



## Clarence Douglas Jackson

September 12, 1951 - March 30, 2018

Doug Jackson, 66, of Stuttgart, AR, died Friday, March 30, 2018 in Stuttgart, AR. Mr. Jackson was born September 12, 1951 in Shreveport, LA. He was preceded in death by his father, Olan Jackson and grandparents, Clarence and Ora Lee Spyres.

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Hollye and Pat Perry, three grandsons, Hunter, Austin and Nolan Perry, all of Saginaw, TX; his mother and stepfather, Bettye and Joe McCright of Texarkana, AR; one sister and brother-in-law, Cindy and Bobby Hannibal of Foreman, AR, five brothers and sisters-in-law Randy and Robin Jackson of Cale, AR; Jerry and Karen Jackson of Ashdown, AR; Hank and Pam Watlington of Greenwood, OK; Wayne and Sabrina Watlington of Mart, TX and Wow and Jackie Sue Watlington of Texarkana, TX; sister Mary Jane Lavender of Airton, AL and thirteen nieces and nephews and a number of other relatives and friends.

Memorial services will be Monday, April 2, 2018 at 2:00 pm at Gravely Cemetery with Pastor Trent Liggin officiating.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Clarence Douglas Jackson*

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October 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *profound sadness , a brilliant song master, cherished memories of the many hours listening and sharing. rest with the angels doug. another pal talk angel ..*

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**rachel swedinovich - Fall River, MA - Friend** - June 09, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am deeply sadden by Dougs passing. He was a very talented musician/songwriter. Sending our thoughts and prayers to Dougs Family.*

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**Jeff Krumholt - Colyell, LA - Friend** - June 09, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ To the Family of Doug Jackson, first of all I would like to say how sorry I am, and send my deepest sympathy. I have been doing some co-writing with Doug, and he was working on a few of my songs, and I have been trying to contact him for days, until last night I found on his Facebook page that he passed away. The shock and tears set in. I last heard from him on the evening of March 28th, and he said he had a few questions to ask me about my song, but we could talk about it the next day. He was excited that he finally came up with the music for my song, and knew how much the song meant to me. I had repeatedly sent him messages to his Twitter, his N1M, and email to see if he was okay, and knew it wasn't like him not to at least get a message to me. But he did say he was stressed about getting things ready for his taxes, so thought maybe he was working on that. I am not a fan of Facebook, but have an account there and Jennifer who will be singing a song that Doug put the music to asked me if I checked his Facebook page, so when we went there, the shock I felt when I saw the post he had pasted away. Doug knew that my favorite song of his is "Memories of You" and now that song becomes even more dear to me. I felt that Doug had such a warm heart and always seemed to know just what to say at just the right time. I feel forever blessed to have known Doug even though it was only for a short while. He had plans of working with me and to help teach me more about songwriting, he truly was a master at songwriting. I told him he was a diamond in the rough and should have been found out years ago, he had such a wonderful talent, and I am so happy that he was able to share that talent with the world, he said he was never in it for the fame and fortune, he just wanted to leave behind something for the family and generations to come. So to you Doug, Thank you my dear Friend, you were Appreciated so much more than you'll never know~ Sheri Lynn

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Sheri Lynn Burkhardt - Valley Springs, CA - Friend - April 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ To my memory of Doug. Your passing comes to me as a shock, as you were too young. We became friends over 1 1/2 years ago. You and I became close friends thru our emails and spent hours talking about our lives on the phone. You touched my heart and soul thru your awesome music. You were gifted and touched all of our lives with your music talent. Your talent as singer/songwriting touched our hearts in so many ways. I will remember our 7 to 8 hours on the phone as neither one of us wanted to hang up. You sang songs to me on the phone, talked about new lyrics and talent on the music website. You had some amazing stories of your life, and I got to know you as my best friend and loved you very much. I Bless your Journey from this Earth and look forward to seeing you again beyond this world. My sympathy and love to his mom, daughter, sister, brothers and all the family. May God give you comfort. I send all my love to you.

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**Kay Wallims - San Diego, CA - friend** - April 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ These pictures are from the early 1990's. Our group had many good times at deer & fish camp. I always looked forward to the guys picking up their guitars. Doug could play a 12-string and had a wonderful voice.

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**Barbara Jones - Lockesburg, AR - Friend** - April 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ To his daughter, wife, mother, grandchildren and his sister and brothers: I am so sorry about the passing of my first cousin, Doug Jackson. His father, Olan, and my father Ivy, were brothers. Several years ago when his father Olan passed away, I went to the visitation in Marshall, but regrettably did not go to the graveside service where all four of his children were there. It would have been the first time in over 60 years that I would have seen all four of my first cousins together. I have regretted not going so many times. The last time I saw Doug was at his grandmother's funeral (Emma Jackson) in 1995 where we served as pallbearers. Doug was a man full of life and charisma. I extend my sincerest sympathy to all of you. His father was so proud of his children. Doug leaves a rich legacy and for that you have comfort. God Bless you all.

Glenn Jackson - Shreveport, LA - family - April 05, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ Rest in peace old friend. Keep playing that sweet music!

Richard Johnson - Hot Springs Village, AR - Classmate - April 04, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Sorry to hear of Doug's passing! Now he will be playing music in heaven for all to hear....rest in peace Doug until we cross paths again.....

Debbie Griffin - Slidell, LA - friend - April 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MF

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

Marlene Riley - Denison, TX - friend - April 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ So sorry for your family's loss. My prayers are with you all.

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**Scotteen Estes - Kilgore, TX - Friend** - April 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ RIP Doug

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**Sue Harvey - Palm Desert, CA - Friend** - April 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Totally distraught in hearing of my Classmate and close friend Doug Jackson passing away. Doug enjoyed picking on a Guitar back in our High School Days, and for some reason I just knew he'd get good at it. I'll miss you Doug, and until we meet again, ... keep playing and singing on the Heavenly Streets Of Gold.

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**Daniel Siau - Batesville, AR - Classmate** - April 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM