



## August Timmerman

March 18, 1944 - August 22, 2018

August Timmerman, age 74, a longtime resident of South Texas passed away at home surrounded by his family on Aug. 22, 2018. He was born March 18, 1944 in Kingsville, to Annie and Henry Timmerman. A graduate of Falfurrias High School he also earned his Peace Officer Commission through Del Mar Police Academy. Working from a young age, he dedicated 47 years of service to the King Ranch where he retired from their Security Division in 2008.

August is survived by his living wife of 30 years, Lisa Timmerman of Premont, a daughter Bonnie (OJ) Garcia of Kingsville, brother Kenneth Timmerman of Agua Dulce, two grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, four sisters, one brother.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held Wednesday, September 5, 2018 at 2:00PM at the Henrietta Memorial Center in Kingsville, Tx.

# Tribute Wall



“ *It's been four years since you left us and I still miss you more than ever. You were the closest think to a father I ever had !! Rest In Peace dad !!!!*

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**Miles Shields** - August 22, 2022 at 09:18 PM

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“ I met August when I worked at Mota Bonita in 2003-2004 timeframe. August left a lasting impression on me as the most Texan cowboy and lawman I ever knew. I really enjoyed my time knowing him and always wished to come back and visit. I maybe only made it back to visit once, but for years afterward would call every once in a while to chat. I've googled his name over the years always dreading seeing this page, knowing I missed my opportunity to see him again. I'll cherish the lessons I learned from him about tracking, shooting, ranch life, and being a good man in general. My favorite August story is one from the shooting range. We were both excellent shots with a pistol. So much so that we would run out of small enough targets to shoot. We would put spent brass in bullet holes in the targets to shoot at or shoot the thumb tacks holding up the target. I picked up a clay pigeon from the ground that had the middle broken perfectly out of it. I sat it on top of a post and told him that we would shoot one shot through the middle with our .45s and take a step back each round. The first to break the clay would lose. Being fresh off a college shooting team, I was certain I would win. After several rounds and getting pretty far away from the target, I was worried that this old man was going to whip me because the shots were getting hard. I happened to take a step behind him while he shot and realized he was shooting a foot over the clay rather than through the middle. I've always considered that my best life lesson in outsmarting the competition. As Waylon and Willie said, "Old age and treachery always overcomes youth and skill." Rest in peace, August. You are remembered fondly by many.

-John Cox

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John - April 05, 2019 at 03:09 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of August Timmerman.*



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September 05, 2018 at 10:49 AM



“ *I met August sometime in 2002 when I began splitting my working time at King Ranch between Houston and Kingsville. August graciously and patiently showed me the "lay of the land" and helped me learn about some of the industrial operations that required my attention. I was always confident that he'd have my back should a problem arise in the sometimes-hostile environment I worked in. August was a gentle giant of a man, with a heart to match, and he had a wonderful sense of humor and told some fine stories. I've missed him since I retired, and I am so sad to hear of his passing.*

*God bless you and keep you, August.*

*Marianne (Giles) Elder*

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**Marianne Elder** - September 03, 2018 at 10:56 PM



“ *Marianne (Giles) Elder and Robert Elder purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of August Timmerman.*



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**Marianne (Giles) Elder and Robert Elder** - September 03, 2018 at 10:31 PM



“ My condolences to the Timmerman family, and his many friends. I was honored and privileged to have known and worked with August. He was dedicated, hard working, and full of brush knowledge. I learned so much from him and will always be thankful. He was a true legend. I'll see you down the trail. RIP 0485.

Eddy Gonzalez  
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Eddy Gonzalez - September 03, 2018 at 08:27 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of August Timmerman.



August 31, 2018 at 05:02 PM



“ 124 files added to the album LifeTributes



Roberson Funeral Home - August 29, 2018 at 09:15 AM

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*A great friend and helped me with any problems that I had whenever I called him and he also helped anyone who asked, he was always there, August had a big heart and will be missed. R.I.P. my friend. Condolences and prayers to family and friends. From Gus and Jan Puente*

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**Mr. and Mrs. Gus Puente** - August 29, 2018 at 11:33 AM



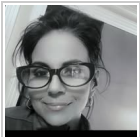
“ *In life, you meet few great men that will stand with you, that you can call “friend and mentor”, August refined my tracking skills in the brush, and when he called, I always made sure I went to help him out. We spent many hours tracking groups of illegal aliens in the brush together. Every time our paths crossed, I met a “legend”. I will miss my friend.*

*My condolences to all his family and friends...May he “Rest in Peace”.*

*Adrian Reyes Jr  
Retired USBP Watch Commander*

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**Adrian Reyes Jr.** - August 28, 2018 at 10:32 PM



“ *Sweetest man I ever met! Always a humble and kind gentlemen. He will truly be missed! Love and prayers!  
~Bel Reyes*

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**Bel Carrasco-Reyes** - August 28, 2018 at 10:04 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of August Timmerman.*



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August 28, 2018 at 02:25 PM



“ *One of the last of a dying breed... A true Cowboy and Gentleman. You are loved and will be missed August. You were my work Dad and I learned a lot from you. Thank you for always being there for not just me but all of us.*

*RIP 0485.....Till we meet again.*

*Love you,  
Lizzie  
(2111)*

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Liz - August 26, 2018 at 12:08 PM



“ *Every time August walked into the room, he was the commanding presence. But as big of a person he was, he was a true southern gentleman always. He was always a sweetheart with me. I am crushed to hear of his passing. The end of a time - an end of an era. Kenneth and family to all of you: I pray God grants you the deep peace and the deeper understanding of the promises our Lord made.*

*Eternal rest grant unto August, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

*Amen. Walle and Myra Chapa, Bastrop Texas*

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myra chapa - August 23, 2018 at 09:59 PM

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*Beautifully said! Thank you for the kind words*

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**BethStorm** - August 28, 2018 at 01:26 PM

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“ *This was the greatest man I ever had the pleasure to know, work with and socialize with. He was a man I called dad even though he was not my real father . He raised his kids, step kids and numerous young law enforcement officers who he guided through the rights and wrongs of being a good officer and a man. I and many others will miss you DAD !*

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**Miles L.Shields** - August 23, 2018 at 06:18 PM