



## Doug Lane

September 5, 1926 - January 29, 2019

Early Douglas Lane, Jr. passed away into the presence of his Lord peacefully on January 29, 2019 at home surrounded by loved ones. Doug was born Sept. 5, 1926 in Terrell to Dr. E. D. Lane and Hester Naomi Buffington Lane, both of whom met him in Heaven along with his sister, Billie Jo Rash and brother-in-law, Clark Griffith. Doug grew up in Terrell and attended Terrell schools. After starring for the Terrell Tigers football team during his senior year of high school, Doug enlisted in the Navy serving as a Pharmacist Mate during World War II. Upon commencement of the war Doug received an honorable discharge from the service and entered East Texas State University, now known as Texas A&M-Commerce. In September 1947, he married Doris Swords in his home church, First Christian Church, and they continued their education with both graduating in 1950. Doug received his B.S. in Agriculture and, later, his M.S. in Education from East Texas State University. After graduation, Doug and Doris both taught school in Ft. Worth before moving back to Terrell to continue their careers in education. In 1960, they moved to their ranch and Doug continued as Middle School Principal until his retirement. His career with Terrell ISD spanned over 20 years as both teacher and administrator. Doug served on the Board of Directors for Terrell State Bank and Farmers Electric Cooperative. Doug was a longtime and faithful member of First Christian church serving as an elder and Board Chairman. Doug's joy came from being married to the love of his life, Doris, for 71 years, and their sons and grandchildren.

Those left to cherish his legacy are his wife, Doris Lane; sons: Ken Lane and wife Lisa, Larry Lane and wife Teri, Kelly Lane and wife Lisa and Kirk Lane; six grandchildren: Katie, Kelsie, Josh, Gabby, Logan, and Cason; sister, Nancy Griffith Lambeth and her husband Paul, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, and friends. Funeral service for Doug Lane will be Friday, February 1st at 11:00 a.m. at the First Christian Church in Terrell with interment to follow at Oakland Memorial Park. His family will receive friends Thursday, January 31st 4:00-7:00 p.m. at Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the First Christian Church Maintenance Fund at 405 N. Adelaide, Terrell, Texas 75160.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakland Memorial Park

1000 W. Moore Avenue  
Terrell, TX 75160

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations  
642 N Rockwall Avenue  
Terrell, TX 75160  
(972) 524-0881  
<https://www.maxslaytonfunerals.com>

## Funeral Service

FEB 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Christian Church  
405 N. Adelaide St.  
Terrell, TX 75160

# Tribute Wall



“ *Doug Lane*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *Gretel Paris lit a candle in memory of Doug Lane*



**Gretel Paris** - February 03, 2019 at 05:08 PM



*My condolences to the family and friends Doug Lane was a generous and loving person, my niece Marianne will miss Doug Lane so so very much. Prayers for his wife and the family.*

**Gretel Paris** - February 03, 2019 at 05:14 PM



“ *My condolences and love to the family. Douglas was one of my heroes. He enriched my life with his integrity, his kindness, his sense of humor. What a blessing to have known him!*

**Carol (Buffington) Frandsen** - February 01, 2019 at 03:53 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about the passing of Mr. Lane. He was a very nice guy and a wonderful teacher and principal. My condolences and prayers for the Lane family.*

*Ronnie Smith*

**Ronnie Smith** - January 31, 2019 at 05:20 PM

RJ

“ Sincerest condolences at Doug's passing. He was my teacher and principle at the elementary school in Terrell. Well liked and looked up to. He was a very special person in my life. We will miss him.

*Ronny Jones  
and the Carl Jones Family*

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**Ronny Jones** - January 31, 2019 at 04:59 PM

YF

“ Your I.B.C. Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Doug Lane.



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**Your I.B.C. Family** - January 31, 2019 at 03:55 PM

JG

“ Oh my, what to say. I have known Doug and Doris since I was a young boy as my family also were members of First Christian Church. Doug was the kind of man that you could look up to. He was kind, gentle, and had a love for life, and was truly interested in the lives of his friends and family. Doug was very special to many of us kids whom he taught at Terrell schools. He was homeroom teacher to many of us in the class of 1960. We will miss him very much. May God watch over and bless those of his family who are left to mourn his death. We wish a special blessing on Doris. May her days be filled with happiness that Doug will now be in his fathers house that has been reserved for him in heaven.

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**JAMES ALFR GIPSON** - January 30, 2019 at 06:10 PM



“ *Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Doug Lane.*



January 30, 2019 at 03:02 PM



“ *What a wonderful man! So very thoughtful and courteous...and humorous. So glad he is a part of my memories of Terrell and First Christian Church in Terrell. My heartfelt condolences to Doris and the entire Lane family. How blessed you are, Doug's family, to have had the love and support of that good man.*

**Joyce Kimmell** - January 30, 2019 at 02:20 PM



“ *Bill and SanDee Sweazea purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Doug Lane.*



**Bill and SanDee Sweazea** - January 30, 2019 at 02:06 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Doug Lane.*



January 30, 2019 at 01:38 PM

DW

“ *Many prayers and condolences to the Lane family from Darla Whitley.*

**Darla Whitley** - January 30, 2019 at 12:11 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Doug Lane.*



January 30, 2019 at 11:58 AM

SB

“ *Sharon Boyd lit a candle in memory of Doug Lane*



**Sharon Boyd** - January 30, 2019 at 11:32 AM

SB

*My heart and prayers go out to the family*

**Sharon Boyd** - January 30, 2019 at 11:33 AM

LR

“ *Larry, We are so very sorry to hear about your Dad. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

*Lori & Vernon Ray*

**Lori Ray** - January 30, 2019 at 10:05 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Doug Lane.*



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January 30, 2019 at 09:53 AM



“ *Jim & Yvonne Wynne lit a candle in memory of Doug Lane*



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**Jim & Yvonne Wynne** - January 29, 2019 at 10:28 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Doug Lane.*



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January 29, 2019 at 05:38 PM



“ 107 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



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**Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations** - January 29, 2019 at 04:43 PM