



## Richard "Doug" Douglas Cathcart

December 29, 1973 - October 10, 2012

Richard Douglas Cathcart (Doug) was born December 29, 1973 in Willcox, Arizona. He died October 10, 2012 in Alpine, Arizona. Doug was the seventh child born to Edward and Norma Cathcart. Ed and Norma were the proud parents of eight children, all of whom have names beginning with D: Dawney, David, Dennis, Danette, Darla, Dale, Doug and Diana. This big family was raised with love in their home and all were very proud to be known as Cathcart's and to be part of "the Eight D's". Ed's love of sports was passed on to his children and Doug was no exception. From a young age Doug participated in street football with his siblings and neighbors, little league baseball, swimming at the public pool, and shooting hoops in the driveway at home. Doug's love of sports never diminished. Doug always loved to have a good conversation about local, college and professional sports. He knew team records and players stats like no one else.

Doug also loved the gospel of Jesus Christ and knew the scriptures very well. He served a two year mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Chicago, Illinois. After his mission, Doug attended Eastern Arizona College. He then moved to Provo, Utah where he lived for several years before returning to Arizona to be closer to family.

Doug will be missed for his sense of humor and love of children. He loved playing with his nieces and nephews, and was often found on the floor in a pile of kids laughing and tickling them. Doug will forever be an integral part of the Eight D's and while we are not whole without him, we have sweet

memories of the curly headed boy who made us laugh, and we know that he will always be with us. Son. Brother. Father. Friend. Disciple.

Doug unexpectedly passed away in Alpine, Arizona on October 10, 2012. He was preceded in death by his father, Edward Leroy Cathcart, and his brother-in-law, Joseph Oliver Reed III. He is survived by his mother, Norma Cathcart, and by siblings: Dawney (Gene) Wolslagel, David (Kathy) Cathcart, Dennis (Carolyn) Cathcart, Danette (Tim) Matthews, Darla Reed, Dale (Sharron) Cathcart, and Diana (Evan) Thompson; along with 27 nieces and nephews, 12 great nieces and nephews, and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

A memorial fund has been established for those wishing to donate to help with Doug's final expenses. If you would like to donate in lieu of flowers you can make the contribution at any Wells Fargo branch.

The Doug Cathcart Memorial Fund

Wells Fargo Bank

Routing #: 321270742

Account #: 6852757878

Memorial Services will be 4:00 P.M. on Friday, October 19, 2012, at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 15018 N. 39th Ave., Phoenix, AZ. A viewing will be 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, October 20, 2012 at Westlawn Chapel in Willcox with graveside to follow in Sunset Cemetery in Willcox at 2:00 P.M. On line condolence may be extended to the family at [www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com](http://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com) Services entrusted to Westlawn Chapel, Mortuary and Crematory of Willcox, Arizona.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Cemetery

N. Sunset Strip Road  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Previous Events

## Viewing

OCT **20**. 1:00 PM (MT)

Westlawn Chapel & Mortuary Inc.  
105 S Arizona Avenue  
Willcox, AZ 85643  
(520) 384-2413  
westwx@vtc.net  
<https://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com>

## Graveside Service

OCT **20**. 2:00 PM (MT)

Sunset Cemetery  
N. Sunset Strip Road  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard "Doug" Douglas Cathcart*

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January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *I wish to send my warmest wishes to Doug's family during this most difficult time. Doug and I have been friends since July 13, 1993, the first day of our missions. We were companions at the MTC and were fortunate to serve together a second time while in Chicago. I Love Cathcart (a.k.a. Snoop) so much and will miss him greatly! Although we have kept in touch over the past 20 years, most recently by phone or text message, we had not seen one another since both moving out of Utah. We talked about getting together this past July, unfortunately that did not happen to which I deeply regret. Some of the qualities I saw in him have come into my mind since hearing about his passing: he was quick with a joke, rarely without a smile or in a poor mood, kind & gentle, he knew his scriptures, easily content, loved kids and played like one (snowball fights & wrestling), he is a good friend. He spoke of his Dad and brother-in-law often during our missions and I'm confident that he is enjoying that sweet reunion. Specifically to Doug's Mom, Thank you for raising such a good kid, I am so grateful the paths of our lives crossed and that I had the blessing of knowing and being able to call your son, my friend.*

*Sincerely, Culley Cook*

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**Culley Cook** - October 20, 2012 at 02:25 PM

SF

“ Dear Cathcart Family - I sorrow with you in the passing of Doug. I married and moved away from Willcox before he was born, but I have very fond memories of his family! His obituary was a beautiful tribute, and I'm glad for the internet's help in finding and reading it. I do hope your time together this weekend will be blessed with a measure of peace and comfort in the love you have for the gospel of Jesus Christ and for each other. Love, Sherri Lunt Flake

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**Sherri Lynn Lunt Flake** - October 19, 2012 at 04:54 PM

BM

“ I have known Doug for several years now, and I have enjoyed his funny sense of humor, and the kindness that he always showed to those around him. I am very sorry for your loss, Steve and Becky Madsen

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**Becky Madsen** - October 19, 2012 at 01:33 AM