



## Richard Earl Trull

September 19, 1932 - June 12, 2019

Lubbock — Dr. Richard Earl Trull, Sr. was born September 19, 1932 in Fort Smith, Arkansas to William James and Willie Mae Trull. He married Helen Louise Paxton on May 5, 1951 in Raton, New Mexico. They resided in Denver, Colorado close to Helen's family before traveling extensively during his long Air Force and Christian ministry careers.

His loving wife passed away into the welcoming arms of our Lord and Savior on Friday, November 16, 2018. His parents also preceded him in death.

Those left behind to cherish his memories and carry on his example of love and service are: his son, Dr. Richard Earl Trull, Jr. and his daughter-in-law, Marinda; his daughter, Michelle Anne Chiles and his son-in-law, Mark; 4 grandchildren: Jeremy Trull, Travis Trull, Rachel Wall, Jaclyn Huff and their families; 4 adopted grandchildren: Justice Jones, Moses Jones, Samuel Jones, Sara Jones and their families; 10 great-grandchildren; his siblings: Bobby Trull, Shirley Mackieski, and Craig Trull; numerous “adopted” children, including Brenda Reinhard and her husband, Ron, and their children and grandchildren. In addition are a multitude of others that Richard continually “adopted”, showering them with acceptance, love, kindness and nurturing.

Those left will miss his infectious smile, hilarious and charming sense of humor, encouraging and wise words along with the mischievous twinkle in his

bright blue eyes. Those left behind are joyously bound by a sense of duty to fulfill his legacy of love and service.

The family will host a Memorial/Celebration of Life on June 14, 12pm, at the Texas State Veterans Cemetery in Abilene, Texas. Burial will follow under the care of the Sanders Funeral Home of Lubbock, Texas. To send online condolences go to [www.sandersfuneralhome.com](http://www.sandersfuneralhome.com). In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: LivingStone International University, 5750 Rufe Snow Drive, Suite #104, North Richland Hills, TX 76180; (817) 918-4836.

# Cemetery Details

## Texas State Veterans Cemetery

7457 W Lake Rd  
Abilene, TX 79601

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUN 14. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM.

Texas State Veterans Cemetery

# Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard Earl Trull



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Sanders Funeral Home - June 13, 2019 at 03:01 PM

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*It breaks my heart. I'm sorry for you loss. Praying for your family*

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Penny Selph - June 15, 2019 at 08:57 AM

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“ I was blessed by knowing Mr. and Mrs. Trull for many years. Our families have been friends for a long time. In his last few days I went to sit with him while he was at Crowne Point. As we sat and visited, we got on the subject of how our families became friends. He told me a few story's of how the journey begin. It was so nice to sit and see him light up while going down memory lane. I am so very thankful for our time that day and as he grew weaker in the coming days I am so glad I went when I did. He spoke of his precious wife, the love of his life, what a story they have. And now I am so thankful that he went to his final home where he is in no more pain or suffering, although he and Mrs. Trull will be truly missed, they are were they strived to be ...home with their Lord and Savior, and free of pain! RIP

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Chris Stewart-Washington - June 17, 2019 at 08:39 PM

CA

“ I was not privileged to know Dr Trull but do know some of the family as part of my own family. I know he must've been a wonderful and inspirational person and I pray for God's peace to cover all the family.

Carolyn Watts. Maumelle Ar - June 15, 2019 at 12:51 PM

GK

“ Rest In Peace at this grieving moment in our lives, may the the Lord Jesus bless and give us all peace at this moment.

Geoffrey kirima - June 15, 2019 at 09:36 AM



“ 36 files added to the album Life Tributes



Sanders Funeral Home - June 13, 2019 at 12:10 PM

BD

Your Dad was a very special man, glad we got to know him if for a short time. God bless you and your family and friends.

Brends and Larry Drgac - June 14, 2019 at 04:37 PM