



## Mark Edward 'Tex' Cargill

March 14, 1953 - September 15, 2006

Mark Edward 'Tex' Cargill, 53, of Mattoon, passed away 3:40 p.m. Friday, September 15, 2006 at Palm Terrace. Memorial services will be held at a later date. Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Mark was born March 14, 1953 at Dallas, Texas, a son of Warren Hayes and Evelyn Rousseiu Cargill. He married Renee Reiman in 1980 at Heber Springs, Arkansas, she survives. Also surviving are his daughter, Kristen Cargill AKA 'Punkin' Pooter' of Mattoon; a step-daughter, Ericka Morgan of Wilmington, NC; a brother, Steve Cargill of Dallas, TX and a sister, Jennifer Brown of Kilgore, TX. He also leaves grandchildren, Lance Patrick Fitzgerald-Beavers and Eveyln Suerissa Rae Fitzgerald-Beavers and their father Ryan Rae Fitzgerald of Mattoon, and Jackson Alden Cramer and his father Joshua Alden Cramer. His special friends, Shannon Buxton and 'Yankee Music Friends' Jake Fredericks and Dale Sawyer also survive.

Mark was a member of Pleasant Grove Southern Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas. He had a life of varied occupations from carpenter to chef to comedian and entertainer to musician and songwriter. Mark enjoyed bringing music from gospel to rock and roll to blues and loved to entertain everyone. At a young age he traveled to nursing homes sharing gospel music to residents. He left his musical legacy to his wife, daughter and grandchildren. Mark was a pure Texan and his soul remained deep in the heart of Texas. His favorite sayings were 'God created men, but the Colt made 'em equal!' and 'Remember the Alamo!'

Mark was a compassionate,

caring, loving father and grandfather. He is a guardian angel watching over us and we wish him forever sweet dreams. I will remember you daddy. We'll miss you papa. Love forever, your silver haired angel.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mark Edward 'Tex' Cargill*

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“ *Renee the boys and i just wanted you to know our thoughts prayers are with you were all gonna miss our harmonnica man call me at 217 531 8839*

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