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JON "JOHNNY" EDGAR CARNELL

Mr. Jon "Johnny" Edgar Carnell, age 68, passed away Thursday, August 2, 2007 at the Moody House Nursing Center in Galveston, Texas after a lengthy illness. Mr. Carnell was born May 3, 1939 in Richmond, Virginia. Mr. Carnell's family moved to Galveston when he was very young. Mr. Carnell grew up on the island graduating from Ball High School. Mr. Carnell lived in numerous locations throughout his life but his favorite place was the East Texas Pineywoods. Mr. Carnell was an avid outdoorsman and had a love of horses.

Survivors include his children Sheila Carnell and J.J. McSwain, of Austonio, Jennifer Guzman and husband John, of Lovelady and Jon Carnell and wife Annette, of LaPorte; sisters Judy Thome and husband Todd, Sandra Young and Sonia Gamache, all of Galveston; brothers Dennis Carnell and wife Nell, of Santa Fe, Ed Carnell, of Houston; grandchildren Angel, Elizabeth, Haley, Ryan and Ethen; and many nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by his parents Helen and Eddie Connett and father Dennis Carnell, all of Galveston.

A small private memorial service will be held.