



## Harold David Eckert

March 17, 1939 - January 28, 2021

Harold David Eckert passed away peacefully on January 28, 2021 at his home in St. George, UT surrounded by his daughters Tia and Carly and several of his grandchildren at his side at the age of 81. He was loved by all of us and will be greatly missed.

Harold (Hal) was born on March 17, 1939 in Oakland, CA to Norah Saley Eckert and Harold William Eckert. His family moved to Utah and he graduated from South High School in Salt Lake City. He met and married Joyce Kawaguchi in Hawaii whom he shared three children with. They moved to Salt Lake City and he enjoyed a career at YESCO until he retired. In 1997 he married Leslie Ann Bruschke and after retirement they moved to St George, UT.

Hal was an avid golfer, loved to cook, travel and vacation – especially in Hawaii but his greatest love was his grandchildren. He enjoyed going to watch his grandsons play baseball, football, hockey and wrestling and his granddaughters in dance, volleyball, gymnastics and rodeo. He attended as many games and performances that he could and was so very proud of each and every one of them. He was also blessed to get to meet his three great-grandsons as well.

He is survived by his wife Leslie, son Brad Eckert (Janeen), daughters Tiana Marie Stock (Kyle) and Carly Lyn Jeffers (John), step-daughters Amy Rasi-Kaskinen (Kari), Emile Anderson (Ron), 16 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren, and his sister Sandy Nordberg (Lonny).

He was preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Sally Kenworthy.

The family would like to thank Kristin and Codi from Dixie Hospice for their loving care.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a future date.

# Comments

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“ Brad, Tia and Carly, so very sad to hear of your dad’s passing. I’ve been thinking so much lately of all the fun times we had growing up in the old neighborhood. Your dad was always so kind, remembering all the neighbors with the Sees box of chocolates every Christmas, and always a big hug and smile at all the football games, weddings, or running into him in St. George. He always made you feel happy. Please know my thoughts and love are with you all. Julie (Yeates) Forsling

Julie Forsling - February 15 at 12:08 AM

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“ Sad to hear of Hal's passing.  
I lost Sherma last year but how we remembered what I call the golden years of our old neighborhood. Hal and Joyce and Tiana, Carly and Brad were such good friends to our family and our kids. I remember Hal and how he would go out of his way to stop and talk to us. Even after he moved, he would do the same if we ran into each other - no matter where!. My love and condolences to all the family. Memories are cherished at this time as we lose a loved one.

Ed Yeates



Edward Yeates - February 10 at 01:29 PM

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“ Really loved working with Hal for many years. He was a great Mentor and Friend. It always amazed me how much his clients loved him. When we would run into his clients, they would always come up and hug him. Loved golfing and boating with him as well. Hal was a great man and will be missed. Best wishes to his family from Mitzi and I.

Jeff Krantz

Jeff Krantz - February 03 at 10:55 AM

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“ I wanted to tell the Eckert family that it was an honor working with Hal for many years at YESCO. I am sure there are many of us who feel the same way. He was a hard working, great member of our team. Although it was sometimes stressful, I always appreciated Hal's calm voice and his level headed approach. We hope that all of you will feel God's peace as you reflect on the life of this good man who is your husband, father, and grandfather.

Paul Young

Paul Young - February 03 at 10:44 AM

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Brad Eckert - January 30 at 09:19 PM