



## Gerald Arthur Cornick

September 12, 1946 - March 15, 2016

Gerald Arthur Cornick, 69, of Weatherford, TX, passed away Tuesday, March 15, 2016. He was born September 12, 1946 in Houston, TX to Arthur and Alice (Houston) Cornick. Gerald married Martha Ruth "Ginger" McCormick on August 11, 1973 in Manti, UT. He is survived by his wife, Martha of Weatherford, TX; son, Stephen Cornick of Hays, KS; two daughters, Kristina and husband Chris Kopernik of Little Elm, TX, Katherine and husband Eric Vasek of Cypress, TX; seven grandchildren, Jesse Kopernik, Ashley Kopernik, Courtney Kopernik, Makayla Vasek, Kendall Vasek, Aurora Cornick, and Gavin Cornick. He was preceded in death by his parents, and two brothers, Larry and Bill Cornick. Visitation will be held 10:00AM-12:00PM, Saturday, March 19, 2016 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Weatherford, TX and the funeral service will begin at 12:00PM. Burial will follow at East Greenwood Cemetery in Weatherford, TX. Online condolences may be shared at [www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com](http://www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com). Services are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I miss him already. He was such a noble man who loved all those he met. He and Ginger exemplify service and going the extra mile. I am so grateful for the plan of salvation and the knowledge that we can be reunited with our loved ones some day. I will certainly be happy to see Jerry again. I know that the Lord greeted Jerry by saying, "Welcome thy good and faithful servant; a job well done." I was just reading through some of his journals and I came across a journal he wrote in during his mission. His words were so inspiring and to see how he was truly immersed in the gospel of Jesus Christ. I would like to quote him. He said, "Helping others to be taught the gospel is the greatest gift of all blessings! What a joy is the full-time couple's experience in doing this work." In another journal he was listing some goals for 1973. One of his goals was to buy Ginger a present once a month. What a thoughtful and compassionate act. Jerry will be sorely missed!

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**Terri Godwin** - March 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Hugs and prayers from The Crawford Clan

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**Barbara Crawford** - March 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ I remember meeting Jerry for the first time while living in Colorado. Ginger was my sister-in-law an they stopped to visit on their way to Utah. I remember how happy they were. I was so happy for them. Jerry was a kind an gentle soul. The world has lost a wonderful man. I was proud to have him for my brother-in-law. Jerry you left this world too soon. RIP Jerry an Uncle to my children. God Bless Ginger an her family.

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**Carole McCormick** - March 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ My wife, Linda and I first met Jerry and Ginger in 1973 while living in the Maplewood Ward in Houston. They were always such a loving, congenial, smart, decent couple, that the thought of Jerry's passing is almost more than I can accept. Although we haven't seen them in decades, the memory of a special time in our lives (BEFORE CHILDREN and responsibilities) will always be special to us. Condolences to Ginger, the children and grandchildren. Jerry was a noble man indeed.

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**John Hodson** - March 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM