

Helen Marie Eckman

June 25, 1963 - June 20, 2025

Helen Marie Eckman, age 61, courageously passed through the veil on Friday June 20, 2025 surrounded by her loving family, just five days short of her 62nd birthday.

Born on June 25, 1963 in Palmer, Alaska to LeRoy and Karen Eckman, she quickly stole their hearts.

Helen was a proud graduate of Palmer High School, Class of 1981.

Helen is lovingly survived by her mother, Karen H. Eckman, daughters Harriette K. Gartrell (Aaron) , Annette H. Odia, son, Paul P. Eckman Jr. (Cara), brothers, Brian W. Eckman (Karin) and Christian K. Eckman (Tamara), grandchildren, Ethan Reed, Finn Gartrell, Zoey Mulcady, Marie Mulcady, Jayden Odia, Jared Eckman, Olivia Eckman and Caleb Eckman. Helen was preceded in death by her adoring father, LeRoy Everett Eckman and brother Stanley LeRoy Eckman.

Helen is a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, holding many callings as well as serving several missions. Helen's true calling was family history and the temple work that proceeded.

When Helen wasn't enjoying her family or church calling, she was serving the

National Federation of the Blind, holding various positions in Alaska, Oregon and Utah. Helen made many wonderful friends serving in this capacity and she treasured those friendships right up until she passed.

Helen's mortal life was dotted with many physical challenges, and yet, Helen faced those challenges head on, determined to do as she wished. Helen's example of steadfastness passed to her children and grandchildren. While we sorely miss her now, her family knows we will see her again.

Cemetery Details

Tonaquint Cemetery

1777 S. Dixie Drive
Saint George, UT 84770

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 28. 10:00 AM (MT)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
1285 North Bluff Street
St. George, UT 84770

Funeral Service

JUN 28. 11:00 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall



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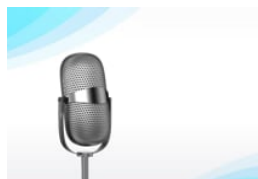
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My sweet brave cousin, I spent the first 14 years of my life with her. She was so kind and brave. I spent all the time in summers with Helen and her family. I was always with out grandparents and my Aunt Karen that I could. I pray for the joyous reunion we will all have in heaven. Our heavenly father promised us this. Blessings to all my family. Karenlee cottrell peteres

*I would love any family or friends to reach out if you would like. I'm the daughter of t h e eldest son, James A Cottrell III.
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*Blessings to all in the name of Jesus christ,
Our lord and savior.
Karenlee*

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*I'm sorry for all the typos. I could not find a way to edit my comment.
Karenlee*

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