

Dr. Quentin Burnett

September 18, 1952 - June 12, 2019

Funeral services for Dr. Quentin Burnett, 66, of Cushing, will be at 11:00 a.m., Monday, June 17, 2019 at Calvary Baptist Church with Rev. Frank Lane officiating. Interment will follow at Glenfawn Cemetery under the direction of Crawford - A. Crim Funeral Home of Henderson.

Family will receive friends one hour before the service at the church.

Dr. Burnett passed away Wednesday, June 12, 2019 at his residence. He was born Sept. 18, 1952 in Commerce, TX to the late Floyd and Ruth Burnett. He was Superintendent for the Argyle ISD, Greenwood ISD, and Johnson City ISD. Quentin went on to serve as Associate Superintendent of Finance at Birdville ISD and later retired as Chief Financial Officer for Lewisville ISD. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Lyle Burnett, and sister, Barbara Jane Burnett.

Survivors include: his wife, Amy Burnett of Cushing; son, Eric Burnett and wife Annie of Coppell; daughter, Audrey Burnett Harris and husband Jeff of Austin; step-daughter, Kimberly Wiginton of Midland, and step-son, Michael Wiginton of Cushing; grandchildren, Sydney and Ian Burnett; brother, Chandler Burnett and wife Janet of Whitesboro; and sister-in-law, Gayla Burnett Blackmon of

Lake Kiowa.

Pallbearers will be Brian Burnett, Kirk Burnett, Jason Burnett, Kevin Burnett, Dustin Mule', and Ched Lambert.

Condolences may be made at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Cemetery Details

Glenfawn

Glenfawn community, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Baptist Church
410 N. Marshall St.
Henderson, TX 75652

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *I remember Mr. Burnett when I was in high school at Flour Bluff back in the early 80's. He was a no-nonsense guy, which, looking back, the school needed that at the time. He gave me, and my friends some, how should I say, well deserved spankings. I'll never forget that. He was a good man, and I'm sorry to hear of his passing....Ace Tyler*

Ace Tyler - November 29, 2020 at 12:49 AM

DA

“ *I was shocked to hear of Quentin's passing and sorry I was out of state at the time. My sympathy to Amy, Eric and Audrey, Chandler & Janet, grandchildren, nieces and nephews.*

The last I heard from cousin Quentin was about a year ago---he told me about the move to East Texas and the pine trees he and Amy planted. He invited me and my husband to visit sometime, but we never got around to it.

I will always remember his mother's nickname for him & I will not mention it here!

Godspeed Quentin, heaven has a new angel!

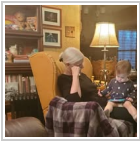
Cousin Donna

Donna Allen - July 10, 2019 at 06:25 PM

WW

*“ I so enjoyed working under Quentin's direction. He had a wonderful sense of humor and he always kept a positive outlook. He was always gracious and complemented one for a job well done. I respected his educational projections and planning for our district's growth. He will be missed by myself and many others.
Wendy Warner*

Wendy Warner - June 24, 2019 at 10:34 PM



“ Amy and family...I am so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Harolyn Copeland Dennie - June 21, 2019 at 08:38 AM



“ I was deeply saddened to hear of the passing Dr. Quentin Burnett. Dr. Burnett was a valued member of RSFLOA & board president. I personally will miss his wit and humor but also his valued leadership as our board President.

Sheila Stein - June 19, 2019 at 10:38 PM

AF

*“ Quentin was good people. We used to joke that he was almost my high school basketball coach. He represented the best of school leadership and will be missed.
Alton Frailey*

Alton Frailey - June 18, 2019 at 09:54 PM

DW

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of an old friend and fellow Administrator. Really a quality individual that had an impact on many students, parents and employees. Dr. Joe Wardell

Dr. Joe Wardell - June 17, 2019 at 10:48 AM

JV

“ I extend my heartfelt condolences to the family. I have known Quentin as a friend and colleague for more than 25 years and worked closely with him through the Texas Association of School Administrators. He was a dedicated and highly respected leader in public education. I had the special honor of working with him during his service as a leader in our professional association, first as a member of the executive committee and ultimately as TASA President in 1998-99. He has left a great legacy for school leaders throughout the state and will be missed.

*Johnny Veselka
Executive Director Emeritus
Texas Association of School Administrators*

Johnny Veselka - June 17, 2019 at 10:46 AM

JE

“ Jana R. Enloe lit a candle in memory of Dr. Quentin Burnett



Jana R. Enloe - June 17, 2019 at 10:05 AM

MT

“ Amy,

I am so sorry for your loss. Quentin brought a smile and laughter into every room. I am sorry I can't attend the service today. I am praying for you and your family.

Mark Thomas

Mark Thomas - June 17, 2019 at 09:20 AM

RM

“ *Dr. Burnett brought an unrelenting positive energy to the Rusk/Smith County Forest Landowner Association (RSCFLA) that cannot be duplicated. He "raised the bar" for leadership in our organization to a new height. His quick wit and disarming authenticity put association members at ease and provided a reassuring sense of focus and direction to the Executive Board.*

We thank GOD and the Burnett family for sharing him with RSCFLA.

RSCFLA Membership

RSCFLA Membership - June 17, 2019 at 01:03 AM

LR

“ *Lindsey Risinger lit a candle in memory of Dr. Quentin Burnett*



Lindsey Risinger - June 16, 2019 at 03:11 PM

VW

“ I had the great privilege to work with Dr. Burnett as his Adm Assistant at Lewisville ISD. He always treated his staff with the utmost respect and kindness. His love for his family was always evident when he shared family stories, with such great fondness. It saddens me this giant of a person was taken away from us so soon. I am sure Heaven is enjoying his stories about Texas. I have never known anyone that knew Texas history like Dr. Burnett. My sincere condolences to the family.

Vanice Wells - June 16, 2019 at 11:25 AM



“ Dr. Burnett was one of the finest men I knew in Education Leadership. He was always honest, patient and respectful. He leaves a great legacy and many of us in Education make better decisions and ask better questions because of what he taught us. Prayers and blessings to Amy and the family.

*Tracy Scott Miller
LISD Board of Trustees
Vice President*

Tracy Miller - June 15, 2019 at 12:31 PM

GD

“ Dr. Burnett was a great coach when I was in high school. He was great Superintendent at Greenwood ISD while my kids were there. His leadership qualities and caring attitude will ever endure thru those of us who were blessed to know him.

Gary Dunkerson

Gary Dunkerson - June 15, 2019 at 08:47 AM

DK

“ I am so sorry to hear about Mr. Burnett. He was one of my favorite customers at Tractor Supply. I will miss his amazing smile and wonderful sense of humor.



Debbie Kline - June 14, 2019 at 07:41 PM

ME

“ Eric and Audrey, I am so sorry to hear about your dad. You will be in our hearts and prayers.

*Love to you both,
Marilyn Ellis
Sally, Seth, and Sadie*

Marilyn Ellis - June 14, 2019 at 05:44 PM

PP

“ Quentin and I became friends and professional colleagues about 30 years ago through the University of Texas at Austin where we studied for the doctoral degree. We maintained contact as often as possible.

I last saw Quentin in Austin at a professional conference -- still the same up-beat, quick with a laugh, good guy. Many Texas school children benefited from Quentin's leadership in public schools for four decades.

Quentin was happy in his life, living large and serving the land and the Lord. He was so very proud of his family and was in a good place.

Along with many others, I will miss knowing that Quentin has passed from this earth. God Bless, My Friend. RIP.

*Pat Pringle, Ph.D.
UT Austin 1989*

Pat Pringle - June 14, 2019 at 05:16 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Dr. Quentin Burnett.



June 14, 2019 at 11:14 AM

DD

“ *Bob and I are very saddened to hear about Quentin. We will miss his quick wit and humor. Praying for everyone during this time of grief.* ”



Debbie Dudo - June 13, 2019 at 06:23 PM

MB

“ *I am so heartbroken to hear this news. Our thoughts and prayers will be with all during this time. Love, The Bade Family* ”

Michelle Bade - June 13, 2019 at 05:52 PM

LN

“ *Lynn Nacol lit a candle in memory of Dr. Quentin Burnett* ”



Lynn Nacol - June 13, 2019 at 02:26 PM