



Randy Skipper

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Randy Lynn Skipper, 77, passed away on February 19, 2026. Randy was born on May 16, 1948 in Hughes Springs, Texas, to Ella Jo and E.B. Skipper.

Randy graduated from Daingerfield High School and continued his education with a degree in History from East Texas State University (A&M Commerce). He spent his life in sales, starting with insurance and then following in his father's footsteps in the car business. Randy made a lasting impact by mentoring many young men in sales. He was known for his generosity and humor. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and friend. Anyone who knew him will also remember his love of the Dallas Cowboys and cars.

He is survived by his wife, Sherri, daughters Shannon and Angela, step-son Craig, his brother, Steve, and his grandchildren, David, Christian, Katina, Connor, Caleb, Joel, Rachel, Mick, Ella, Jake, and Drew, along with many lifelong friends.

A visitation will be held at Rader Funeral Home in Longview, Tx, on Friday, February 20th, from 6:00-8:00 P.M. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 21st, at 10:00 AM at Rader Funeral Home for anyone who wants to celebrate his life.

We'll carry his memory with us every day.

Instead of flowers, the family is asking for donations to his favorite charities, the Highway 80 Rescue Mission in Longview, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, and the American Diabetes Association in his honor.



Events

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Visitation

- Friday**, February 20, 2026
- 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM CT
- Rader Funeral Home of Longview**
1617 Judson Road, Longview TX 75601



Memorial Service

- Saturday**, February 21, 2026
- 10:00 AM CT
- Chapel of Rader Funeral Home of Longview**
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Rader Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.



February 21 at 10:27 AM



George M. planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Randy.



February 23 at 8:54 PM



Sheila Clark posted:

I had the pleasure of meeting Randy and Sherrie when I was asked if I would like to work for one of their R. V. parks. This was to be temporary and it was anything but. I started my adventure, managing the RV park and had a need to call Mr. Randy one day as I was hearing a dog cry and it sounded like he was stuck in the wall. When I called Mr. Randy and told him I had a problem... There was a dog crying and I could hear it in my office and I thought it was stuck in the wall. So when I told him that he said, how did I think it got stuck in the wall? And I told him, I did not know to which he replied. Are you sure it's apartment? I quickly asked what apartment not having been told about that, it sets above my office and is a two story apartment and the dog was in the apartment with his owners :) Him and Sherrie we're always very respectful to me and made me feel like family. Working for them did not feel like employment. It was a relationship. I love them both! Rest in peace, Mr. Randy, and tell Jesus hello for me

February 20 at 5:12 PM



Marty And Jan Yohn sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Skipper family.



February 20 at 2:37 PM



Roger And Carolyn sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Skipper family.



February 20 at 12:21 PM



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Kathy T. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Randy.



February 20 at 11:51 AM



Mike And Kay Roubadeaux Diane Davalos sent a Sweet Tranquility Basket to the Skipper family.



February 20 at 11:09 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Skipper family.



February 20 at 12:36 AM



Michael Reagan shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.



Randy, Mike Byrd and I spent most of our elementary grade years in the same neighborhood on the East side of Daingerfield. We played football on the vacant lot nearby and climbed trees in front of Randy's home, watching the cars and trucks pass below us on the old Hughes Springs highway. We had fun building pine tree needle forts nearby and racing our bicycles. Randy's Mom was our Cub Scout leader who introduced me to delicious fried bananas. Randy's dad owned the local Ford dealership and I remember getting to ride shotgun in Randy's brand new Mustang. What a treat! The last time Randy and I had lunch together was at Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen in Grapevine. We had a great visit. That was several year's ago. There are many more cherished memories, too many to share here. Those memories really do seem like yesterday....time passes so quickly. Although I will not be able to attend the services this Saturday....we're now living in Post Falls, Idaho...I will be there in spirit. Randy was a dear friend (brother), a good trustworthy man, and I will miss him greatly.

February 19 at 11:32 PM



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February 19 at 11:25 PM



Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Skipper family.



February 19 at 5:50 PM



Lindsey Management Company sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Skipper family.



February 19 at 5:10 PM



Judy N. planted a grove of 5 Memorial Trees in honor of Randy.



February 19 at 4:57 PM



Kim Winkelman planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Randy.



February 19 at 4:32 PM



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KW

Kim Winkelman sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Skipper family.



February 19 at 4:32 PM

JL

James Lee posted:

What a sad loss. Randy and I go way back to the 50s and little league. He will be missed. Prayers on the way to the family.

February 19 at 3:31 PM

JL

James Lee posted:

What a sad loss. Randy and I go way back to the 50s in little league. He will definitely be missed.

February 19 at 3:30 PM

BB

Brenda Bedard posted:

I grew up with Randy in Daingerfield and some of my greatest memories are riding around in his yellow mustang convertible. Rest in peace my dear friend and condolences to the family! Brenda Pratt Bedard

February 19 at 2:55 PM

DD

Diane Davalos posted:

Randy teaching me to crack and crab legs in Miami on vacation.

February 19 at 2:10 PM

LW

Love Fred And Merri Walsh sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Skipper family.



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Katina C. planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Randy.



February 19 at 12:26 PM



Stephen Hudgins February 20 at 10:02 AM

In passing thru Longview last May, I had a chance to go by and visit Randy. He was in the hospital awaiting a hip surgery. We had a good visit and , as usual, he was in good humor. We talked a lot about our days at Daingerfield and the fun times we had. He was a great family man and will be missed by all who knew him. My prayers are for his family.



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Memories only last if you share them

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



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