



## Lawrence Dale "Stony" Stone

September 5, 1927 - February 17, 2015

Lawrence Dale "Stony" Stone, 87, of Lubbock, beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend to many, transitioned peacefully on Tuesday, February 17, 2015, surrounded in love by his family.

Stony was born in Clarendon, Texas, in 1927, and grew up in Lubbock with parents Ida Yates Miller and Harry Miller. He was a proud graduate of Lubbock High School and attended Texas A&M University. Stony helped his father in the furniture business before beginning a 40 year career in sales and management with Spears Furniture of Lubbock. He retired in 1992.

Stony remained very active in Lubbock High and A&M former student functions throughout his life. He was active in civic affairs, holding numerous offices in the Downtown American Business Club and in the Lubbock A&M Club. He and wife Eleanor and son Gary were long time members of Second Baptist Church where Stony was a deacon, sang in the senior's choir, and served on numerous committees. Not long ago he was named a Deacon Emeritus of Second Baptist.

He was preceded in death by his lovely wife, Eleanor in June of 2012. They were married in 1950 and their 62 year marriage served as an inspiration to many others. Stony is survived by son, Gary and his wife Phyllis of Plano; and by his granddaughter, Nicole and her husband Chase Reeves of Fort Worth.

He was preceded in death by step-brother, Everett Miller of Petersburg; and by step-sister, Billie Lee McCormick of Snyder.

Services are being coordinated by Sanders Funeral Home of Lubbock. Visitation for family and friends will be Friday, February 20, at Sanders Funeral Home from 6:00 until 7:30 pm. A burial service will be held for family and friends at Resthaven Cemetery on Saturday, February 21, at 12:00 noon followed by a memorial service at 1:30 pm at Second Baptist Church in Lubbock. The family requests that consideration of gifts in Stony's memory be given to Second Baptist Church or the charity of your choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Resthaven Memorial Park

5740 West 19th. St.  
Lubbock, TX 79407

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 20. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home  
1420 Main Street  
Lubbock, TX 79401  
(806) 763-6433  
director@sandersfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.sandersfuneralhome.com>

## Graveside Service

FEB 21. 12:00 PM (CT)

Resthaven Memorial Park  
5740 West 19th. St.  
Lubbock, TX 79407

## Celebration of Life

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FEB 21. 1:30 PM (CT)

Second Baptist Church  
6109 Chicago Ave  
Lubbock, TX 79424

# Tribute Wall



“ *Secret Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of Lawrence Dale "Stony" Stone.



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“ *Basket Full of Wishes* was purchased for the family of Lawrence Dale "Stony" Stone.



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