



## Jerry Hare

October 27, 2023

Mr. Jerry Hare passed away on October 27, 2023. Jerry Doyle Hare was born on June 18, 1939, in Terrell, Texas to Weldon and Johnnie Hare. Jerry grew up watching the WWII planes fly over his home piloted by the British who were flying out of the Terrell training base and the new big bombers on test flights out of Ft. Worth. Jerry fell in love with airplanes at a very young age and spent his lifelong career in the aircraft and electronics industry. Being color vision challenged Jerry could not fly aircraft himself although he always wanted to. He took flight instruction lessons until his color perception was too big of an obstacle which caused him to stop pursuing flying.

Jerry went to Terrell public schools until graduating in 1957. After serving in the US Army, Jerry attended East Texas State University (Texas A&M Commerce) and graduated in 1966 with a Bachelor of Business Administration and had completed all required courses for Master of Business Administration. Jerry worked for several aircraft systems integration companies in Texas, Florida, and Saudi Arabia. Jerry was in marketing all of his career and was instrumental in obtaining many multi-million-dollar contract with the U.S. Government and foreign governments.

Jerry married Donna on January 4, 1991. To this union were brought three children; Scott Hare, Lori Cramer Barnes, and Brian Cramer; and spouses Mina Hare, Paul Barnes, and Meegan Cramer. Eight wonderful grandchildren; Brandi Hare and Kristen Hare- Escoto of Sachse, Steven, Matthew, and Kevin Barnes of Plano, Evyn, Andrew, and Camden Cramer of Dallas; and great-

granddaughter from Kristen, Bailey. Jerry's only child, Scott, was very special to him as he also considered Scott his best friend. Jerry has two sisters, Linda Sparks and Carolyn Schumann, both of whom live in Greenville, TX.

Jerry and Donna moved to Hideaway Lake in 2005 where golf was a major activity for both. Jerry served on the Board of Directors at Hideaway, co-founder of the Hideaway Scooter Group, past President of the Hideaway RV Club and delivered meals for Meals on Wheels for many years. Jerry and Donna were members of Hideaway Community Church. In 2019, Jerry and Donna moved to Frisco, Tx. They moved into a wonderful neighborhood which turned out to be a very special place. They made many wonderful friends and were very busy with activities with their friends.

Funeral services are scheduled for Monday, November 6, 2023 at Max Slayton Funeral Chapel at 11:00 a.m. with the family receiving guest one hour prior to service time.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Diabetes Association at: <https://diabetes.org/> or to Wounded Warrior Project at [www.woundedwarriorproject.org/](http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org/).

# Cemetery Details

## Locust Grove

Wills Point, TX 75160

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

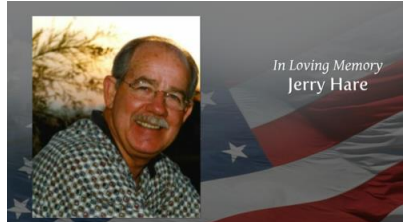
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# Tribute Wall



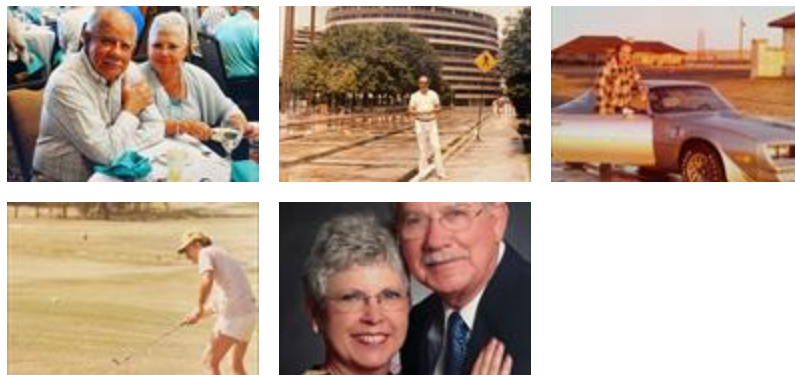
“ *Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerry Hare*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - November 08, 2023 at 11:18 AM



“ *170 files added to the album Memories Album*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - April 01, 2024 at 01:06 PM

IW

“ *My name is Ike Weaver, I was in Saudi Arabia the same time the Jerry and Donna were there. I enjoy visiting with Jerry, most of all I remember Jerry's great smile and his easy going nature. I wish that I could have seen him before he passed. It seems that the older I get the faster time passes me by. I offer my condolences to Jerry's family. God Bless*

Ike Weaver - November 04, 2023 at 10:34 PM

TN

“ *The Crazy Nines purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Jerry Hare.*



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**The Crazy Nines** - October 31, 2023 at 11:25 AM

DI

“ *Donna, we send our sincere condolences to you and your family. We both thought Jerry was a wonderful friend and loved by so many here in HAWL.*  
*Diann and Kyle*

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**Diann** - October 30, 2023 at 09:16 PM

DC

*To: Linda and Carolyn. In growing up my family lived next door to Jerry's. Jerry was the age of my older brother Ray Small. I knew his sisters' Linda and Carolyn. Thinking of them and their families during this sad time. I too know how they feel losing their brother. Thinking of them and sending sincere condolences to them and their family.*  
*Love, Doris Small Catterton and Johnny Small.*

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**Doris Small Catterton** - November 07, 2023 at 09:08 PM

DC

*Would like to hear from Linda and Carolyn*

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**Doris Small Catterton** - November 07, 2023 at 09:09 PM

DD

“ *Remembering a classmate with fond memories.*  
*Class of '57.*  
*♥ Della Stone Dafft*

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**Della Stone Dafft** - October 30, 2023 at 07:15 PM

BR

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Jerry will be missed by many people.*

*Prayers for you and your family.*

*-Brittney Richardson*

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**Brittney Richardson** - October 30, 2023 at 10:11 AM