



Steven Holley

August 20, 1952 - March 26, 2011

Steven Lewis Holley of Tyler went home to be with his Lord on March 26th after a long fight with an extended illness. He was 58. He was born August 20th, 1952 to R.L. and Marjorie Holley in Big Spring, Texas. He spent his childhood having adventures and developing the imagination that would fuel so many beautiful songs, jingles, and advertising concepts that blessed so many. At the age of 16, while in a rock band called Lynrock, he saw the lovely Judy Kay Lane, whom he married October 25th, 1969 in Big Spring. His many creative talents lead him to a career first in radio at KTEM-AM in Temple, and then to his own businesses, writing and producing award-winning jingles and creative concepts for his cherished clients. A beloved husband, father, and friend, Steven was passionate about the Lord Jesus and imparting this Light in both teaching and thru music. His album "Grandfather" and other works, reveal in poetic relevance his heart and desire to share the Lord Who changed his life and, through Steven, the lives of so many others. Steven will always be remembered for his signature humor, golden voice, and infectious laughter. He is survived by his wife, Judy Holley, two daughters and their husbands, Ryan and Tonya Taylor of Rockwall, and Don and Tara Jones of Tyler. Also two grandchildren, Rachel Taylor and Jack Taylor of Rockwall; Sister Holly Stephens of Lake Tahoe and brother David Holley of Oklahoma.. Also, one devoted Maltese dog, Quinn. Visitation is Tuesday, March 29, 2011 from 6-8 PM, with the funeral service Wednesday, March 30, 2011 at 2PM at Stewart Family Funeral Home. Interment will follow at Rose Lawn Cemetery

under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Hospice of East Texas Foundation, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, 75701.

Dadda, see you in Forever.

Tribute Wall

GM

“ I want the family to know, the musical talent he had was shared by many, I know I will have another musician to visit one day. I had to reflect for sometime before my mind would allow that part of my memory to come out, we shared MUSIC, it will be peaceful for him.

Gordon Myrick - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ You will always be in our thoughts and prayers

Richard & Rachel Rippamonti - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ My uncle Steve would always make me feel special by saying sweet and kind things to me when he came to visit Grandma. I enjoyed hearing Steve and Judy sing together. It will be a special memory for me. I loved to hear him laugh. I will always have a special place in my heart for uncle Steve. Judy, Tonya and Tara I Love You! You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Shana Overby - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Steve was one of a kind and we were blessed by his contagious humor and amazing talents. He wrote a beautiful song in memory of our first grandson, Josiah, who lived only one day because of a severe heart defect. We will always remember that act of love and cherish that song. Steve is now with the Lord Jesus and all is well. We love you and will continue to pray for you now and in the days ahead.

Jan and Kirby

Jan Horton - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ We don't know why God would take someone so young. We don't know why he had to suffer so. I'm just relieved that his suffering is over. I hope that Judy and the children can realize that someday we will know why and someday their pain, (although it will never go completely away), will ease. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Love,
Sally

Sally Townes - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Thank you Judy for sharing your Steven with us. Love you all so. I know how proud he is today of all of you. God Bless.

Ruth Poirier - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Judy, I am so sorry for your loss. I will continue to keep you and your family in my prayers.

Janet Smith Abbe - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NB

“ Judy and family I am so sorry for your loss, my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Nancy Keene Benetich - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts are with you.

Lisa (Hughes) Van Diemen - March 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM