



## Clark Rulon Magleby

August 4, 1945 - December 27, 2025

Clark Rulon Magleby, 80, passed away December 27, 2025, after a hard-fought battle with prostate cancer. Clark was born on August 4, 1945, in Salt Lake City, Utah, at Holy Cross Hospital. After living in both Ogden and Ephriam, Clark's family moved to Cedar City in 1948. He developed a passion for cars at a young age and was active in the Boy Scouts of America, becoming an Eagle Scout and attending the national Boy Scout Jamboree in 1960. He graduated from Cedar City High School in 1963.

Clark joined the National Guard after high school, eventually serving for six years. At the same time, he attended college at Southern Utah University, graduating with an Associate Degree in metal technology in 1968 and another in automotive in 1969. That same year, Clark earned a B.S. degree in industrial education from SUU before going on to earn a Masters in Industrial Education from Utah State University in 1973, having taken summer courses from both Ford and GM.

Moving to Hurricane, Utah, in 1969, Clark began his teaching career as the integrated shop program instructor at Hurricane High School. In 1978, he accepted a position to teach automotive and cabinet-making classes at Dixie High School for another 22 years. After retiring formally in 2000, he wrapped up his career teaching cabinet making at Pineview High School for another 10 years, being recognized with a "Certificate of Service" for 40 years in the

Washington County School District in 2010.

Clark's passion for sports cars, classic automobiles, and motorcycles remained with him throughout his life, along with a love for flying single-prop airplanes. He also loved the ocean and the mountains and was an active member of The Hiking Club. Clark enjoyed woodworking and building hand-crafted furniture, loved repairing and restoring cars, and found joy doing yard work. He was a big reader of all kinds of books, studying various religions, and loved to travel and have adventures. He especially loved family gatherings, his two daughters, his two grandsons, and teasing his little sister forever.

Clark is survived by two sisters, Bonnie Bishop and Suzanne Magleby, two daughters, Carrie Magleby (Patrick Ortman) and Cindy (Travis) Black, and two grandsons, Nathan and Tyler Black. He was preceded in death by his parents, VR and Ila Magleby.

Clark's earthly remains will be interred at Tonaquint Cemetery Cremation Gardens, 1777 South Dixie Drive, during a ossuary service beginning at 2:00 on Friday, January 9, 2026. The family would like to thank the medical professionals who helped Clark during the last few challenging months and the hospice staff that made his final hours more peaceful.

# Cemetery Details

## Tonaquint Cemetery

1777 S. Dixie Drive  
Saint George, UT 84770

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JAN 9. 2:00 PM (MT)

Tonaquint Cemetery Cremation Gardens  
1777 S Dixie Dr, St. George, UT 84770  
St. George, UT 84770

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Service Audio Recording*



**Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah** - January 12 at 02:35 PM



“ From Tom & Carrie Knight purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Clark Rulon Magleby.



**From Tom & Carrie Knight** - January 08 at 01:38 PM



“ *Serene Retreat* was purchased for the family of Clark Rulon Magleby.



January 07 at 01:50 PM

KB

“ Clark was a great freind. We worked together st Pine View High School, He would work with any student and inspire them to better work. I was one of the school counselors and he would come and talk about students who were struggling in his class. Genuine concern for their future and how he might help them. He shared the love students becoming better people.

He and I would walk the car lots on Sunday looking for the perfect car, we never found it but we shared so many family trials, joys of success and the sorrows of real life. Clark is one of the most interesting men I know. He has a great sense of moral character. and caring for his fellow ma.

I will miss him and we will still look for the perfect car.

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**Kenneth Byrd** - January 06 at 09:11 AM

SM

Thank you Ken, so nice to hear special moments with Clark. You were such a good friend

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**Suzanne Magleby** - January 08 at 01:18 PM

JD

“ Jerry & Laurie Dyer purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Clark Rulon Magleby.



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**Jerry & Laurie Dyer** - January 02 at 05:25 PM

JD

“ I am grateful to have had Clark as my friend for over 45 years. He was the brother I never had. There are many stories I could tell. Like the first summer I moved to St George to begin working at Dixie High School. I bought a ski boat that Clark completely rebuilt the engine. And although he never went skiing with me, he did enjoy revving that engine up in Dixie High School's auto shop. Another fond memory was the winter it seemed to snow every weekend. Clark taught me how to snow ski but enjoyed most watching me fall on my butt and worse.

There are so many wonderful times and stories about Clark, but what I remember most is that Clark was the greatest guy ever. He was my best friend. He was always there for me. He was generous, giving and never expected anything in return. He adored his parents and sisters Bonnie and Suzanne. Clark loved his daughters, Carrie and Cindy, more than anything. They should be very proud of who their father was. He made the world a better place for every life he touched. I loved him and will miss him.

Jerry Dyer

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**Jerry Dyer** - January 02 at 05:17 PM

SM

Thanks Jerry, I know you two could be a crazy pair. You were such a good friend

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**Suzanne Magleby** - January 08 at 01:19 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Clark Rulon Magleby.



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January 02 at 04:30 PM

SD

“ Susan, Bob, Char, Gabriela & Deanna purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Clark Rulon Magleby.



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**Susan, Bob, Char, Gabriela & Deanna** - January 02 at 02:29 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Photos of Clark*



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**Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah** - January 02 at 10:59 AM