



## Douglas Richter

August 19, 1934 - September 3, 2013

Douglas Benjiman Richter born to Benno and Helen Hertha Richter August 19, 1934 in Smithville, Texas, went to be with his Lord and Savior Tuesday September 3, 2013 with his loving family surrounding him.

Known to many as Bro. Doug, he is survived by his loving wife of 33 years Latriece; children Marilyn Sue Lewis and husband Larry of Woodward, Oklahoma; Perry Richter and wife Becky of Navarro; daughter Lisa Cobb and husband Ray of Corsicana; daughter Marsha Qualls and husband Jimmy of Winkler; son David and wife Terrie of Mildred; daughter Mary Cobb Jock of Corsicana. 18 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren, beloved nieces and nephews.

Doug was the music minister at Unity Baptist Church and "when all of God's singers come home" he will be there singing right along. He was known through out the community for his smile and joking manner and always taking the time to visit and go to sing at all the area nursing homes. Always known for his love of gardening and sharing it with everyone.

Visitation will be 6-8 pm Friday, September 6, 2013 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Funeral service will be 10 am Saturday, September 7, 2013 at Unity Baptist church. Burial will follow at Providence Cemetery in Mildred. Pallbearers will be his grandsons, Jimmy Richter, Michael Lewis, Bryan Lewis, Tyler Richter, David Sparkman, Jeremey Cobb, Ben Richter, Jason Richter. Honorary pallbearers Caleb Richter and Logan Jock.

In lieu of flowers Doug requested donations be made for mission, his love and

passion.

# Cemetery Details

## Providence Cemetery

Hwy 287  
Mildred, TX

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

SEP 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

Unity Baptist Church  
101 S. 30th  
Corsicana, TX 75110

# Tribute Wall



“ *Douglas Richter*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Ken Mccrady lit a candle in memory of Douglas Richter*



**ken mccrady** - September 06, 2013 at 09:34 PM



“ *Latrice, Marsha and the entire Richter family,*

*Pam & I were extremely saddened to learn of Doug's passing. God has many ways of blessing our lives and having Doug as a long time friend and companion was a true blessing from God. It seems that every encounter with Doug left us with a laugh, a smile or a sack full of fresh vegetables! I will always cherish his memory and live in confidence that he is singing with The Lord....for he was a faithful servant.*

*Our sincere condolences to your family in this time of loss,  
With Love,*

*Bill and Pam Johnson*

**William (Bill) Johnson** - September 06, 2013 at 07:22 PM

RC

“ Our prayers are with you.  
We will miss him after all these years.  
Richard Cummins and Rayford Stewart

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Richard Cummins - September 06, 2013 at 07:19 PM

WJ

“ It is so hard to believe that Doug really is gone. Even in this time a great sorrow for everyone, I cannot help but smile when I think of him. Faithful, kind, strong, and principled but light hearted, he is truly the example of how a real man should live his life. He loved God, his family, and friends with all his heart and his priorities were always in the right place. I had the privilege to spend many years working closely with him, and more importantly as a friend. Through good times and the bad, he was always guided by his faith and principles. He always had a new joke, loved to make everyone laugh and never pulled a punch. He touched everyone around him. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Latriece and his all of his family. Although we will miss him, God has called him home to sing with the angels and make them smile.

William Aaron (Billy) Johnson & Family

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William Aaron Johnson - September 06, 2013 at 11:53 AM

WK

“ I don't know where to start. He was one of the greatest men in the world to Jack and my family. Always there with a smile and kind word. Family was everyghing to him. His wife was the love of his life. He will be forever in our hearts. We love you Bro.Doug.Love to his family. JACK & Willie Kuykendall

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Willie Kuykendall - September 05, 2013 at 04:47 PM

JR

“ I am so sorry, I wanted you to know you and all your family are in my prayers. I love you very much. We know God is in control, May God watch over you and bless you through all the times ahead.  
*Love and Prayers, Janet Reynolds*

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**Janet Reynolds** - September 05, 2013 at 01:11 PM

BH

“ From James and Brenda Hoover, you were one of the frist ones that welcomed us to Unity Baptist ,back in 1992, and you have always been a part of our lifes since then,we will sadly miss you old friend, but will rejoice your resting in the arms of our Lord. RIP.

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**Brenda Hoover** - September 05, 2013 at 11:32 AM

CF

“ Our hearts go out to the Richter family during this difficult time. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Doug was a stellar individual. Just thinking about him makes me smile. I just don't know if there could ever be a kinder, more genuine person than Doug. He was truly a special person who I know held a special place in the hearts of many. May God help you find peace in this trying time. God has certainly received a great companion in heaven with Doug's arrival!  
*He will be sorely missed.*

*With Much Love and Prayers~*

*Carolyn Johnson Fields & Brian Fields*

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**Carolyn Fields** - September 05, 2013 at 11:14 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Douglas Richter.*



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September 05, 2013 at 09:40 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this difficult time.  
John, Brenda & McCollum Family*

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**Brenda McCollum** - September 05, 2013 at 08:44 AM



“ *Just wanted to send our love and prayers out to each of you. My heart breaks for you all, how well I know the loss of such a Wonderful Man. Time really does help heal the pain and carrying his love and memory close to your hearts will too. You all have many friends and family that care deeply about your dear family and will be there for you anytime and this includes our family... Sending all our love, Brett, Diane and Family*

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**Diane Douglas** - September 04, 2013 at 01:15 PM

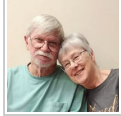


*I'm so very sorry to hear about your Father's passing. I have fond memories of him. He was the kindest, sweetest man I ever knew. I still can remember him driving his oil tanker by our house always smiling and honking a "hello". My Grandfather had great respect for your Dad. Heaven took home a true angel that walked the earth among us. God Bless You All.*

*Jackie (Perkins) Layton*

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**Jacqueline Layton** - September 06, 2013 at 12:29 AM



*We are so sorry to hear of Brother Doug's passing. Though it is hard to give him up, the Lord knows all things, and I guess He needed another good song leader in heaven since they sing His praises all day and all night forever and ever. I can see Brother Doug now just singing his heart out to the Lord. The world is going to miss this good soldier of the Lord, and the church is going to miss this good music leader for the Lord. May God give the family the peace that passes all understanding and strength that only He can give. God bless you all.*

*Love in Christ,  
Brother Benny Horn and Family*

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**Benny Horn** - September 07, 2013 at 10:20 AM