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**MACK STEED JR.**

Mr. Mack Donald (Don) Steed Jr. passed away March 3, 2001 at his home after an extended illness. He was born March 26, 1950 in Crockett. He grew up in Kennard and attended elementary, junior high, and high school there until transferring and graduating from Crockett High School in 1968. He later attended Angelina College in Lufkin and Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches where he majored in computer programming.

Mr. Steed has a great love of music and electronics and developed those into a twenty-year career in radio broadcasting. He was first employed at KLUF in Lufkin in the 1970's as a disc jockey and soon began to do both broadcasting and radio engineering. He worked with KCKR and KBHT in Crockett, K-Fox 95, and KYKS in Lufkin along with KJCS, and Q107 in Nacogdoches until retiring for health reasons. Mr. Steed was a lifetime resident of Kennard and a member of the Kennard First Baptist Church.

He was survived by his sons, Michael Steed and Brad Steed of Waco; and their mother, Glenda Harrison Steed of Jacksonville. He was also survived by his mother, Mildred Steed of Kennard; father, Mack Steed and wife, Dee Steed of Kennard. He had one sister, Suzanne Conaway; and nephews, Andy Lee of Ft. Worth, Dalton Gauthier of Kennard, and Ransom Gauthier of Nacogdoches; one niece, Betsy Gauthier of Ft. Worth; aunts and uncles, John and Myrtice Bednarski of Kennard, Hoyle Parnell of Houston, Violet McKinney of Pasadena, Shellie and Dona Sue Curry, and W.H. and Jo Ann Holcomb of Crockett, Ray and Hudell Steed of Kennard, Marguerite Williams of Richmond, Mozelle Warren of Austin, and Lacy Steed of Conroe.

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