



Marvin Joe Jaynes

November 25, 1933 - November 7, 2025

Marvin Joe Jaynes, 91, of Terrell, Texas, was born November 25, 1933, in Scurry, Texas, to Robert Lee and Annie Mae Jaynes, and entered his heavenly home on November 7, 2025.

He was married for 66 faithful years to the love of his life, Ann Bocquin Jaynes, who preceded him in death in 2022. Together they built a home marked by loyalty, strength, and deep Christian faith. He missed her every day after she passed, and his family takes comfort in knowing they are reunited in the presence of the Lord.

Joe was also preceded in death by his parents, his beloved brother, Bobby Jaynes, and other dear family members who went before him.

He is survived by his children, who were the pride of his life: son, Joe Jaynes and wife Shelley; son, David Jaynes and wife Darla; and son, Eddie Jaynes. He was "Papa" to a family he adored: grandchildren Treyson Brooks; Arielle Jaynes Fomby and husband Matt; Paige Jaynes Houser and husband Cale; Christian Jaynes and wife Cassidy; and Lexi Jaynes Holloway and husband Jordan. He is also survived by his sister-in-law, Sandra Jaynes; niece, Christi Jaynes Olivarez and husband Michael; numerous grandnieces and grandnephews; and his Kaufman County cousins, whom he loved to visit and swap stories with.

The first in his family to graduate from college, Joe spent over 30 years in the banking industry, specifically in the Trust Department, where he earned a reputation for integrity, steadiness, and genuine care for people. Clients often

said you simply couldn't ask for a better person to entrust your finances with. He took that responsibility seriously and it reflected his integrity.

A defining moment in his life came during his Army service (1954–1956).

While riding a train, he struck up a conversation with a missionary. That conversation changed everything. From that point on, Joe lived as a committed Christian for the rest of his life. Later Joe was an active member of First Assembly of God in Mesquite, then Hillview Terrace Assembly of God in Dallas, serving as a Deacon, Sunday School Teacher and on the Building Committee. He was never pushy about his faith, but you always knew where he stood. He was an avid reader of Max Lucado and loved to share Lucado's words and stories with his family—always something hopeful, always something about grace.

Joe also had a fun, outgoing side. For a time, he served as an auctioneer for Ducks Unlimited and loved telling stories about those days. He enjoyed people, community, and a good laugh. He could remember names, faces, and connections from years ago, especially from his Kaufman County and Terrell days.

More than anything, he was a family man. He showed up. He encouraged. He bragged on his kids and grandkids. And he lived in such a way that one of his sons said, "If he doesn't make it to heaven, none of us have a chance." That was Joe—steady, kind, generous, and faithful.

The family is grateful for the care and love shown to him in his later years and for the many friends who stayed in touch. Joe leaves behind a legacy of integrity, faith, and love. Again, we take comfort knowing that he is in heaven with the Lord and reunited with our Mom. Our world is dimmer without him, but heaven shines brighter.

Services are under the direction of Max Slayton Funeral Home in his hometown of Terrell. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, November 12 from 4:00pm-6:00pm at the funeral home. A graveside service will take place at 11:30am on Thursday, November 13 at the Dallas–Fort Worth National Cemetery in recognition of his service to our country.

In lieu of flowers, the family invites you to honor Joe by doing what he did best: love your family, keep your word, and walk with the Lord.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 12. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Graveside Service

NOV 13. 11:30 AM (CT)

Dallas/Ft. Worth National Cemetery
2000 Mountain Creek Parkway
Dallas, TX 75211

Tribute Wall

KP

“ We send our deepest sympathy and love to this wonderful family. What an outstanding man Joe Jaynes has always been. He was such a gentleman, so kind, and such a Godly man of faith. Our families have shared a rich history for many years. May the comfort of the Holy Spirit bring you peace and comfort. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Kay and Carmen Pulley

Kay Pulley - November 12, 2025 at 05:52 PM

DW

“ Joe was truly one of a kind. The sweetest- kindest- most amazing man. I loved him dearly and will miss him so very much.



Debbie Wright - November 12, 2025 at 11:28 AM

TI

“ Tina lit a candle in memory of Marvin Joe Jaynes



Tina - November 11, 2025 at 10:44 AM

TI

So sorry for the loss of a sweet loving caring Christian man My prayers and condolences to his Sons / family members Rest In Peace Marvin I enjoyed every minute with u Rest in Peace sweet Angel I'll see u one day 🙏🙏

Tina - November 11, 2025 at 10:47 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marvin Joe Jaynes.*



November 10, 2025 at 11:32 PM



“ *The Hanson Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Marvin Joe Jaynes.*



The Hanson Family - November 10, 2025 at 01:11 PM



“ *Where do I start... this entire family has treated me as one of them. They Took me in and fed me, treated me like a 4th son. He was one of the finest men to ever walk this earth. He led by example, he walked the walk and talked the talk. He made everyone around him want to be a better person. I know the impact he made on my life as a young man and even more as an adult will forever be part of what makes me the man I am today. Godspeed Brother. (Dad) Until we meet again. Love you.*



Bill James - November 09, 2025 at 11:06 PM

BJ

Where do I start... this man and family have treated me as one of their own. He would introduce me as his 4th son. I can tell you that he is one of the best men to ever walk on earth. He led by example. He walked the walk and talked the talk. His faith was always shining through. He made everyone around him want to be a better person. I know I did! I can not express what he has ment to me over the years. His council and guidance helped me in many aspects of my life. He will be missed by many. Until we meet again... Godspeed Brother, (Dad). Love you.

Bill James - November 09, 2025 at 11:21 PM

DJ

“ Don't even know where to start to say how much my dad ment to me. He was my best friend my hero the person I always went to with anything that life threw my way good or bad. Dad was a man of the highest Interigty ! I never heard dad use any profanity or speak any ill will towards anyone in my 64 yrs that I had him. Life will never be the same without you dad ! Another piece of my heart is gone I take comfort knowing that you are in that City that you spoke of everytime we were together. I am so thankful that I was with you day and night the last 7 days. I promise you this is not a goodbye but a see you later ! And I will be in that City where death will never separate us again! Look for I will be there too! Tell mom I love her and miss her terribly! And tell Christ I am on my way! Until then I miss you and Love you so much!

Your son David



David Jaynes - November 09, 2025 at 07:53 PM

BY

Love you so much and so blessed and thankful for your love for the word Eventually one day we will be together ❤️

Betty Young - November 14, 2025 at 02:03 PM

SM

“ *Joe Jaynes was the definition of a real Man.Christian a big Ole sweetheart. Neighbor for 60 years .Love from the McRae's he will never be forgotten. He's in a better place and there was no one prepared more than your Dad.R*

I.P.JOE cause I know you will. Much love from the McRae's



Scott McRae - November 09, 2025 at 01:39 PM