



Edwin Spurlin

August 22, 1945 - August 28, 2018

Edwin Doyle Spurlin passed away on August 28, 2018. He was born to Marie and Doyle Spurlin on August 22, 1945 in Cleburne, Tx. He attended Cleburne Schools and graduated from UTA with a degree in engineering. He worked for Dallas Power and Light and Texas Power and Light in Decatur and eventually moved to Terrell. Edwin was married to Grace and together they had two sons: Ed, Jr. and Neil Spurlin. He worked for TXU, DPL and Oncor before retiring after 40 years in the industry. In 1988, he married Carol Arnold and together they owned and operated Creative Florist in Terrell for many years. Retiring once more, Edwin and Carol sold the floral shop and moved to their weekend home in Lake Fork. Despite a lifetime of health issues, Edwin enjoyed his fishing, Scotch, and travel. He cherished his time with family and friends and lived a full life. A man of few words and quick wit, he was always ready to help anyone at a moment's notice with whatever they needed from computers to sprinklers and everything in between. Edwin is survived by his wife, Carol Spurlin; sons: Ed Spurlin, Jr. and wife, Leticia and Neil Spurlin and wife, Catherine; grandsons: William, Nicklaus, and Matthew; brothers: Ogden Spurlin and wife, Virginia, and Bobby Spurlin and wife, Jo, as well as nieces, nephews, extended family and a host of friends. Edwin lived his life as if he was invincible and, in many ways, he was. He will be sorely missed as he held a special place in so many lives. A celebration of Edwin's life will be at 11:00am, Monday, Sept. 3, 2018 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel with the family receiving friends beginning at 10:00am to service time. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that memorials be made in honor of Edwin to the Skin Cancer Foundation at www.skincancer.org or to the National Kidney Foundation for kidney transplant support at www.kidney.org.

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

SEP 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Max Slayton Funeral Chapel
642 N. Rockwall Ave.
Terrell, TX 75160

Celebration of Life

SEP 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Edwin Spurlin

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ Edwin was a wonderful person always giving of himself to others. My first memories are from when he first returned to public schools at Adams Elementary in Cleburne. One of his first acts was to introduce us to the game of chess, a game for which most of us were essentially unaware. But Ed had used his time at home fighting illness to become proficient at it. RIP, Edwin Spurlin.

Mike Hewlett - September 09, 2018 at 02:44 AM



“ Dear Carol,
It has been over 23 years since we lived in Terrell and were blessed to know folks like you and Ed. I always appreciated Ed as my doubles partner in tennis tournaments. He was so patient with me and a great tennis player. He was always such a helpful neighbor to our friend Kay when you lived next door to her. We know how much you'll miss him and will pray for your peace and comfort from our lord Jesus .
Blessings and love,
Edie Atkins

Edie Atkins, - September 03, 2018 at 09:25 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Edwin Spurlin.



September 01, 2018 at 11:03 PM



“ 62 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - September 01, 2018 at 01:30 PM

VP

“ Vance & I feel very fortunate to have known Edwin for the past 16 years. He was truly a sweet man and always had answers for almost anything. We will miss his sweet smile and sitting on the porch chatting about everything. He will be missed by all. Prayers for comfort for you Carol. We love you.

Vance & Luanne

Vance & Luanne Payne - August 31, 2018 at 03:01 PM

JR

“ We all lost a good friend and man and I will miss him and the good times we had together

Jack Rymer - August 31, 2018 at 01:05 PM

DD

“ David Nesser and staff at DTI* purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Edwin Spurlin.



David Nesser and staff at DTI* - August 31, 2018 at 10:42 AM

MC

“ We are so grateful to have been part of the journey. Our sympathy goes out to all the family as we have so many memories over the years. Mary Beth Callahan, DTI

Mary Beth Callahan - August 31, 2018 at 08:08 AM

HF

“ *Hernandez Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Edwin Spurlin.*



Hernandez Family - August 30, 2018 at 10:45 PM