



## Ronald Ronnie Doggett

August 31, 1944 - August 15, 2022

Funeral Services for Ronald "Ronnie" Doggett, 77 of Giddings, Texas will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 20, 2022 at the First Baptist Church in Giddings with Tim Pitts officiating. A graveside service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 21, 2022 at the Blackwell Cemetery in Blackwell, Texas.

Ronald "Ronnie" Doggett was born on August 31, 1944 in Ballinger, Texas to Sadie Inez (Watts) and William Cleatus Doggett and never let them rest a day after. His legend began there and continued to Pecos, where he almost graduated but was encouraged instead to finish at Blackwell High School in 1963. Choosing to study agriculture at San Angelo College, he honed his 2-step, practiced his bull-riding, engaged in pranks with his fellow students, and built on his portfolio of fantastic stories. A result of his lack of emphasis on books there led him to choose the inevitable and report for duty in the U.S. Air Force where he was an M.P. in the 377th at Tan Son Nhut. Service to his country was his proudest accomplishment. After Vietnam, he returned to Randolph Air Force Base and became a presidential guard.

He was most proud of his beautiful bride, Margaret (Silvers) and they were married in May 1966 before we went to war. Though full of jokes and always looking for fun, he was a sentimental, nostalgic person, and he never tired of talking about how she was the best and smartest in everything she was,

including wife, mother, and in the end, nurse.

Ronnie was the best dad in the world to Holly, Shelly, and Clint. He made each of them feel as if they were his favorite child, and he did everything he could to make sure they knew how much they were loved and that they could accomplish anything. He gave them the gifts of humor, joy, curiosity, creativity, kindness, self-worth, and an unending smile.

“Daddy Dog” to Lydia, James, and Elayne, he thought they were just about the neatest people around. His upbringing in a loving and joyful home spilled over into the lives of his own family.

Ronnie appreciated things. In his younger years, he loved bottle hunting in the west Texas desert. The stories about the things he had were unending—his collections and things passed down from family members brought him great joy. He was the last one to leave a museum exhibit. He always had a stack of books, and he was reading them all (often to you, whether you liked it or not!) Always curious, he had many hobbies, and he was a creative and prolific leather crafter who loved all things “cowboy.”

His work in the oil field took him from west Texas to New Mexico, Oklahoma, central Texas, and Kansas. He drove hundreds of miles to drilling rigs all over the state, always with his cameras and part of his knife collection in tow. An excellent storyteller, he gathered as many of those as he did friends through his long career as a drilling fluids engineer.

Ronnie received fulfillment from giving. He was a member and deacon of First Baptist Church in Giddings for many years and spent unending hours serving in a number of roles. He enjoyed his time delivering Christmas gifts through the Baptist Men, was a Sunday School teacher, and fundraiser.

On Monday, August 15, 2022, he passed away at home at the age of 77 years, 11 months, and 15 days.

Ronnie was preceded in death by his parents and his brothers, Wayne C. and Billy Bob Doggett.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Margaret; children and their spouses, Holly and Daryl Turicek, Shelly and Johnny Line, and Clinton and Veronika Doggett; grandchildren, Lydia Line, James Line, and Elayne Doggett; cousins; nieces; nephews; and so very many friends.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Brazos Valley, First Baptist Church in Giddings, or to the charity of one's choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Blackwell Cemetery

Texas 70  
Blackwell, TX 79506

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

AUG 20. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church - Giddings  
600 Sunrise Avenue  
Giddings, TX 78942

## Graveside Service

AUG 21. 2:00 PM (CT)

Blackwell Cemetery  
Texas 70  
Blackwell, TX 79506

# Tribute Wall

DO

“ *I worked with Mr. Ronnie. Such a sweet, kind man. I miss his wise cracks about my bad driving. Heaven has gained a beautiful soul!!*

**Docia** - September 01, 2022 at 06:48 PM

HD

*Thank you for sharing this, Docia. It was so kind of you to take the time. :) :)*

**holly doggett** - September 09, 2022 at 09:50 AM

HB

“ *Ronnie was a very special friend. We enjoyed some great times together around Pecos. Ronnie, Margaret and three other couples went for a long weekend to Ruidoso NM and shared a rental house together. As usual Ronnie was the life of the group.*

*I am sad to hear of his passing.*

*So long my friend*

*Halley Brookshire  
Pecos, Texas*

**Halley Brookshire** - August 25, 2022 at 01:59 AM

CS

“ *Cheryl Friedrich Iselt Sanders lit a candle in memory of Ronald Ronnie Doggett*



**Cheryl Friedrich Iselt Sanders** - August 20, 2022 at 05:41 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



August 19, 2022 at 03:58 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



August 19, 2022 at 12:26 PM



“ *Rebecca Sherrill lit a candle in memory of Ronald Ronnie Doggett*



**Rebecca Sherrill** - August 19, 2022 at 11:44 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



August 19, 2022 at 11:07 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.* ”



August 19, 2022 at 10:17 AM



“ *Mary McClish lit a candle in memory of Ronald Ronnie Doggett* ”



**Mary McClish** - August 18, 2022 at 09:25 PM



“ *Edward Crist purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.* ”



**Edward Crist** - August 18, 2022 at 02:00 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.* ”



August 18, 2022 at 12:59 PM

TM

“ Teresa Siegeler Muniz lit a candle in memory of Ronald Ronnie Doggett



Teresa Siegeler Muniz - August 18, 2022 at 09:49 AM

LI

“ I worked with Ronnie at Camp Texas and thought he was a great guy. Definitely will remember his great smile and kindness. My sympathy to the family. God's blessings to all of you.



Linda - August 18, 2022 at 08:57 AM

HD

Thank you, Linda--so happy to hear you have good memories of my dad!

Holly Doggett - August 24, 2022 at 05:02 PM

SM

“ Ronnie was among my dearest high school friends. He always made us laugh and loved scaring us by driving across Sullivan Bridge at 100 mph, while we screamed. That's only one of many stories. My mother always said he had the prettiest smile, and she was right. My heart is heavy tonight. I send my condolences to Margaret and to all of his family. I'm so proud to have been his friend. Suzanne Barker Massey

suzanne Barker Massey - August 17, 2022 at 08:20 PM

HD

*Suzanne, thank you for this lovely memory! I am going to collect it in a safe place with the other fun stories of his life. He had a great smile and used it all the time. -Holly*

**Holly Doggett** - August 24, 2022 at 05:04 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



August 17, 2022 at 07:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



August 17, 2022 at 03:56 PM

AC

“ *All Pernecky, Turicek, & Chojnacki Clans purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



**All Pernecky, Turicek, & Chojnacki Clans** - August 17, 2022 at 12:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.*



August 17, 2022 at 10:59 AM



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**Holly Doggett** - August 17, 2022 at 09:48 AM



*Holly, Shelley, and Clint - I am so very sorry for the loss of your daddy. May God grant you peace knowing he has been restored. My sincere sympathy to you all. -Melissa D. Maass, LVT*

**Melissa Maass** - August 18, 2022 at 09:48 AM



*Thank you, Melissa. He was one of a kind!*

**Holly Doggett** - August 24, 2022 at 05:05 PM



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**Holly Doggett** - August 17, 2022 at 09:46 AM

HD

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**Holly Doggett** - August 17, 2022 at 09:45 AM

JR

*I love all of these pictures. Such a beautiful couple and beautiful family.*

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**Jonny Doggett Ropes** - August 17, 2022 at 10:30 PM

HD

*Thank you, Jonny.*

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**Holly Doggett** - August 24, 2022 at 05:05 PM

MS

“ *Michelle Schuetz lit a candle in memory of  
Ronald Ronnie Doggett*



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**Michelle Schuetz** - August 17, 2022 at 09:20 AM

JR

“ I knew Ronnie working in the Texas oilfields. He was the kind of friend a friend would be proud to have. He was somehow funny and serious at the same time. Ronnie was always a great mentor of God's word. I know that when Ronnie closed his eyes here on earth, he opened them in the Heavenly presence of our Lord and savior who said Welcome Home My Faithful Servant! 🙏  
May God grant peace to his family  
Rest in Peace my friend 💙

James (Jimmy) Roberts - August 16, 2022 at 11:50 PM

HD

Thank you, Jimmy. -Holly

Holly Doggett - August 17, 2022 at 09:52 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald Ronnie Doggett.



August 16, 2022 at 09:39 PM