



Douglas Ferguson

May 21, 1938 - April 6, 2011

Memorial services will begin 1:30 p.m. Monday, April 11 at First English Lutheran Church, Lennox. Douglas R. Ferguson, 72, formerly of Sioux Falls, died suddenly Wednesday, April 6, 2011 at the home of his son, Timothy, in Lennox, SD. Douglas Robin Ferguson was born on May 21, 1938 in Los Angeles, California, the son of Raymond and Dorothy (Miller) Ferguson. He attended school and grew up in California. On October 10, 1963 he was married to Barbara Joffer in Sioux Falls. Following their marriage they lived in California and moved to South Dakota in 1969, living in the Sioux Falls area. Douglas was a carpenter and an over-the-road trucker. Following his retirement he was the maintenance manager for the Alvine family at Wild Water West and at Sioux Falls apartments. He made his home in Lennox with his son since September, 2010. Grateful for having shared his life are his five children: Bret and his wife, Kathy, Ferguson of Sioux Falls, Timothy and his wife, Brenda, Ferguson of Lennox, Shane and his wife, Suzanne, Ferguson of Sioux Falls, daughter, Shannon Ferguson of Sioux Falls and Scott and his wife, Kim, Ferguson of Sioux Falls; his former wife, Barbara; 17 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; three siblings: Robert Merrill, Richard Merrill and Larri Merrill, all in California; plus other relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall

RM

“ *I am the brother to Doug.*

Robert Merrill - October 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *To the family,
I am so sorry for your loss. I can't remember a time when I didn't
see him smile. Know that God is with you. You are all in my prayers.*

Deb

Deb Hennings - April 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Tim, Bret, Shane, Shannon and Scott I was so sorry to hear about
your Dad. He was a good father and grandpa. I will remember him
as a friend who always had a great smile, sparkly eyes and
infectious laugh. May he rest in peace with our Lord Jesus now, free
of pain and suffering. You kids and your families are all in my
thoughts and prayers.*

Millie Card - April 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Scott and Family, So sorry to hear of your loss. You are in our
thoughts and prayers.*

Jeff and Lise Sargent - April 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ My condolences go out to the entire family. Although I didn't know Doug long, I found him very easy to get to know, friendly, quiet and generally someone enjoyable to be around. As short as our acquaintance was, I will miss talking and working with him, yet he will be in my thoughts. May he rest in peace under God's care.

Jerry Strauss - April 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ I wish to extend my sympathies to the friends and relatives of Doug. To me Doug was a former neighbor, co-worker, shared the same trade backgrounds as well as being a friend. Over the years I can trace a lot of my Carpentry projects back to a lead or recommendation from Doug..which in turn not only benefitted myself, but the sub-contractors and suppliers of those projects. Find consolation in knowing Doug's earthly race is won and that he has gone to his eternal gift, with Jesus Christ, his Savior. In this we rejoice, with him, til we meet again, beyond the sunset.

Terry L. Bellonger - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ I am sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I always held a special place in my heart for him. When I was a little girl he was so kind to me. He will be missed.
Sincerely,
Lynne

Lynne Bohlman-Casey - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ We are so sorry for your loss. May God comfort you during this time of grief.

"I know that my redeemer lives, and that in the end he will stand on the earth. And after my skin has been destroyed, yet in my flesh I will see God; I myself will see him with my own eyes - I, and not another. How my heart yearns within me!" Job 19:25-27

Dennis, Mary, Emily and Graham Kaufman

Dennis Kaufman - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM