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Douglas John Wright, age 55, of Unionville, Missouri, formerly of Hudson, Iowa, entered into the presence of his Lord and Savior on Wednesday, November 29, 2017 at his home.

Doug was born on March 24, 1962 in Huntsville, Arkansas, the son of James and Eleanor (Geary) Wright. He graduated from Nebraska Christian High School, then earned his Bachelor's degree in Missionary Aviation at Calvary Bible College in Kansas City, Missouri. On May 31, 1986, he was united in marriage to Vicki Owings in Belton, Missouri. They are blessed to have two children, Clayton and Olivia.

Doug used his God-given talents and his passion for business to manage several manufacturing companies, and most recently he was market president of a local bank branch. His love of aviation led him to obtain his private pilot, sea plane, and commercial licenses.

Doug's faith in Jesus Christ was demonstrated by his love for people and his desire to help others. He was a member of Walnut Ridge Baptist Church in Waterloo, where he faithfully served in many different roles. After relocating to Unionville, Missouri, he attended Broadlawn Baptist Church when his health allowed.

Doug is survived by his wife of 31 years, Vicki Wright; his children, Clayton (Megan) Wright of Waterloo and Olivia (Ronnie) Hemsworth of Oskaloosa; his father, James Wright of Franklin, Tennessee; three siblings, Daniel James Wright of Rockport, Texas, Debora Jean (Robert) Hoehn of Oxford, Alabama, and Diane Joy (Dan) Majors of Franklin, Tennessee.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Eleanor Wright.

Visitation will be held at Walnut Ridge Baptist Church in Waterloo, Iowa, Friday, December 8, 5-7pm, with Celebration of Life at the church on Saturday, December 9, 10am with Pastors Brian Hargrave and Tom Hladofficiating. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established at Lange Funeral Home and Crematory, 1900



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South 18th Street, Centerville, Iowa 52544. All donations will benefit Hospice of Northeast Missouri and missionaries Doug loved and supported.

Visitation

2017-12-08 17:00:00

19:00:00

Walnut Ridge Baptist Church

1307 W Ridgeway Ave

Waterloo

IA

50701

Celebration of Life

2017-12-09 10:00:00

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Tribute Wall

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Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 1:46 PM



Thomas Funeral Home shared an album called **Obituary Wall**.



October 13 at 2:18 PM



Andy & Trisha Hutchinson lit a candle in honor of Douglas.

Lit a candle in memory of Douglas John Wright

December 4 at 7:00 PM



David And Lesa Patow posted:

Dear Vicki, We are so very sorry to hear of Doug's passing. We remember good times with you all back in Canton. As Christians we are blessed to have the promise of heaven and eternity with our Savior Jesus Christ and that we will be reunited with all our fellow believers. Praying for you and your children as you grieve Doug's absence. Love, David and Lesa Patow

December 4 at 7:00 PM



Mark Maxam posted:

I'm sure your heart is broken in this difficult time. I'm praying for God's comfort and peace for you and your family. The Knopf's shared on Facebook about Doug going to be with the Lord. How precious for Doug to be in His presence.

December 4 at 7:00 PM



Todd And Ari Henderson posted:

We are so sorry to hear of Doug's death. We remember you all fondly from First Baptist and neighborhood days. We are praying for rest, love to be felt and peace knowing Doug stands in the presence of our Savior. May you feel God's comfort and nurturing as you continue this earthly journey.

December 2 at 7:00 PM



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AN

Aunt Dorothy (Wright) Nelson posted:

Sorry not to be with you for the Celebration of Doug's life. I have precious memories of Doug as a child, and some of his years at Calvary Bible College while we lived at Peculiar, MO while Lee worked at the college. But time and geographic distance have prevented more recent memories of your lives together and your children growing up. The Caring Bridge posts have been faithfully followed with continued prayers for all of you in his absence. Praying for God's comfort and guidance for the days ahead.

December 2 at 7:00 PM

ME

Marianne Effa posted:

Those of us left behind (for now) will miss you.

December 1 at 7:00 PM

LB

Leedes Bynoe lit a candle in honor of Douglas.

Lit a candle in memory of Douglas John Wright

November 29 at 7:00 PM



LW

Larry& Karen Wright posted:

We were so sorry to hear of Doug's passing. Condolences to all of the family.

November 29 at 7:00 PM

LG

Lindy And Bill Good posted:

Bill and I have been following Doug's journey on Caringbridge. He was such a strong individual in fighting his illness. We are thinking of you and hoping that the good memories will sustain you as you grieve. Would you email me your address so that I can send a card. Also an address for Clayton. No hurry, Lindy and Bill

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Dennis & Kellie Stratman posted:

Vicki and family, While our hearts are saddened by Doug's passing, we rejoice with you that he is no longer in pain and safely with his savior Jesus. We first met Doug nearly 30 years ago. He has been an inspiration to us throughout the years and always fondly remembered. His faith and perseverance throughout his battle with Cancer are a testimony that will linger on through many generations.

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Douglas by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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