



## Donald Musgrave, Sr.

October 17, 1944 - July 16, 2018

Minister Donald R. Musgrave, Sr., age 73, of Union City passed away Monday, July 16, 2018. He began his ministry at Sunset International Bible Institute and travelled the world preaching the gospel from Oklahoma to Africa. He served as the Minister for Fayetteville Church of Christ for 14 years and finished his ministry with Christian City, where he was serving the day he passed away. His ministry did not end when he left the pulpit, he served in Children's Homes, Nursing Homes and Retirement communities all over. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Dona Penn Musgrave; daughter, Cynthia O'Shields and her husband, Sean of Newnan; son, Donald Ray Musgrave, Jr. and his wife, Cari of Moreland; grandchildren, Zachary Sapp and his wife, Brittany, Cody Sapp and his wife, Jade, Joshua Musgrave and his wife, Morgan, Jarrett Musgrave, Jake Musgrave; great grandchildren, Baylor Ray Sapp, Stella Kate Sapp, Edward Beau Sapp; and his beloved puppy, Jasper. A memorial service will be held Sunday, July 22, 2018 at 2 o'clock at Christian City's Welcome Center with Minister Jake Padgett officiating. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Sunset International Bible Institute, <http://www.sibi.com>. Those wishing may sign the online condolence at [www.parrottfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrottfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUL **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Christian City Welcome Center Chapel  
7345 Red Oak Rd  
Union City, GA 30291

# Tribute Wall



“ *Parrott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Musgrave, Sr.*



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - July 19, 2018 at 04:44 PM

RR

“ *I was so blessed to work with both Don and Dona during their years as house parents at Hope Harbor in Claremore, Oklahoma. Their wisdom, kindness, sense of humor, and spiritual maturity made an extraordinary impact on the teens they shared their hearts with during this time. I cannot begin to express the sadness I felt at hearing of Don's passing. I know that Don is at home with our Lord, but I also know how deeply he is missed by his friends and especially by his family. My prayers are with Dona and with all of Don's family members and other loved ones.*

*Ralph Richardson*

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**Ralph Richardson** - July 23, 2018 at 08:07 PM



Donnie  
Musgrav

*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 24, 2018 at 08:56 AM



“ *Cindy,  
So sorry to hear about your Dad. He was such a kind and gentle man. I enjoyed talking to him at Thomas Crossroads before the kids came out. I pray that God will wrap his loving and caring arms around you and your family. God bless you!!*

Nancy Neal - July 22, 2018 at 12:09 PM



*Love you Nancy, ty for your kind thoughts! Hugs*

Cynthia O Shields - July 22, 2018 at 08:18 PM



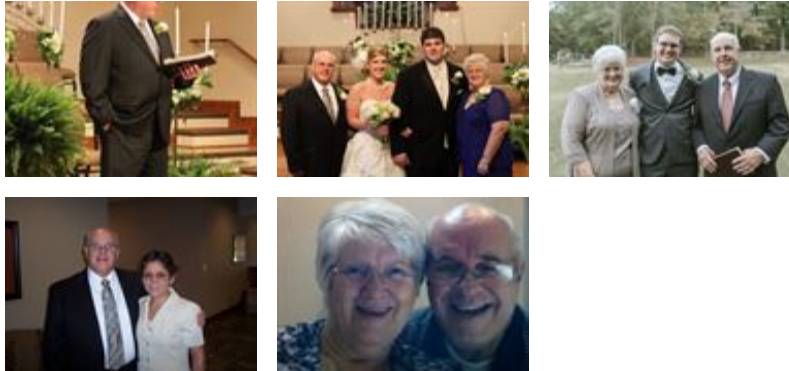
“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Donald Musgrave, Sr..*



July 20, 2018 at 09:46 AM



“ *45 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Parrott Funeral Home - July 19, 2018 at 01:17 PM

BC

“ *Blue Starr Church of Christ purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Donald Musgrave, Sr..*



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**Blue Starr Church of Christ** - July 19, 2018 at 12:03 PM

MS

“ *As minister for the Blue Starr church of Christ in Claremore, Oklahoma, it was a blessing to know Don and Dona while they served as house parents for Hope Harbor Children's Home. They served in the girls cottage and as you can imagine, had such a mature spiritual influence upon some impressionable lives. The congregation was also blest by Don's teaching in our adult classes. His joy in teaching Ecclesiastes was rich and filled with Don's many experiences in life. We hated to say farewell to them as they moved closer to family, but knew their family would be greatly blest as well. Our condolences to Dona and family. Thank you for sharing Don with us and coming our way!*

*May my fellow preaching brother enjoy the bounty of such a rich life!*

*With Love,*

*Mike Schroeder & The Blue Starr Family*

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**Mike Schroeder** - July 19, 2018 at 11:16 AM



*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 20, 2018 at 06:32 AM



“ 5 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Parrott Funeral Home** - July 19, 2018 at 11:04 AM



“ *I'm Jeanie Ladymon Dallas. Don's mom and my mom were sisters. Being almost 4 yrs older than Don, I remember when he was born. I remember the story, which he recalled recently in a message to me, how my mom saved his life by giving him mouth to mouth resuscitation when he was found not breathing just after he was born. Our families spent lots of times together through the years. They were either coming to visit the country cousins, or we were counting the days til our visit in the city. Those are memories I'll always cherish and do reflect on all the good times now and then. May God be with Dona, Cindy, Donnie and families and give them calm and peace in the days ahead. Loved our Don. He's now with his Mom, Dad, and Sister again. Sure miss all of them. Love and prayers, Jeanie.*

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**Wanda Dallas. (Jeanie)** - July 18, 2018 at 09:24 PM



*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 20, 2018 at 06:33 AM

RM

“ My heart goes out to Dona and family in the passing of our brother, Don. Don was the pulpit minister at the Northside church in Jasper, Ga when I was in my high school years, and made an indelible impression on me. We was still our minister when I left for Freed-Hardeman and his preaching and personal influence were a part of what made me want to preach. I will always be indebted to Don for not only his good, sound teaching and preaching but for his friendship extended toward a shy, high school student. It is no little consolation to me to know that Don is now experiencing the sweet peace and para-dise he preached about all those years. I hope to see Don on the other side of the River!

Randy Medlin

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**Randy Medlin** - July 18, 2018 at 04:15 PM



Donnie  
Musgrav

Thank you

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 18, 2018 at 06:22 PM

AM

“ When our children were young, we considered who would be their guardians if something happened to us. Of all our relatives and friends, we felt Don and Dona were the ones we wanted to rear our children. Fortunately, it wasn't necessary but we felt comfortable knowing the children would be in a good Christian home and appreciated Don's willingness to take four children if need be. That's what I thought of Don. Our sympathy to all the family. Uncle Andy and Aunt Georgia Musgrave.

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**Andy and Georgia Musgrave** - July 18, 2018 at 10:20 AM



Donnie  
Musgrav

Thank you

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 18, 2018 at 06:23 PM

LD

“ Cindy and Donnie, our family grew up with your family coming to the farm. The second they got there, your Granny would unload a Car Load of food along with your Aunt Carol Ann and your Dad and the city kids and country kids would run wild, play in the woods and barn, and sleep out on the hay trailer. We were so excited when we knew they were coming. So many special memories attached to those days.

*Love and sweetest memories of your Dad, Linda.*

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**Linda Davis** - July 18, 2018 at 09:27 AM



Donnie  
Musgrave

*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 18, 2018 at 06:24 PM

CD

“ Donnie,  
So very sorry to hear of your father's passing. He was a great man who did great work and his influence will be missed by so many. I still recall the days when your parents would come by station 4 and visit. I always enjoyed talking with your father.

*Charles and Annette Duff*

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**Charles Duff** - July 18, 2018 at 08:09 AM



Donnie  
Musgrave

*Thanks Charles*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 18, 2018 at 06:24 PM



Bill  
Denton

“ *Linda and I so saddened to hear this news. Don was a good friend, fellow worker, and an all-around great guy. Though it's been many years since we were able to be with him and Dona, we have fond memories. Love to all the family, and know that you are in our prayers. -- Bill Denton*

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**Bill Denton** - July 17, 2018 at 08:28 PM



Donnie  
Musgrav

*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 18, 2018 at 06:25 PM

DB

“ *Our hearts are heavy with sadness since hearing of Don's passing. He was such a sweet man with a big heart. We have many good memories of Don. He will be missed by so many. Sending love and prayers to Dona, Cindy, Donnie and the rest of the family. Dale and Marian Boyd*

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**Dale and Marian Boyd** - July 17, 2018 at 08:11 PM



Donnie  
Musgrav

*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 17, 2018 at 08:25 PM

PS

“ He felt the touch of hands so warm and tender. They were leading him in the paths that he must trod. He had no fear for Jesus walked beside him. He was sheltered safe within the arms of God. He heard the call coming down from heaven's portals; come on home my child that was the last mile you must trod. He fell asleep but woke in God's new heaven sheltered safe within the arms of God! I will miss my brother. He was a true Kingdom servant. Love and sympathy to Ms. Dona, Cindy, Donnie & the entire Musgrave family

Philip Shaw - July 17, 2018 at 04:01 PM



Thank you

Donnie Musgrave - July 17, 2018 at 05:44 PM

CO

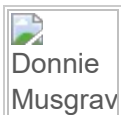
Thank you, sweet man! We love you!

cynthia oshields - July 17, 2018 at 07:51 PM

PA

“ We were so sorry to hear about your loss. Please know your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Ross and Paula Anderson

Paula Anderson - July 17, 2018 at 03:38 PM



Thank you

Donnie Musgrave - July 17, 2018 at 05:45 PM

CO

Thank you

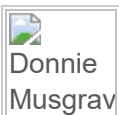
cynthia oshields - July 17, 2018 at 07:52 PM

CK

“ *Creighton J. Koreski lit a candle in memory of Donald Musgrave, Sr.*



Creighton J. Koreski - July 17, 2018 at 02:47 PM



Donnie  
Musgrav

*Thanks Creighton*

Donnie Musgrave - July 17, 2018 at 03:30 PM

CO

*Thank you*

cynthia oshields - July 17, 2018 at 07:52 PM

GN

“ *Donna, Cindy and Donnie,*

*Please know that you are in our prayers during this very difficult time.*

*Greg and Amy Nash*

Greg Nash - July 17, 2018 at 02:27 PM



Donnie  
Musgrav

*Thank you*

Donnie Musgrave - July 17, 2018 at 03:31 PM

CO

*Thank you*

cynthia oshields - July 17, 2018 at 07:53 PM

WH

“ *Dona, Cindy, Donnie and family. Words cannot begin to express my sadness for you. He was a wonderful man and servant of the Lord who had meant so much to my family through the years. He and Pat shared a friendship here on earth that I know they are continuing in the presence of the Lord. All my love, Wanda Hicks*

Wanda Hicks - July 17, 2018 at 01:36 PM



Donnie Musgrav

*Thank you*

Donnie Musgrave - July 17, 2018 at 03:31 PM

CO

*Thank you*

cynthia oshields - July 17, 2018 at 07:53 PM

CS

“ *Don was a second daddy to me. I remember many meals shared around the table with his family and mine. I know that my dad was waiting to welcome him as he joined him on Monday. He would always tell me he loved me just like a dad would. He will be missed!*

Cindy Sellers - July 17, 2018 at 01:33 PM



Donnie Musgrav

*Thank you*

Donnie Musgrave - July 17, 2018 at 03:31 PM

BP

*Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

Billy Potts - July 17, 2018 at 05:00 PM

CO

*Thank you lil sissy!*

cynthia oshields - July 17, 2018 at 07:54 PM

MA

*Bro Don was such a good servant of the Lord and a good, good friend. Cay and I have many wonderful memories of our friendship thru the years - from movie nights at our house and then at his with Dona; both Don and Dona watching our two oldest kids while the third one was being born; companions on retreat trips; cabin mates at camp; etc. The list goes on and on. Don also served as my mentor for many, many years. His influence on me, my family as well as countless others can be attested to and will continue to live on. Don and his ministry to and for others will be sorely missed in this world. But he is home now. Much love and heart-felt condolences to Dona, Cindy, and Donnie as well as the rest of the Musgrave family, Mike and Cay Adams*

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**Mike Adams** - July 21, 2018 at 07:54 AM



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Musgrav

*Thank you*

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**Donnie Musgrave** - July 21, 2018 at 09:58 AM