grandson, Hudson of Kansas City; son, Rick Baker and wife Katie of San Antonio; daughter, Robyn Baker of College Station; mother, Betty Baker of Dallas; sister, Vicki Brister and husband Keith of Duncanville. The family would like to thank all doctors and staff at Trinity, ETMC, Baylor and Hospice Home Place. The family will receive friends from 5:00 - 8:00 PM Thursday, June 14, 2007, at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy., Tyler, Texas 75703. Memorials in honor of Ronald

Baker may be made to the Salvation Army, Samaritan's Purse, as well as any brain tumor foundation or Hospice Home Place. For more information or to express condolences, visit [www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com](http://www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall

KI

“ *Dear Becky and Family,*

*We are sorry for Ron's tough last few months, but rejoice with you in his current and final destination. We are thankful for knowing of your faith and your courage in this time. We are ready to help in anyway we can including helping with financial needs. We hope you'll let us if you need the help.*

*We love you all and are thankful to have known Ron. He was a blessing to us and to our community.*

*In Jesus,*

*Keith and Sherry*

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**KEITH AND SHERRY INGRAM** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ *Ron was a sweet, funny, thoughtful, kind child, and he grew up to be a sweet, funny, thoughtful, kind man. He did not just profess his faith, he lived it, every day of his life. We will all miss him greatly, but you who loved him best will miss him most. You are all in my heart and prayers. Pam*

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**Pam Kliever** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ We have prayed for Ron and Becky and their family many many times in our Sunday School class. Suetta has sent me copies of several emails she received from Becky. Gregg and I have been amazed at their faith and the strength they exhibit because of it. I know they both will hear from our Lord, "Well done my good and faithful servant" . . . which is certainly my goal and the goal of every Christian. The Bakers faith has certainly been tested and purified . . . and the result has been pure gold in the Lord's eyes. Praise God for their living testimony . . . which will be eternal. Lovingly in Christ, Debbie and Gregg Price

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**Debbie and Gregg Price** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Becky, you've touched so many lives during Ron's illness with your emails.  
God will bless you again and again. It's hard to grasp the fact that he's gone, but we surely know where he is. Mom & Charles

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**Martha & Charles Brewer** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ We will miss Ron's presence at our extended family functions--like Thanksgiving in Celeste. He was a fixture there every year. Family was important to him. I learned over the years that his family was very special to him & that his faith in our Lord was the glue that held all things together. We will miss him.

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**Rob McMichael** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ *Becky and Family,  
May God send his comfort and peace in your time of need. Thank you for your emails throughout Ron's illness. You were a witness to all , of God's strength. I am truly sorry for your loss. We love you.*

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**Carol Bradt Galloway** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. But I know from what Mike and Suetta have shared with me about Ron, that your loss is definitely Heaven's gain! I've been praying for your family and will continue to pray in coming days! May you truly feel God's loving arms around you!!!*

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**Annette Ham** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *We are thinking of you all during this difficult time while also celebrating with you the precious memories Mr. Baker left behind in each of you. May you be blessed with the comfort in knowing that he is walking on streets of gold today!*

*We love you all and pray that you will continue to be wrapped in His love.*

*Brandon & Ashley*

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**Brandon & Ashley Crim** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *Becky, Ruth, Rick and Robin and families,  
We pray that God will grant you peace and comfort during these  
days and provide you with all that you need in the coming days.  
Becky, you said it the best.....RON IS HOME and we will all join  
him soon!  
Our love to each of you.*

*Benny & Kay and Family*

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**Kay Howard** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *My prayers are with all of the family.  
I love you all.  
Jeanne*

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**Jeanne Crawford** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *Becky and Family, We will miss Ron dearly, but know he is walking  
on streets paved of gold today. Your strength throughout these last  
few months have amazed us all and your e-mails have been a great  
witness of strength and love from God above. We love you.*

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**Marsha Garmon Potts** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ *We were all very sorry to hear of Ron's passing. WE hope that he  
went peacefully. Wish that we could be there with all of you. Our  
thoughts and prayers will be with all of you.*

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**Lucy Camplin** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Ron was a generous person, and helped out several times with some missions projects. The Lord used him (unknown to him) to finish up one project in particular. I also remember Ron's optimistic spirit that things would work out. He was a good example.  
EW

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**Daniel Gayla Sanchez** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Precious Robyn & Family,  
We are so sorry for your loss. As hard as it is to see your Dad go, know that he is in a place where peace, joy, and comfort are abundant, as promised. Our hearts are with you.

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**The Monks** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ Dear Becky and family,  
I wanted to express my condolences to all of you. Becky, your devotion to Ron and his to you was so evident. It must be so very hard to have him gone from your side. But we grieve not as those who have no hope. Someday you will see him again. May the Lord comfort your hearts at this difficult time.  
Love in Christ,  
Elaine Beals

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**Elaine Beals** - June 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM