



## Donna Kilfoyle

December 26, 1923 - April 3, 2021

Donna Parker Kilfoyle was born December 26, 1923 in Idaho Falls, ID to Charles Jacob and Elizabeth (Anderson) Parker. On April 3, 2021 she joined her husband, Stearns, and daughter, Karel, in Heaven along with her parents and all seven of her siblings.

At a young age the family moved to Ogden, UT and when she was 10 years old the family moved to Bountiful, UT. She attended Bountiful Jr. High and graduated from Davis High School in 1942.

She married her high school sweetheart, Stearns L. Kilfoyle, on June 25, 1943 in the Salt Lake City temple. In 2013, the family held an Open House in celebration of their 70th wedding anniversary.

Donna worked at Hill Air Force Base ZCMI personnel office while Stearns was serving during the war. After the war ended, they lived in Verdland Park where son, Gregory Stearns was born and a year and a half later daughter, Karel Ann. In 1950 the family moved to Clarkston, WA where son, Jerry Parker, later was born.

While in Clarkston, Donna worked with her husband in the office of Smith's Frozen Foods for several years during the summer pea harvest.

Throughout her life Donna was an active member of the LDS church where she was involved as Primary President, Young Woman President, Relief Society President and many other callings.

In 1976, they moved back to Layton, UT. Donna was the Director of the Beehive House for eight years.

After Stearns retired, they bought a house in St. George, UT and traveled there every winter for 30 years. In July 2020 she moved to Santa Clara, UT and lived with her son and daughter-in-law, Jerry and Lyndee, who lovingly cared for her until her passing.

She is survived by her sons Greg (April) of Scottsdale, AZ and Jerry (Lyndee) of Santa Clara, UT; and son-in-law Richard Linford of Centerville, UT. She is also survived by 8 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, April 9, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. at the Summerwood Ward Chapel located at 1410 E. Gentile Street Layton, Utah. A visitation will be held on Thursday, April 8, 2021 from 6:30- 8:00 p.m. at the same location and Friday the 9th prior to the services from 10-10:45 a.m. A graveside ceremony will be follow after at the Kaysville City Cemetery.

The family would like to thank Intermountain St. George hospice staff for their help during the last weeks of Donna's life. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Intermountain Hospice, 11520 S. Redwood Rd. So. Jordan, UT 84095 in memory of Donna Kilfoyle.

There will be a live stream ZOOM link added for Friday's service, please check back on Friday to view that.



# Cemetery Details

## Kaysville City Cemetery

500 Crestwood Road  
Kaysville, UT

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 8. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Summerwood Ward Chapel  
1410 E. Gentile Street  
Layton, UT 84040

## Viewing

APR 9. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (MT)

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## Funeral Service

APR 9. 11:00 AM (MT)

Summerwood Ward Chapel  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah created a Webcast in memory of Donna Kilfoyle*



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**Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah** - April 07, 2021 at 06:51 PM

EB

“ *What a lovely service to honor Donna. She would have loved it. She was so proud of her family and all they've accomplished. Donna was a pillar of strength and love for our family. She was a wonderful woman. We will truly miss her.*  
*Eve and Roy Blackburn*

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**Eve Blacoburn** - April 09, 2021 at 02:37 PM

SB

“ *Our family lived by Donna and Stearns when when we were young. They were the best friends of my parents, Joan and Roy Carlson. We had so much fun with them and their boat and their big basement. They also let me come and stay with them one summer and work in the pea factory. They helped my parents get active in the church and we've all benefited from the joyful gospel message. I know that they are happy to be together again and they are with my parents. I wouldn't be surprised if they are dancing!*

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**Sue Carlson Brown** - April 09, 2021 at 02:16 PM

BM

“ Donna was a lovely and elegant lady in every way. She always dressed and looked immaculate. She had a beautiful singing voice when singing Church hymns. Her testimony of our Savior was always beautiful and meaningful to me.



*Her kindness to others was always a beautiful example to all. I loved her!*

*She will be missed in the neighborhood and our Summerwood Ward.*

*Peace and comfort to her family.*

*BJ Mortensen*

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**Betty Jo Mortensen** - April 08, 2021 at 01:29 AM

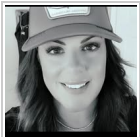


“ Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Donna Kilfoyle.



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April 07, 2021 at 03:02 PM



“ One of the sweetest, truly Christlike, women I have known. Always hospitable to our family when we came for a visit. I truly always felt like we were actually related as a young girl because that's how Donna and Stearns made you feel, like family. Truly an angel.

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**Rebecah Cumming** - April 07, 2021 at 12:44 AM

JL

“ 5 files added to the album Kilfoyle family



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**Jeremy Linford** - April 06, 2021 at 08:36 PM

SS

*Such wonderful pictures. Thanks for sharing. Sue*

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**Sue Smith** - April 07, 2021 at 04:06 PM

SS

“ *The Lyle and Maurine Smith family, from Clarkston, WA wish to send our love to Greg, Alice, Jerry and Lyndee. Donna was a very dear friend of our parents. Mom and Dad teamed up with Donna and Stearns to decorate our Chapel for several Christmas seasons. We have very dear memories of Donna while living here in Clarkston. I am so grateful I had the opportunity over the last few years to visit with Donna via phone and revisit our memories of years past. Donna will be missed ❤️ The Smith kids: Mari, Shelley, Sue, Steve, Chuck and Kris.*

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**Sue Smith** - April 06, 2021 at 08:14 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *Kilfoyle's*



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**Lyndee Lightfoot-Kilfoyle** - April 06, 2021 at 07:08 PM

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“ 2 files added to the album *Kilfoyle family*



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**Lyndee Lightfoot-Kilfoyle** - April 06, 2021 at 07:07 PM