



## Doyle Ritchie

November 1, 1932 - May 31, 2018

Doyle Ritchie was born November 1, 1932 in Pryor Oklahoma to Floyd and Virgie Ritchie. Doyle passed away May 31, 2018 after a short battle with cancer.

Doyle was the fifth child and a toddler when his family became part of the dust bowl movement, and they began to travel west for work and a better life. He always remembered the struggles, hard work and sacrifices his father made in order to begin farming in the Visalia area.

Doyle grew up and attended schools in Visalia. He was a member of the graduating class of 1951 from Visalia High School.

He married Wanda Whinery and together they began a farming business, raised a family, and cared for each other for over 67 years.

Doyle is survived by his wife; their four children, seven grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren.

Greg and Rhonda Montgomery, (Ryan and Trisha Telford (Jillian and Patrick), Eddy and Robyn Boertje (Wade and Miles), Greg and Christina Ritchie, (Jason and Nicole Ritchie (Mikael and Remington), Eric and Candice Ritchie), Sondra Ritchie (Travis and Rochelle Legg (Emilie), Matthew and Jana Ritchie (Scott and Cortney Ritchie, Tim Ritchie)

He is also survived by two sisters, Ruby White and Ilene McLain, and a brother Floyd Ritchie Jr. and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers Clarence Ritchie, Clyde Ritchie, and a sister Juanita Baldwin.

Service will be June 8, at 10am, Visalia First Assembly, 3737 South Akers St.  
Visalia. Condolences can be made to [www.salseranddillard.com](http://www.salseranddillard.com)

# Previous Events

## Funeral

JUN 8. 10:00 AM (PT)

Visalia First Assembly of God  
3737 S Akers St  
Visalia, CA 93277

# Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Doyle Ritchie*



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**Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel** - May 31, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Grew up with Doyle as a neighbor and family friend. Have found memories of the family interactions over the years, long ago now, but still fresh in the memories. Have been out of town, and just saw this, and have duties to tend to Friday that prohibit me from attending the service, but will have the family in my heart all day.*  
*David Cox.*

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**David Cox** - June 07, 2018 at 10:58 PM

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“ *Sending our prayers and thoughts to the Ritchie Family.*

*Tim & Pam Gruber*

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**Pam Gruber** - June 05, 2018 at 07:43 PM

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“ *eric and mike shannon families purchased the Tr  
anquil Seas for the family of Doyle Ritchie.*



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**eric and mike shannon families** - June 05, 2018 at 04:39 PM