

STANLEY MALONE BRIDWELL



Stanley Malone (Stan) Bridwell, age 52, died September 9, 2006 at August Healthcare Center in Bridgeport after a nine-month battle with a cancerous spinal tumor.

He was born February 6, 1954 in Bowie, Texas, where he spent his early years. He spent his teenage and early adult years in Bridgeport, and later moved to Forestburg, Texas, where he lived until his illness began late last December.

Although he never married, Stan leaves behind a host of family and friends. Survivors include parents Harlan and Rosemary Bridwell, brothers Keith and Karen Bridwell, Doug and Lynda Bridwell and sister Melanie and Larry Fair. Nieces and nephews are Jay and Tricia Bridwell and son Joshua; Randall, Reid, and Whitney and daughter Lauren Bridwell; Morgan and Mason Bridwell; and Laura, Scott and Bella Moore, and Stacy Bost.

Visitation will be Wednesday, September 13, at 9:00 a.m. and services will be at 10:00 a.m., both at the First United Methodist Church in Bridgeport. The funeral will be conducted by pastors Mike Miller of the First United Methodist Church and Kevin Casey of The Father's House. Burial and graveside services will be at the New Harp Cemetery south of Forestburg at 2:00 p.m., conducted by Rev. Sam Campbell, pastor of the First United Methodist Churches in Saint Jo and Forestburg.

Pallbearers are nephews Jay, Randall, Reid and Mason Bridwell, along with Tony Desmuke and Stan's best friend, David Heller.

Doug Jones of Bridgeport will coordinate arrangements with the White Family Funeral Home of Bowie.

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