



Travis Stodghill

July 15, 1948 - November 16, 2025

To watch the livestream of the service, click the link below:

https://youtube.com/live/gwcCUSpko_E?feature=share

Travis Stodghill, 77, of Quinlan, Texas, went home to be with his Lord on Sunday, November 16, 2025, in Dallas, Texas, surrounded by his loving family after a sudden illness.

Born July 15, 1948, in Wichita Falls, Texas, to George and Ruby Stodghill, Travis grew up in Tyler and graduated from Chapel Hill High School in 1966. On February 21, 1969, he married the love of his life, Donna Snipes. Together they built a beautiful life filled with faith, family, and adventure, celebrating 56 years of marriage. A lifelong learner, Travis earned his Bachelor's degree from East Texas State University in Commerce and later completed Master's degrees in Science and Educational Administration.

For forty years, Travis poured his heart into education, shaping countless young lives in roles that included Agriculture Teacher, Science Teacher, Assistant Principal, Principal, and Facilities and Maintenance Director. He proudly served Elysian Fields ISD, Terrell ISD, and Scurry-Rosser ISD before retiring in 2015 from Kaufman ISD. Known for his wisdom, patience, kindness, and genuine care, he left a lasting mark on students and staff alike.

After retirement, Travis cherished the simple joys of tending the family farm, worshipping and serving at Rockwall and Brin Church of Christ, and spending precious time with Donna while watching his grandchildren grow. Time with family was always his greatest treasure.

Travis was preceded in death by his parents, George and Ruby Stodghill; his sister, Janeice Hargrave; and his sister-in-law, Linda Stodghill.

Left to cherish his memory are his devoted wife of 56 years, Donna Stodghill; his daughters, Angela Corder and husband Shawn, and Amy Brookshire and husband Zachary; his beloved grandchildren, Cindy, Claire, Boyce, Abel, and Eli; his brothers, Lyndon Stodghill and Dale Stodghill and wife Margie; brother-in-law Bob Hargrave; along with many nieces, nephews, extended family, former students, and dear friends who will miss him deeply.

Travis lived a life of quiet strength, deep faith, and unwavering love. He will be remembered as a faithful husband, proud father and grandfather, dedicated educator, and a true servant of God.

Rest in peace, Travis. Well done, good and faithful servant.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to:

Terrell SHARE Center 103 Jones Street Terrell, TX 75160 Phone: (972) 551-1729 Online donations: <https://terrellsharecenter.org/types-of-donations>
(Please note "In memory of Travis Stodghill" on your gift.)

Services for Travis will be held at 2:00 p.m., November 22, 2025 at the Rockwall and Brin Church of Christ in Terrell, Texas. The family will receive

friends one hour prior to service time.

Cemetery Details

Highland Memorial Gardens

Hwy 34 North
Terrell, TX 75160

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 22. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Rockwall and Brin Church of Christ
407 N. Rockwall Ave.
Terrell, TX 75160

Funeral Service

NOV 22. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Travis Stodghill*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - December 22, 2025 at 01:57 PM



“ *236 files added to the album Memories Album*



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - December 22, 2025 at 01:57 PM

DD

“ *Travis was a quiet and steady man. I'm praying for Donna and the entire family.*

David Dargel - December 09, 2025 at 12:10 PM

BH

“ *Bob Hargrave lit a candle in memory of Travis Stodghill*



Bob Hargrave - November 23, 2025 at 10:44 AM

BW

“ *Travis was one of the kindest and most trustworthy people I have ever known.
His life was a living example of what a person should strive to be. Quiet, calm and trusted. These are the words that come to mind as I remember him. We worked together in various roles over the years and he was always the same....During good times and bad. I will miss him greatly.
Bruce Wood*

Bruce Wood - November 22, 2025 at 01:37 PM

EK

“ *He was a great friend and always looking out for his students. Great bus driver for Amy and Eric way back then. Loved this man . Praying for your family. Love to all. ❤️❤️🙏🙏☐☐*



Elaine Kasper - November 22, 2025 at 11:07 AM

SP

“ Susan & Ray Pinson lit a candle in memory of Travis Stodghill



Susan & Ray Pinson - November 22, 2025 at 10:55 AM

BS

“ Brandon, Danielle, Vincent and Samantha purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Travis Stodghill.



Brandon, Danielle, Vincent and Samantha - November 22, 2025 at 10:08 AM

PR

“ Travis will be missed by so many. I taught at Phillips Elementary, and he was my Vice Principal. I will always remember him singing “ I’ve got a smile on my face, yes I do”. And he did. Travis loved his family, his staff and the students. He was such a kind soul who made the world a better place. Keep smiling Travis!

Pam Rogers - November 22, 2025 at 09:40 AM

FT

“ French and Tapp planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Travis Stodghill.

French and Tapp - November 21, 2025 at 02:15 PM

FT

“ French and Tapp purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Travis Stodghill.



French and Tapp - November 21, 2025 at 02:15 PM

KS

“ Dear Donna, Angela, Amy & family,
We were so sorry to hear about Travis. He was a great man whom we are thankful to have called our friend. Keeping all of you in our thoughts and prayers now & in the days to come.
With sincere sympathy & love,
Karo, Wilson, Duane & family



Karo Stewart - November 20, 2025 at 04:44 PM

KH

“ Kristal H. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Travis Stodghill.

Kristal H. - November 20, 2025 at 01:36 PM

LI

“ Travis was part of our family at Phillips Elementary and he did all he could to support his teachers and students. He went above and beyond to create a happy atmosphere for learning. He will definitely be missed! We all loved Travis!

Lou Irby - November 20, 2025 at 11:44 AM

CL

“ We are very sad to hear the news of Mr. Stodghill. He was a very nice man that always had a smile on his face and was never in a bad mood. He was a long time customer of our little store and lived right down the road and would wave every time he passed by. Rest in peace Mr Stodghill you will be missed!



From,
Pritchett Oil & Grocery Staff
Chiann, Megan, Jennifer and Julia

Chiann Long - November 19, 2025 at 01:18 PM



“ MR. Stodghill was my high school principal all 4 yrs at Scurry-Rosser. I never knew that he and my late mother shared the same birthday, except she was born in 1959 and passed in 06. He was a very fair man and I don't recall ever having any bad visits with him. He was very caring of all of the students and he will def be missed. I was very sad to hear of his passing. My heartfelt condolences to all of his family and loved ones. Until we meet again. Thank u for great high school memories Sir. God speed.

Tricia Hardy - November 18, 2025 at 06:45 PM

JR

“ Joseph and Jennifer Russell purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Travis Stodghill.



Joseph and Jennifer Russell - November 18, 2025 at 11:28 AM

JR

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DH

“ Mr S was my high school physical science teacher and I still use the practical things he taught me 45+ years later. Years after high school he still knew you and would be glad to talk. I am glad I had the chance to tell him how he provided a positive experience in teaching. RIP Travis, you will be missed

Dempsy Harper - November 18, 2025 at 10:54 AM

JH

So sorry to hear about Travis. Longtime friend from school and church. Prayers for the family. Travis, save us a place in that beautiful kingdom. Bill and Jinny Hood

Jinny Hood - November 18, 2025 at 05:43 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Travis Stodghill.



November 18, 2025 at 09:54 AM

SS

“ He was my HS principal and he was a good one. Gentleman yet firm and fair. We had a lot of good times @ SR. R.I.P. Mr. Stodg. Praying for his family and all of us who loved him. ❤️🙏

Sandy Spurlock-Hudspeth - November 17, 2025 at 10:35 PM

JD

“ He was my principal when I was in school. He was the absolute sweetest person. He always use to tell me always strive an work hard will pay off. Prayers to his sweet family.
Jennifer grumbling

Jennifer Delafuente - November 17, 2025 at 09:27 PM