



Douglas Roland Daniel

May 26, 1972 - July 7, 2018

Douglas Roland Daniel, 46, of Bedford, TX, passed away Saturday, July 7, 2018. He was born May 26, 1972 in Irving, TX to Roland Gooch Daniel, Jr. and Merry Ellen (Fredeen) Daniel. Doug was a graduate of MacArthur High School in Irving, TX. He received his B.S. and M.A. degrees from Dallas Baptist University and was a Corporate Wellness Coordinator and Personal Trainer. Doug was a kind-hearted, fun-loving Christian who loved music, fishing, watersports, the outdoors, and his dogs. He was a loyal friend to many. Doug is survived by his mother, Merry Ellen of Bedford, TX and multiple aunts, uncles, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his father, Roland. Visitation will be held 9:00AM-10:00AM, Friday, July 13, 2018 at First Eules in Eules, TX and the funeral service will begin at 10:00AM with Ron Proctor and Tim Walker officiating. Interment will follow at Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park in Colleyville, TX. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

To send a flower arrangement to the family of Douglas Roland Daniel, please [click here](#) to visit our Sympathy Store.

Tribute Wall



“ *DBU days*

April 08, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Justin and I were so sad to hear about Doug, we both loved him so much. Mary Ellen, we are praying for you and so terribly sorry for your loss. Doug was such a great friend to me at DBU and FBCE, and separately he was such a great friend to Justin. We loved having him in our wedding, as a great friend to both of us. We are thankful for the hope of heaven but will keep praying for you - Doug loved you so much. We wish we could have come up for his service, we would love to hug you and share our love for your son. Asking Jesus to be so near, meeting every need.*

Jennifer (Sims) Wells - August 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Its been a month, and I miss you each day!!! Its so silent now, your special ring tone hasnt gone off...one day my friend, will see you again...*

August 07, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *It is never easy to lose a loved one, I pray you find comfort in Gods promise found at John 6:40 which says that soon we will see all our loved ones again. My deepest condolences to the family.*

August 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ We both grew up in Irving, but didn't meet until college. I met Doug freshman year at DBU, 1991. We became great friends right off the bat. He was so sweet and always smiling. We had several classes together, so we would walk together each morning to class. Some mornings Doug would not get up with his alarm, so I would call his room to wake him up. Problem was....it never woke him up, but always woke his suite mates up! It was so embarrassing bc they were mostly upper classmen. Haha! He thought it was funny. Sweet Doug..I remember how much he adored his parents. We lost touch after we graduated, but I have often wondered how he was doing. I know he is so happy be reunited with his dad. Merry Ellen, I am so sorry for the loss of your son. He was a great friend I will always remember.

Beth Bevill Hebert - July 18, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ So thankful for Doug Daniel. He was so important in the lives of many students at First Baptist Euless. We are most thankful for the time he invested in our son, Sam. He loved Sam exactly where he was, and found joy in who he was. He was fun, loving and patient. He was in our home many times just loving on our boy. That boy is now a man and a music minister and Doug had much impact on his life. I know when the Whitleys get to heaven we will all rejoice in the legacy he left on our family.

Randy & Zoe Ann Whitley - July 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Doug was such a kind and caring person. He will be missed by all of us who had the good fortune to know him.

Beth Fredeen - July 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“*Doug Daniel was one if the finest young men we Knew. He love his sweet Mom & took great care of her. He took her on & paid for an Alaskan Cruise a couple weeks before his passing. What great memories for her. He was also a great Christian & loved the Lord very much. His Mom, Merry Ellen did a wonderful job raising him.*

July 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“*Here to celebrate your life, Doug.A man that was: Determine, Outstanding, Understanding, and Generous to every single life he touched during his season at Amazon. Thank you, Doug, for your friendship and leadership as an Ambassador.It's a privilege and honor to have known you, we were Team, DFW8.*

Pam Davis - July 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“*...loosing a friend is never easy, loosing one like this one is very hard...he had so much to offer, so much more to do... May he soar on wings like eagles; May he run and not grow weary, may He walk and not be faint.*

Stephanie Hines - July 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“*In memory of a wonderful person. You are the type of person who brings a big ray of sunshine everywhere you go! Doug, it was always a pleasure to see you and work with you and your awesome mom for years at the annual Science Olympiad event. You are always willing to help others and you will be missed here.*

July 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ My heart and sincere condolences go out to Doug's family. Doug has a gentle soul, and was a friend to anyone he met. I will miss him at work, but know he has found a greater peace, of the kind we all hope to find. He was very much loved, and will be there to greet us in heaven.

Dave Naber - July 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

YW

“ Doug was a very happy person! Always have big smile on his face. Always enjoy talking to him..

Yann Wang - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Doug was a great guy I worked with him at Amazon DFW8 here in Irving he had such a caring soul and was a all around great guy who will be greatly missed.

LaTerica Williams - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ My deepest condolences to your family. You will be missed. Always a smile and a greeting to make sure we had a great day. You brought a spark everyday with your smile

Carol Luna - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ He was a friendly person and you truly will be miss. Praying for your family

Teressa Booker - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ One of the Hardest Workers that I have had the pleasure to work with while at Amazon. My family and I send our deepest condolences to the Daniel Family.

Jared Peterson - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Doug, I will cherish our conversations about the beautiful NC. Your DFW8 Amazon Family will miss you dearly. Chesare

Chesare Bullock - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ My deepest condolences to the family for the loss of your loved one. May God comfort you and wrap his loving arms around you and give you strenght in your grief.

Juanita Murray - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.

Carolyn Henderson - July 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ My heart dropped when I heard the news. I will never forget the time we spent at Amazon. From the weekend warriors to ambassador all the way thru peek. From figuring out who was going to load what truck in pit. From the advice that I gave to you and you to me. Our conversation will truly be missed. It won't be the same as I am leaving work and your not coming in.

Terry Morris - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ It's hard to forget someone who gave us so much at DFW8. We will truly miss your smiling face. Always and forever RIP. And I will keep your family in my prayers as they deal with such a big loss of a wonderful man. God bless your family. We will miss you Doug

Roslyn Washington - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ In loving memory of a wonderful person. We will love you and miss you always.

Michael Henderson - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ First and foremost my Deepest Condolences too the family. He was an outstanding person loved working with him, he always had kind words to say to everyone he will be greatly miss

Gunella Hodge - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ Doug was a special guy. God brought him into my life during Grad school at DBU and Doug introduced me to First Euleess. Praying for you, Mary Ellen, during this difficult time. When we all get to heaven, what a day of rejoicing that will be! Love and prayers! Tresa Dixon Gamblin

Tresa Dixon Gamblin - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Doug was a wonderful coworker at Amazon. A hardworking guy. One of the most nicest guys I have ever met. He will be truly missed. On behalf of Dougs coworkers at Amazon, we send our prayers and condolences to the family.

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CE

“ I knew Doug since he was a little boy growing up at MacArthur Blvd. Baptist Church in Irving. He was a sweet precious child & grew into a sweet, good looking young man. My thoughts & prayers are with you Merry Ellen & your entire family. May God wrap you in His loving arms in the days ahead.

Carolyn Holeman Elkins - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GJ

“ Doug!!! We fixed your doorbell! Give us a ring sometime! Thanks so much for your time with us! We always knew you had a huge heart - you didn't have to prove it ;-) We will miss your smiling face forever. Say hi to your dad! Give Jessie, Cheyenne, and Lady a big hug from us! Don't worry about your mom or Theo... we'll keep watch. (Besides, the doorbell works now.) Finally... y' like what I put as our "relationship"? (Ha! LOL! Gotcha again!) But seriously, my whole family loves you... I hope you know that :-) Be well! Keep in touch!

Greg J - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ I am so very sorry for your loss, Merry Ellen.

Roxy Goss - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ Doug I am so sad I will no longer see your smiling face, no longer be in your presence. While the pain is so fresh, one day it may ease, but the memories of all the years I knew you, and enjoyed our time, will last forever and beyond. God Bless

Rosa Jose - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

VN

“ My sincere prayers for God to give you strength at this time & in the days ahead. If you should need anything, please know I am available.

Virginia Nation - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ Summerfest, Winterfest..... Doug, you always made everyone feel like they belonged. Your family's welcoming attitude and mentoring to the youth has stayed with me forever. Thank you for your friendship. Merry Ellen, thank you for your ministry to me as a youth and in college. Love you, Mrs. Gooch.

Garrick Mcduffie - July 10, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ You are gone to early, we had football season coming up, and many other Star Wars movies to see and criticize...I dont know if I should cry or yell at you!!! I cant believe the one person who got my sarcastic humor can be gone!!! We had many more concerts to discuss, and fantasy football bets...will always remember when the Saints won the Super Bowl, I won that bet big time!!! You were always behind the curtain, and always knew what to say when I facing a hard time...you even gave me good parent advice, I was looking forward to discussing my sons football career with you!!! I already miss not being able to text you or call to discuss this discussion on why the next Star Wars movies were on hold!!! Dammit I want to yell at you for liking Solo!!! Ugh why!!! I mean seriously!!! One day soon we will hug and I will yell and you will laugh and tell me Im to serious!!! I miss you already, our complicated relationship, friendship...whatever you wanna call it!!! We said it at one time or another to each other, whether it was being funny or to end an argument...I will always love you!!! Forever and always Ms Marvel!!!

July 09, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *Merry Ellen, please know you are on my heart and in my prayers. I rejoice with you in knowing you'll see him again. His faith is now sight.*

Charolette Robeson - July 09, 2018 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ *You are the man Johnny Cods!! Enjoyed our talks in college. See you soon!*

Howie Howeth - July 09, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ *Doug was one of a kind! So many wonderful memories. My favorite is our candle light dinner at his house - he used every candle in the house (and it didn't burn down!) it will be a glorious day when we are all together again! Love you, brother!*

Tiffany Crenshaw - July 09, 2018 at 12:00 AM