



## Howard Bourgeois

June 29, 2013

Howard Joseph Bourgeois, Jr., affectionately known as Skippy, was called home by his Lord on June 29, 2013, after a 2-year battle with cancer. He was born April 21, 1944, to Howard Joseph Bourgeois, Sr. and Eva Ann Creighton Bourgeois, and grew up in Port Arthur, TX, the oldest of seven children. He graduated from Bishop Byrne High School in 1962 and served in the United States Air Force from 1962 to 1966. He received Bachelor of Science and Masters Degrees in Chemical Engineering from Lamar University, where he met the love of his life and wife of 45 years, Yvonne Hebert Bourgeois. Together they raised two children, Bryan Joseph of Austin, TX, and Jennifer Leigh Penny of Plantersville, TX. Howard had two grandchildren, Samuel Joseph Penny (6) and Abraham Amos Penny (2). Skip loved all children, who were drawn to him by that love. He lived his faith and modeled a great work ethic. He often demonstrated his love by relentless teasing.

He is survived by his wife Yvonne; mother Eva; son Bryan; daughter Jennifer; son-in-law Jack; grandsons Sam and Abe; brothers Henry, Mark, and Kirk; sisters Eva Ann, Bridget, and Fay; brothers and sisters-in-law, and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to a memorial fund set up for the education of Howard's grandchildren. Contributions can be made at any Amegy Bank location, or check mailed to the Montgomery,

Texas, branch.

Checks payable to: Howard Bourgeois Memorial Fund

Mailed to: Amegy Bank  
20800 Eva Street  
Montgomery, TX 77356

# Tribute Wall



“ *Howard Bourgeois*

July 20, 2022 at 05:14 PM



“ *Jennifer Parker lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



jennifer parker - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Skippy was a wonderful man, husband, father and friend. He always could put a smile on your face! He is deeply missed but never forgotten. Yvonne, Bryan and Jennifer you all will keep him alive in spirit and memories. Bryan and Jennifer you are his legac*

Ken and Dawn Noyes - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ken And Dawn Noyes lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



Ken and Dawn Noyes - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *My longtime friend was a good-hearted and generous man and is now resting in peace without pain. I pray for peace and comfort for my dear friend Yvonne and for Jennifer and Bryan.*

**Candy Ramsey** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ *Liz Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



**Liz Gilbert** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ *TIM And BETH LEWIS lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



**TIM and BETH LEWIS** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ *The O'Quinn's lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



**The O'Quinn's** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Dale And Marilyn Guidry lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois



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PH

“ Patsy Hilton lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois



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CR

“ Candy Ramsey lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois



Candy Ramsey - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ *The family of "Skippy"*  
*May your faith in God and His promise of eternal life, help ease the sorrow you feel, and give you strength and courage as you greet each new tomorrow. He was a special person, loved by all and gone too soon. R.I.P. Cuz!*  
*Love Dale a*

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**Marilyn Borel Guidry** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ *Bobby And Lorraine Ausburn lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



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**Bobby and Lorraine Ausburn** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *Skippy, my dear cousin, was such a kind, fun loving guy. He dearly loved family and friends. So many wonderful memories were made when we were kids. He will be missed by everyone who was lucky enough to know him. Our prayers and love go out to Yvonne,*

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**Patricia Moore** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ *Eddie & Pat Moore lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



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**Eddie & Pat Moore** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ Skippy and I started Lamar in the Summer of 65. He was just out of the Air Force and we studied Freshman Algebra I together. He amazed me from then on. It was easy for him to be a good guy because he was blessed to have such a loving family one and all. R

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**Randy Chatagnier** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ To the Family of Mr. Howard Bourgeois, I just want you to know that Mr. Howard will always be in my heart. He was more like a father to me than a boss. My wife and I dearly miss him. Mr. Howard was the one part of coming to work that was truly worthwhile.

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**Charles Wolff** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ Charles And Marilyn Wolff lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois



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**Charles And Marilyn Wolff** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Howard and I worked together while commissioning the Sandy Creek Power Plant and will always remember Howard as an honorable man.

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**Shawn Hoffman** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *Shawn Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



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**Shawn Hoffman** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ *Scott Gibson lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



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**Scott Gibson** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Darrell McCord lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois*



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**Darrell McCord** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ *To the Bourgeois Family*

*After reading the memorial of Howard Bourgeois, Jr., it is with sincere sympathy I write to you. When we lose a loved one in death, the pain, the grief and the feelings of helplessness can seem unbearable. What a marvelous hope we*

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**Romelle Nelson** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Howard- my best friend. I miss you dearly as I know all of your family and friends do. Howard, you are a game changer. I have never had such a friend who made such a positive influence in my life. I know that I am not the only one who feels that way- ever

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**Keith Hall** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KH

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DH

“ Howard and I were good friends for over 2 years while working together in Riesel, TX. We shared a lot of laughs and good times together. My deepest condolences go to Yvonne and their family and friends. I will deeply miss Howard, a very fine man who loved

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**Dale Hoffman** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Dale Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois



Dale Hoffman - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ My very special cousin always treated me special like we were best friends since I was very young. His whole family has the love and kindness everyone could use as an example to live by. Very special and will miss his wonderful smile. Our prayers are with

Jeffery Guidroz - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Jeffery Guiudroz lit a candle in memory of Howard Bourgeois



Jeffery Guiudroz - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ Howard was my brother-in-law but he was much more than that to me. He was the finest man I've ever known and he will be missed more than words can say. My heartfelt sympathy goes out to my loving sister, Yvonne, and my wonderful niece and nephew, Bryan

Suzann Turner - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *Suzann Turner lit a candle in memory of  
Howard Bourgeois*



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