



Donald Vinnell Leavitt

April 3, 1930 - December 20, 2019

Donald Vinnell Leavitt, 89, passed away December 20, 2019, in St. George, UT. He was born April 3, 1930, in Auburn, Wyoming, to Ray Bryan and Mona Ilene Putnam Leavitt. He married Maxine Petersen on April 4, 1950, in the Idaho Falls Temple. Together they raised three children, they later divorced in 1982. He married Dixie Wynn April 17, 1987 in the South Jordan Temple. Donald was raised on a dairy farm in Auburn, WY. He attended High School in Afton, when he came of age he joined the US Navy. He worked as a supervisor in the Civil Service at Hill Airforce Base. He was an active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints together with his wife Dixie they served a mission in Spain. He loved the outdoors, and entertaining visitors. He loved his family very much.

Don was survived by: his first wife Maxine Petersen, his children, Ken Leavitt, Russell Vinnell (Cindy) Leavitt, Liisa (James) Hunt, Kimberly Bradshaw; Siblings Bernita Snook, Norene DeTorres; grandchildren, Brandon, Chad, Destry, Saarandon, Tanner, Jeffrey, and Derek; and 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by: his parents; wife Dixie; step-sons, Chuck Parker, and Scott Bradshaw; siblings, Garth, Bryan, Floyd, Louise, Helen, and Jenean.

Funeral services will be held Monday, December 30, 2019, at 11:00 am at the Green Valley 1st Ward LDS Chapel, 511 South Valley View Dr., St. George, Utah. A visitation will be held from 9:30 to 10:30 prior to the service. Interment and military honors will follow at Tonaquint Cemetery.

Family and friends are invited to share tributes online at www.SernityStG.com.
Arrangements and memorial tree planting by Serenity Funeral Home of
Southern Utah, 986-9100.

Cemetery Details

Tonaquint Cemetery

1777 S. Dixie Drive
Saint George, UT 84770

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 30. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

Green Valley 9th Ward Chapel
511 S Valley View Dr
St. George, UT 84790

Service

DEC 30. 11:00 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I am truly sorry to hear of your loss. Don and Dixie were really good friends of our's while they lived in Star Valley. The livedreally close to our home. Dixie and I worked together in the RS in the church for 3.5 years so we became really close, I was really shocked to read in Don;s Obit that Dixie has passed. I am so very sorry. can you please email me some info on her death
joshdianaflud@gmail.com Thank you !!

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