



## Jack Hawkins

April 6, 1943 - June 9, 2010

Jackie James Hawkins, 67, passed away peacefully at his home

Wednesday, June 9, 2010.

A memorial service in honor and celebration of Jack's life will

be at 1 p.m. Saturday in Lucas Keller Funeral Chapel, 137 E. Hill St.,

Keller.

Jack succumbed to the effects of a back injury that occurred while he worked for the U.S. Postal Service 10 years ago, which resulted in paraplegia. Loved by family, friends and the many who met him throughout his life, he shared a gentle kindness with the world that will be dearly missed.

Deaf from birth, and confined for the last 10 years to a bed and wheelchair, he faced every obstacle with calm, smiling tenacity that was an inspiration. He never ceased to seek out happiness in the simple joys of life.

Jack is survived by his Wife, Jan; children, Jeff and Jenna; grandchildren, Stephen and Cassie; brothers, Jerry and John; sister, Linda; and countless others he touched. Lucas Funeral Home

# Tribute Wall

PL

“ Jan,  
We want you to know our thoughts and prayers are with you and your children at this sad time. You and Jack have been such a dedicated couple, you are an example to be followed. Please know that we love you. Patty and Jim

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**Patty and Jim Lawrence** - June 15, 2010 at 12:16 PM

LH

“ Jack was a gentle and sweet person that will be greatly missed.  
God Bless.

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**Lance & Kelli Hunt** - June 14, 2010 at 11:16 AM

PJ

“ I love this picture of Jack. That's exactly how I remember him with that great smile and sparkle in his eyes. I especially saw him look that happy around his grandkids, Stephen and Cassie. He sure loved his family! I loved Jack and I know you all will miss his bright shiny smile more than we can know. We're thinking of you all and praying that God's comfort will embrace you. Love to you all.

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**Pam and Lane Johnson** - June 12, 2010 at 12:05 PM

GR

“ We'll always remember the enthusiasm Jack had when building a workshop for his father. In the early 1980s, we visited family in Wichita Falls, TX. Learning that a "workshop raising" was ongoing at the home of Claude and Helen Hawkins, we drove stright to their home. The first thing we saw was Jack moving quickly around the work site, leading the family members in the construction task at hand. Jack was definitely in charge - with a big grin on his face. We all had a great time that day. We will miss Jack's easy style and sense of humor.

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**George & Debby Robbins** - June 12, 2010 at 11:24 AM

BJ

“ Our deepest sympathies in your loss. May Jack know a better world, free of pain and suffering.  
God Bless you and keep you.

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**Basail and Jane Jeter** - June 10, 2010 at 05:56 PM