

Serve In HIS Name

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*When you look at a poor person, whose eyes are you using?
Ask Jesus to let you see those in need through HIS eyes....*



Dee's with Jesus



Many of you already know that Dee left this realm the end of June. His favorite word the last couple of months was BRAVO... Our daughter, Shannon was here over night on Wednesday before he died on Friday. Thursday before she left for Tulsa where she lives, she laid hands on Dee and prayed for him. When she finished he said, BRAVO!" and we had no problem understanding him. Later on Thursday evening I prayed for him and cried out to God to heal him or take him, freeing him from the body that I viewed as holding him a prisoner. When I had finished, Dee again said, "BRAVO!" He had a big grin on his face. God took him the next day at noon.

I have asked many of you to be praying for me as I adjust to life without Dee.... Your prayers have been felt. Thank you. For those who did not see the obituary it is listed below.

Thank you to those who have sent cards and gifts in Dee's memory. God's best to all of you. *Remember to hug the ones you love today.*
In His love, Margaret

Dee Stribling

D'Elliott (Dee) Stribling was born Oct 22, 1930 to Dee Mercer and Esther Mae Elliott Stribling in a house in Chickasha, Oklahoma. He left this realm on June 26, 2009 due to complications from ALS.

He is survived by his loving wife, Margaret who "stole my heart" 32 years ago," he wrote. He is also survived by: his children - Julie Butler and Anna Mackey-Touchstone (Hendersonville, Tennessee); step-daughters - Shannon Taylor (Tulsa, Oklahoma) and Kristy Kennah (Centennial, Colorado); six grandchildren - Jacob Lair, Hunter Kennah, Sullivan Kennah, Arden Butler, Devon Butler, and Seth Taylor; and sons-in-law - Josh Butler, Shawn Taylor and Greg Kennah.

Dee and Margaret founded "In His Name Ministries" in 1983 and guided it together for twenty-six years. Margaret will continue the work under the guidance of the Board of Directors.

Dee graduated from Northeast High school in Oklahoma City and from Phillips University, Enid, Oklahoma, with a B.S. in New Testament studies. He also attended The University of Oklahoma and was an avid OU football fan. He served in the Army and had 14 months of active duty in Korea at I-Corps Hq. He worked with two Tulsa churches as youth pastor; was active in Tulsa Metropolitan Ministries as Chairman of Youth Ministries; served as Regional Director, *International Christian Youth Exchange*; worked as Admissions Counselor at Philips

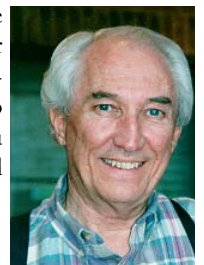
University; and was Regional Sales Manager, Continental Research.

Dee was a great communicator. He loved forming connections with people and letting them know he was interested in their lives. He could charm anyone and convince you that he had the best grip on things. Even if you believed different you found yourself wanting to agree with him whether you did or not.

Dee was a remarkable man who understood the real meaning of being a Christian. He realized that Christianity had everything to do with truly loving your neighbor as Christ so loves us. It was not uncommon for Dee to go up to a stranger, strike up a conversation and participate in a "God Connection".

Even in death he was generous. Dee made the decision to donate his body to the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center. Memorial contributions may be sent to:
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The family had a private celebration of Dee's graduation to heaven. If you would like to celebrate his life please think of him the next time you are at a restaurant; in Dee's memory, bless your wait person with a BIG tip. Dee would also urge you to pray for the people who serve you: from the people who pick up your garbage, to the doctors and nurses who attend to you as you leave this realm and **All** those in between.



Dee left a vast amount of wealth for us in his writings that were inspired by the Holy Spirit. The Daily Challenges are on the IHNM web site.

The Daily Challenge

by D. E. Stribling

WE CAN BE ONE WITH THE FATHER

Welcome To The Owner's Suite

As my life merges with God I have less to petition Him about and more to praise him for.

When we are one, as Christ and the Father are one, we need not ask for guidance, we are guided. We needn't ask for provision, He is our provision. Our needs are met.

Being *in God* is the hope of all of God's people, and it is possible to attain, for Christ has given us His Spirit who draws us in. We just need to keep ourselves unencumbered by the things of this world so we can continue to know the will of the Father.

Christians, why settle for grandstand seats when God invites you into the owner's suite .

† Dee was in the owner's suite during his illness and before. I on the other hand seemed to be a visitor on occasion but the cares of this world kept me mostly just on the other side looking in. See-

ing Dee express God's peace and sustaining Grace was an awesome sight. My heart is now set on residing in the Owner's Suite.

Margaret

The Elderly The Disabled Struggling Single Parents.

Every day IHNM, Inc. talks with needy clients or with agencies who are seeking aid for their clients. Donations help us give *emotional, spiritual and material comfort* to persons who may not have found help through any other source.

[Below are a few of the Posted Cases on the IHNM's web site :
inhisname.org](#)

Hopefully by the time you receive this newsletter some of the cases will have been helped. You can check the web site for updates.

All need back up prayer.

Case 9100

Family with 4 children, ages 14, 3, 2, years old and 6 month old baby need assistance paying their electric bill of \$176.06. Wife lost her job the end of June and is aggressively seeking a new job. Husband draws \$330.17 disability due to an illness. He had worked in construction until 2 ½ years ago. She was raised in church and attended for years, but they are not attending right now. She has called many agencies and ministries seeking help. DHS has paid \$200 reducing it to the \$176.06. The interviewer's prayer today included: thanks for providing for this need, for favor as she interviews for a job, direction to the congregation of believers where her family will be nourished and healing for her husband.

Case 11464

Single lady, born 1952 lives alone. She

has been employed at the same company for four years, however part of her check is being garnished which made her short on her bills. She had been paying off an old debt but the financial people decided she wasn't paying enough; thus the garnishment. She is calling for assistance with her electric bill of \$90.21. The interviewer encouraged her to contact her church, even though it is small. She told the interviewer she reads her Bible and prays and attends church when she is not working on Sundays and also watches church on TV. Her concluding words were, thanks for talking and praying with me.

Case 5897

Single mother, with 4 children, daughters ages 11, 10, 8 and a son 7, needs assistance with her electric bill of \$226.61. She told the interviewer she loves her kids! Their father left them almost 7 years ago when the youngest was only 6 months old. He only calls occasionally. He is out of work at this time and helps with a little from his unemployment check. She has worked for 13 years with the same company as a cook and gets 30 to 35 hours a week. She tries to take her children to Church when she is not working. The interviewer's prayer included thankfulness for a mother's love, forgiveness for the father, and for this electric bill. The Client concluded by saying, Thank you for talking to me! Just letting me express my feelings as well as this need really helps!

Case 10045

Single mother and 6 kids, 3 at home, 16, 12, and 2 years old, two are in college and the other is working. No grandchildren yet. She needs \$525.00 rent for 08-01-09. She had been working two jobs until having a mastectomy on 06-19-09. The interviewer asked her where do you draw your strength from, she made this reply, "Lots of people are praying for me. I read my Bible, and I take one day at time." Her church has helped some. She sounds very pleased with her church and God! Prayed for healing and recovery as well as for this rent request. The client told the interviewer, "thank you for that prayer! Just visiting with some one who will listen and have encouraging words really helps!"