



Dustin Wooten

May 10, 1984 - May 9, 2026

To honor Dustin, we invite you to wear his favorite color — green — if he touched your life in any way. Of course, black is always welcome if that feels right for you.

“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.” —
2 Timothy 4:7

Dustin Wayne Wooten — loving husband to Malori and extraordinary father to his girls, Harper and Lillian — was born on May 10, 1984, in Dallas, Texas, to Tommy and Shelly Wooten, and grew up in Terrell, where he would eventually find his greatest purpose building things — with his hands, with his faith, and with the quiet, steady love he gave to everyone around him. He passed away peacefully on Saturday, May 9, 2026 at his home, surrounded by his loving family— one day before what would have been his 42nd birthday. Even in his going, he was uniquely, quietly Dustin.

As a teenager, Dustin earned the title of Texas State Junior Trap Handicap Champion — a distinction that reflected his quiet focus and competitive drive. As an adult, competitors hated to see his name listed as a shooter because they knew their chances of first place were over. He was also a proud member of Hella Shrine and the Hella Gun Club, where he competed and built lasting friendships. He loved spending time on the range with his brother Blaine,

sharing the sport they both loved. To Dustin, the score mattered — but the fellowship always mattered more.

After graduating from Terrell High School, Dustin attended Texas Tech University before finding his footing in the trucking industry, where he worked his way up and took pride in his time serving at K. L. Breeden & Sons. It was a later chapter, though, that became his true calling. When Dustin joined the team at Fivecoat Construction, he found more than a career — he found a family. He spent his days building churches alongside men he loved, doing work that mattered, and serving the Lord with his hands. It was the work he was most proud of, and it showed in everything he did.

Those who knew Dustin would describe him as a calm, steady presence. His wife Malori often said he was the calm while she was the storm — and she meant it as the highest compliment. He approached every obstacle in life with a quiet faithfulness that put everyone around him at ease.

Dustin was also a proud and devoted member of Bourbon and Bible, a brotherhood of men who gathered around faith and friendship in the way he valued most — honest, loyal, and unhurried.

When he wasn't working, Dustin was at his best in the outdoors — hunting, fishing, and shooting. He was handy in the truest sense; if he didn't already know how to do something, he found a YouTube video and figured it out. He was a dedicated beekeeper and, as family lore will tell it, a somewhat reluctant goat and chicken farmer. And above all, he was the fun dad — the one his girls, Harper and Lillian, could count on to say yes to the adventure.

Dustin is survived by his wife, Malori, and their two daughters, Harper and Lillian; his parents, Tommy and Shelly Wooten; his brother, Blaine Wooten, and his wife Krystin, and their daughters Reagan and Zoey; and numerous

aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends who miss him terribly.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Raymond and Nannette Wooten, and Larry Strohm.

In lieu of flowers, the family invites you to honor Dustin's memory with a gift to brain cancer research at UT Southwestern Medical Center. Donations may be directed to either of the following:

Harold C. Simmons Comprehensive Cancer Center
engage.utsouthwestern.edu/donate-now
P.O. Box 910888 · Dallas, TX 75391-0888

Department of Neurological Surgery
engage.utsouthwestern.edu/donate-neurosurgery
P.O. Box 910888 · Dallas, TX 75391-0888

Every gift advances the research that gives future families hope.

We will celebrate the beautiful life of our extraordinary Dustin on Saturday, June 13, 2026 at 11:00am at the Jamie Foxx Performing Arts Center in Terrell, Texas.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Performing Arts Center
400 Poetry Rd.
Terrell, TX 75160

Tribute Wall



“ *Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - June 15 at 11:48 AM

KR

“ *Kathy, Jim, Kim and Randy purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Dustin Wooten.*



Kathy, Jim, Kim and Randy - June 12 at 03:12 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Dustin Wooten.*



June 12 at 02:14 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Dustin Wooten.*



June 10 at 05:25 PM



“ *Sharon Rush Collins lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Sharon Rush Collins - June 10 at 01:39 PM



“ *Sending all his loved ones left behind, my family deepest sympathies. Praying that the Lord holds you close and brings light and comfort to your family during this difficult season of grief 🙏 God bless you all 🙏
Lilian Agbakwu*



Lilian Agbakwu family - June 09 at 08:21 PM



“ *Karo Stewart lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Karo Stewart - June 08 at 11:25 AM



“ Prayers. 🙏



Clark Richardson - June 06 at 10:08 PM



“ *TODD LEE lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



TODD LEE - May 21 at 10:20 AM



“ *Prayers for your family. It's so heartbreaking.*

Cindy Dixon - May 18 at 08:06 PM



“ *Cindy Dixon lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Cindy Dixon - May 18 at 08:04 PM

LR

“ *Linda Riedel lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Linda Riedel - May 18 at 04:57 PM

MW

“ *My heart breaks for you all. Prayers for peace and comfort.*

Melanie Wilson - May 15 at 09:11 AM

LU

“ *Sending hugs, love and prayers to your family. May God grant you peace and strength now and in the days ahead.*



Lori Uptmor - May 15 at 08:00 AM

DB

“ *My heart is heavy for the entire family. I trust in God to help you through this trial. Dustin was a charmer and it was a joy watching him grow into such a remarkable man. Make him proud by being just as courageous as he was during the difficult days ahead. Continue to honor him by your actions. Know that others care for the Wooten family and are praying for peace, including me. And ye now therefore have sorrow; but I will see you again, and your heart shall rejoice, and your joy no man taketh from you. John 16:22*

Donna Belknap - May 13 at 08:08 PM

KB

“ *Kimberly Brown lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Kimberly Brown - May 13 at 06:07 PM

SB

“ *Sharon Boyd lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Sharon Boyd - May 12 at 07:21 PM

JP

“ *It was truly an honor to care for Dustin. Sending love and prayers to your family.*



Jasmine Peterson - May 12 at 05:17 PM

GT

“ *Tommy & Shelly, Malori and the girls! I am so very sorry for the loss of Dustin! I pray god wraps you in his arms and give you strength as you navigate the time ahead!*



Gayla Trammell - May 12 at 01:11 PM

KB

“ Tommy, Shelley, Mallori and family... our hearts are broken and Brian and I send our deepest condolences to all of you.



Karen Burk - May 12 at 10:53 AM

VA

“ Shelly, Tommy, MaryLou, You are all in my heart and my prayers as is Dustin. Van Meridith

Van - May 12 at 09:14 AM

KP

“ Kellie Perry lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten



Kellie Perry - May 12 at 08:06 AM

BW

“ Beth Wilder lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten



Beth Wilder - May 11 at 07:15 PM

JL

“ *Joni Lavin lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Joni Lavin - May 11 at 07:12 PM



“ *The Wallace family is thinking about y'all.*



Marycarmen Wallace - May 11 at 06:59 PM

KS

“ *Kay Squires lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Kay Squires - May 11 at 06:41 PM

S1

“ *Sam P. Cochran Lodge No. 1335 lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten*



Sam P. Cochran Lodge No. 1335 - May 11 at 05:08 PM

S1

We mourn the loss of our beloved Masonic Brother

Sam P. Cochran Lodge No. 1335 - May 11 at 05:10 PM



“ *Leta Bitros Alcala lit a candle in memory of
Dustin Wooten* ”



Leta Bitros Alcala - May 11 at 03:43 PM

LC

“ *Lois Coltharp lit a candle in memory of Dustin
Wooten* ”



Lois Coltharp - May 11 at 02:21 PM

SH

“ *Shelby Hill lit a candle in memory of Dustin
Wooten* ”



Shelby Hill - May 11 at 02:14 PM



“ Jackie Monk lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten



Jackie Monk - May 11 at 01:24 PM



“ Amy Keltner lit a candle in memory of Dustin Wooten



Amy Keltner - May 11 at 12:53 PM