

# LESSON 45

## Texas Hall of Fame

- *Obituaries*

### SOCIAL STUDIES TEKS

4 - 5, 21, 22, 23

7 - 7, 21, 22, 23

8 - 23, 26, 29, 30

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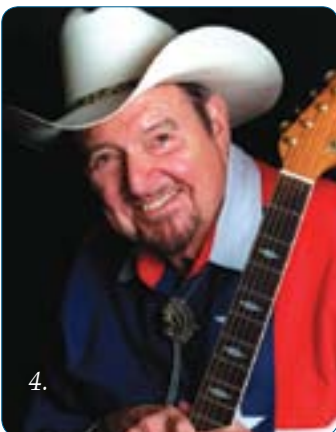
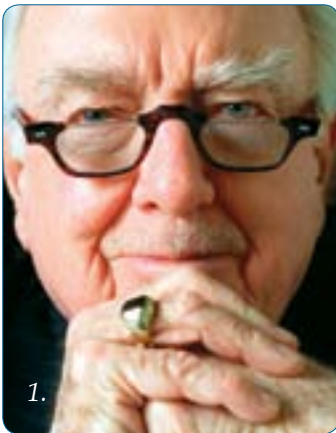
4, 7 - Writing - 1, 2, 3

4, 7 8 - Reading - 1, 2

8 - Social Studies - 2

### INSTRUCTIONAL SUGGESTIONS

1. Students will select five people from the “Obituaries” section. They will create their own “Hall of Fame,” focusing on these possible categories — artists, community leaders, educators, government officials, merchants, and sport figures. For each person selected to the “Hall of Fame,” students should choose one of these activities — write a one-sentence tribute, design a tombstone, or write a rap eulogy.
2. In groups, students will create a **Well-Known Texans** game, using the “Obituaries” section. Groups will exchange games to play.



1. *Walter Cronkite*
2. *Cyd Charisse*
3. *Gene Upshaw*
4. *Hank Thompson*
5. *Lydia Mendoza*