## **GSmith:**

Garny arrived in Hamlin from Needville, Texas in 1972, and began his education in Hamlin's I.S.D., graduating in 1983. In 1984, he married his high school sweetheart, Pauline Brown, a graduate from Hamlin's Class of 1982. Together, the couple has three children who are all graduates of the Hamlin school system: Ronald, Class of 2003; Jeremy, Class of 2005; and Joanna, Class of 2007. Garny is the grandfather to five granddaughters and six grandsons. He is a cancer survivor along with surviving a horrific car accident on July 7, 2020. Garny is employed in the agricultural business and enjoys fishing in his time away from farming.