



Danny Glenn Hoffman

July 12, 1956 - November 23, 2020

Danny Hoffman was born July 12, 1956 in McKinney, Texas to Leonard and Ida Maie Hoffman. He graduated from Huntsville High School in 1974, Sam Houston State University in 1978, where he was President of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and Prairie View A&M in 2000 with a Master's in Education Administration. Danny married the love of his life, Donna Pennington, on August 8, 1981 in First Christian Church, McKinney, Texas. The Lord's call on his life lead him to serve in public schools teaching, coaching, and administrating. This path led him to Goodrich ISD, Madisonville ISD, McKinney ISD, Mt. Pleasant ISD, Huntsville ISD, Splendora ISD, Anderson ISD, Wyndham ISD, Buffalo ISD, Cameron ISD, and Hearne ISD. He had a special talent for remembering each student and could call them by name. His faith was strong in the Lord and he lived the life God called Him to with no fear and no regrets. He had a passion for sports and was a walking dictionary of sports information. Danny had a special love for the Christmas season and would listen to Christmas music all year round.

Danny is preceded in death by his parents, Leonard and Ida Maie Hoffman, and brother Charles Hoffman. He is survived by his wife, Donna, his sisters Judith Holliday and Suzanne Hoffman, Brother and Sister-in-Law Brad & Becky Kindle, nieces Hannah Kindle, Emma Kindle, Danielle Boysen, and nephew Charles Holliday and many other great nieces and nephews.

Visitation is scheduled for Friday, November 27, 2020 from 9:00am to 10:00am at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, TX, with a

service at 10:00am. Interment will follow at Adickes Addition of Oakwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, you may donate to the Good Shepherd Mission – Meals-on-Wheels or the organization of your choice. Memorial condolences to the family may be made at www.shmfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Adickes addition of Oakwood Cemetery

700 Martin Luther King Blvd
Huntsville, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 27. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville
1700 Normal Park Dr.
Huntsville, TX 77340
(936) 291-7300
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Funeral Service

NOV 27. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Jimmy Clark Jr. - [jwclarkpa@gmail.com](#) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Danny Glenn Hoffman.

Jimmy Clark Jr. - [jwclarkpa@gmail.com](#) - September 02, 2025 at 01:32 PM



“ Jimmy Clark Jr. - [jwclarkpa@gmail.com](#) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Danny Glenn Hoffman.



Jimmy Clark Jr. - [jwclarkpa@gmail.com](#) - September 02, 2025 at 01:32 PM



“ Danny Glenn Hoffman

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ Danny was my brother in law and brother in Christ. He's been a part of our family for 40 years! I was 11 when they married. He will be terribly missed!! Danny never met a stranger. He loved sports, coaching, teaching and being a school administrator. Whatever he did, he gave it his all and was very passionate about it. I am thankful to have assurance this is not goodbye but til we meet again!

Rebecca Kindle - December 03, 2020 at 12:50 PM

JJ

Hi Rebecca, this is a long shot - but hear me out - I am a brother in Christ. My mother was born in Memphis, TN in 1958, her name is Doris Ann (Pennington) Clark, her mother was Jean Carolyn Bradshaw and father was Thurmon Lee. When she was a child they had a second child who was put up for adoption. We think in 1960 or early 1961. We have some suspicion that this may be Mr. Danny Glenn Hoffman's wife Donna Kay (Pennington) Hoffman. My moms sister was born on 4-4-1960 and adopted out of Covington, TN. She may have no idea that she was adopted - but we are hoping to reconnect and see if this is her. You can share my email address at jwclarkpa@gmail.com

Jimmy Clark Jr - September 02, 2025 at 01:15 PM

JH

“*Danny, my baby brother, who was the happiest person I knew. Your faith and love for our family was everlasting.. When we lost Charles in Vietnam it devastated the family especially you.. You became the big brother and never looked back. I am devastated by your passing so young but I know you have been reunited with Mom, Dad and Charles. Love Always, Sis, Judith Hoffman Holliday*

Judith H Holliday - November 28, 2020 at 07:42 AM

RG

“*Robin Gibbs purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Danny Glenn Hoffman.*



Robin Gibbs - November 25, 2020 at 03:53 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Danny Glenn Hoffman.*



November 25, 2020 at 12:10 AM



“ *Amy, Khosrow, Zach, Farrah, Naseem, Mariam & Bryan purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Danny Glenn Hoffman.*



Amy, Khosrow, Zach, Farrah, Naseem, Mariam & Bryan -
November 24, 2020 at 05:55 PM



“ *Danny and I were not really close during our High School Days. I don't know.. we kinda ran in different circles.*

Everybody knew Danny with his infectious smile and " can do " attitude. He always had that smile, and when he donned his green Hornet letter jacket he looked like the " Happy Hornet" a nickname that Steve Yarborough coined.

We grew close during the two years that I went to Sam Houston following High School. The social scene that we were attracted to was the College youth group at First Baptist church. We spent a lot of time in deep conversations about life, faith, the meaning of life etc. Additionally we frequented the Jolly Fox and Sound Machine disco to go " boogeyin" most every Friday and Saturday nights.

I went to OKC to graduate from a small liberal arts christian college. Sam's graduation was two days prior to mine, and since Danny had already bought his cap and gown, he brought it up to school, put it on for a solemn graduation ceremony, and stood next to me as the College President walked around a big outdoor circle congratulating the outgoing Seniors. When he came to Danny, he didn't recognize this giant of a man being on campus. (class size about 250). The President had a dumbfounded look on his face. Danny looked him in the eye, smiled, winked , and said " Whaas happenin Bebbe?"

We stayed close for about 10 years, but as I moved off to California, and we both got involved in our separate lives, our communications became less frequent. I'll never forget our times together as young men, and his influence was a BIG positive in my life.

I Loved that Man

John Moseley - November 24, 2020 at 05:46 PM



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John Moseley - November 24, 2020 at 05:26 PM



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John Moseley - November 24, 2020 at 05:19 PM



“ Sue Sprott Class Of HHS '74 lit a candle in memory of Danny Glenn Hoffman



Sue Sprott class of HHS '74 - November 24, 2020 at 01:52 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss, Donna. My prayers are with you and your family

Carol Nichols - November 24, 2020 at 11:47 AM

MD

“ *Meaghan Y Deering lit a candle in memory of Danny Glenn Hoffman*



Meaghan Y Deering - November 24, 2020 at 11:18 AM

MD

Praying for the Hoffman family.

Meaghan Y Deering - November 24, 2020 at 11:19 AM



“ *What a loss! I remember being in a few plays with both of you during our college years. He's going to be missed. Praying for you and the times ahead.*

Rebecca

Rebecca Lewis - November 24, 2020 at 11:15 AM

BC

“ *Beverly Coburn lit a candle in memory of Danny Glenn Hoffman*



Beverly Coburn - November 24, 2020 at 10:10 AM

JJ

“ My first memories of Dan were as the big guy sitting in the back row of 5th grade to prevent his long legs from tripping the teacher. I did not know him well until after high school when he became close friends. We spent many hours commiserating at the Pizza Inn and Pizza Hut in Huntsville over jobs, school, life and most of all women. Neither of us seemed very capable with the opposite sex and that gave us much to wish for and discuss. Dan always became friends with people wherever he went and the waitresses all knew him. We would discuss our various situations over tea and crackers when we had money for nothing else.

I always admired him for working his way through college, buying his own car, and his determination to make himself a success. I remember when he met Donna and how fortunate he felt that he had found the right woman for the rest of his life. We shared each other's weddings and early married lives but grew apart as careers and distances drew us apart.

Dan was a person of strength and enthusiasm that drew other people to him. He was a man of strong moral character and strong beliefs in our Savior and Lord. He will be dearly missed on this earth as God now has another servant in Heaven. Jim Jochetz

Jim Jochetz - November 24, 2020 at 08:41 AM

SJ

Danny was such an amazing guy with a fantastic sense of humor. I remember him and Snake waiting for Dead Pizzas (undeliverable pizzas) to be returned at Little Italy. He was a lot of fun to hang around with. Donna I am so sorry for your loss.

Steve Johnson - December 09, 2020 at 08:25 AM

MH

“ *M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Danny Glenn Hoffman*



M. Hyvl - November 23, 2020 at 10:35 PM

LR

“ *Donna, I am so very sorry for your loss. You are in my heart and prayers.*

Lori Rose - November 23, 2020 at 10:14 PM

KI

“ *Kimberlyblanks lit a candle in memory of Danny Glenn Hoffman*



kimberlyblanks - November 23, 2020 at 05:55 PM

GM

“ *George & Belinda, George J and Geoff McCally purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Danny Glenn Hoffman.*



George & Belinda, George J and Geoff McCally - November 23, 2020 at 05:09 PM

PF

“ I’m so very sorry for the loss of your husband, Donna.

penny fowler - November 23, 2020 at 04:40 PM

DP

“ Please know that I am praying for your family. May God give you comfort and peace. Donna Robinson Paschall class of '74



Donna Paschall - November 23, 2020 at 04:11 PM

AJ

“ Danny was a great coach and encouragement to our boys, Josh and Andy. Donna,...May the Lord fill your emptiness with His love. Such a great guy!!

Donnie and Anita Jones

Anita Jones - November 23, 2020 at 04:07 PM

CC

“ I had the privilege of working with Danny in the choir at First Presbyterian Church. His wonderful bass voice clearly praised the Lord. He was a good man. Donna, my heart is broken for you.

CYNTHIA CROSS - November 23, 2020 at 04:06 PM