



## Dr. Albert Gordon Reynolds

January 25, 1926 - June 11, 2021

Dr. Reynolds was born on January 25, 1926 in Vashon, WA to Albert Hargrave and Claire Louise (Stowell). At five years old, young Gordon announced to his parents that he was going to be a doctor, a commitment that governed him from that day forward!

Dr. Reynolds married Jonelle Simpson in 1989 in Mill Valley, CA.

St. George, Utah has been their home since 1999.

In addition to his loving wife Jonelle, Dr. Reynolds is survived by his three children, Scott Reynolds and his wife Cathy, Debra Reynolds and Lori Glaze and her husband Chris, three step-children, Steve Rice, Mike Rice and Linda Schwenkmeyer (deceased) Linda's husband, Karl, as well as eight grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

He was a Military Corpsman Navy Hospital WWII, captian MC US Army Korean War, combat medal, Purple Heart, Meritorious Award from Crown Prince Thailand.

Dr. Reynolds received his BS from Kansas University where he played basketball under famed coach Phog Allen. True to his young words, Dr. Reynolds went on to receive his Medical Degree from University of Michigan,

Ann Arbor. After graduating from medical school, Dr. Reynolds relocated to Redlands, CA where he opened his own OB-GYN private practice. He later served as the chief of Staff of Redlands Community Hospital. Dr. Reynolds was known as a compassionate and intuitive physician, recognized by patients and colleagues alike as a preeminent practitioner and champion of women's health. He was committed to staying on the forefront in his field of medicine, through research, education and his ability to think outside of the box.

To his hundreds of patients, Dr. Reynolds was considered so much more than just a doctor; he was a trusted and loyal friend. Dr. Reynolds was also a respected member of the Redland Medical Community. In addition to his private practice, Dr. Reynolds served as an Assistant Clinical Professor at University of California, Los Angeles and Director of Loma Linda Medical Center. Following his retirement from Obstetrics he moved to Carlsbad and accepted serving as the Medical Director of the La Costa Spa, offering leading edge ideas in preventative medicine and fitness. He also led 2 week retreats to participants all over the world to experience change of lifestyles. During his tenure at LaCosta Spa, he co-authored The LaCosta Book of Nutrition.

After relocating to St. George in 1999, Dr. Reynolds was named the Medical Director of the Green Valley Spa in St. George, Utah. He served in this position until his retirement.

Dr. Reynolds was an esteemed healer who will be remembered for his integrity, humbleness and willingness to explore beyond the known and into the unknown, forging and creating new ways of healing and hope. Dr. Reynolds truly aspired to letting the beauty of what you love be what you do.

In his final years he allowed himself to experience another passion, nature, and watched the birds and wildlife in the back yard.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to the local Food Bank.

A celebration of life will be held on August 28, 2021. Check for further details.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I will always remember Gordon as a true gentleman. He was kind and willing to help. He was brilliant and wise but very very humble. We never knew all the things he did until I read the obituary and we have known him over twenty-five years! He was full of compassion, grace and goodness.

Gordon and Jonelle helped to support and change many lives. Always willing to serve.

They lived love together and generously gave of themselves to touch many many lives!

Bless Jonelle and the family as they go through this time of transition of Gordon into more life.

We will miss Gordon's smile, his sense of humor and all the times and ways he was a true friend. We will hold him in our hearts forever.

Terry and Lee Gopadze



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**Terry Gopadze** - June 23, 2021 at 03:17 PM



“ What a great example of a life well lived in the service of others! We feel so honored to have known Gordon and his Jonelle. Ever a kindly and gentle soul. Our Love and Condolences to His family.  
Laurence and Bobbie Parker

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**Bobbie Parker** - June 20, 2021 at 03:15 PM

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“Gordon was a kind and compassionate man. He was quite extraordinary in so many ways as this obituary points out. We will all miss him and remember his gentle wisdom and kindness. I send my love and prayers to Jonelle and all his family and friends who are saddened by their loss of this lovely man. Carelyn

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**Carelyn Parr** - June 18, 2021 at 11:58 PM