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Gösta Archibald Douglas

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Gösta Archibald Douglas, born on October 3, 1910, in Stockholm, and died on February 26, 1992, at Ekensholm, Södermanland County, was a Swedish count and business leader. He was the son of Lieutenant General Count Archibald Douglas and Astri Henschen, and the brother of Carl Douglas.

He graduated from high school in 1928 and studied at Frans Schartau's Business Institute in 1929, earning a diploma from the Stockholm School of Economics in 1936. Douglas worked at Stockholms Enskilda Bank from 1936 to 1943, served as a director at AB Investor from 1943 to 1946, CEO of Förvalta AB Providentia from 1946 to 1958 (board member), and Svenska dataregister AB from 1958 to 1968. He was a director at Sweda International from 1966 to 1975, Litton Industries from 1968 to 1975, and chairman of the Swedish-American Chamber of Commerce in New York from 1975 to 1981. After retiring from Litton Industries in 1975, he became chairman of Saab-Scania of America Inc., a position he held until 1981.

Douglas obtained a reserve officer's degree in 1932 and became a cavalry captain in the reserves in 1944. He was appointed chamberlain in 1952. Douglas was vice chairman of Real Estate AB Drott, board member of AB Navigare, Acierex AB, Monroe Calculating Machine Co Inc in Orange, New Jersey, USA, and London Office Machines Ltd in London. He was also vice chairman of the Royal Swedish Yacht Club.

Douglas married Margareta Lagerfelt in 1945 (1924–2010), daughter of Major General, Baron Axel Lagerfelt and Stina von Stockenström. He had three children: Louise (born 1946), Archibald (born 1949), and Richard (born 1952). He lived in Stockholm, Sweden; Beverly Hills, California; Middleburg, Florida; and Rivanna Farm near Charlottesville, Virginia.

Douglas died in 1992 at [Ekensholm Castle](#).

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