

## SAMUEL LEE EMMONS

Mr. Samuel Lee Emmons, age 41 formerly of Crockett, passed away Friday, January 20, 2006. Mr. Emmons was born January 21, 1965.

Mr. Emmons had suffered a seizure, fell off his boat and drowned. Through a set of tragic circumstances, no family contact information was found for a month. Finally, through the diligence of the Dade County Coroner's office in Miami, Florida, family members were located and contacted. Mr. Emmons brother and sister-in-law flew to Florida, both to retrieve him and to try to find out more about his death.

Glen and Cindy were comforted by information they received while in Florida. Everyone who had known Mr. Emmons spoke well of him. They were told numerous times that Mr. Emmons was a man who would help anyone, in anyway he could.

Survivors include his father and step-mother Robin and Hye-Ja Emmons, of Timpson; mother Judith Emmons, of Palestine; brother and sister-in-law Glen and Cindy Emmons, of Palestine; sister and brother-in-law Janice and Tim Kirkwood, of Nacogdoches; half-brother Tim Marshall, of Marshall; three nieces Meagan Herrera, of Crockett, Majestic and Miranda Emmons, both of Ala.; three nephews Stephen Emmons, of Nacogdoches, Justin Emmons, of Grapeland and Joseph Herrera, of Crockett; one great-nephew Brayden Marshall, of Crockett; one grandparent Mary Joe Emmons, of Houston County Nursing Home, in Crockett; long time companion Fara Lucky Repasky; childhood friend David Allen; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Preceded in death by his grandfather L.D. Emmons.

Graveside services were held for Mr. Samuel Lee Emmons Saturday, February 25, with the Rev. Eddie Atkinson officiating.

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