



James D Hone

December 12, 1951 - August 20, 2015

James "Poppy" D. Hone wonderful husband, loving father, adored grandfather, and loyal friend has gone to play golf on a higher plane. Jim had a special and loving relationship with his sister, Elva Jean Thornton of American Fork. He left us on August 20, 2015 at age 63. He was born on December 12, 1951 to James C. Hone and Louise Deuel Hone.

Jim was born and raised in Orem, UT where he worked alongside his father at Jim's Kamper Sales for many years. He spent his life selling and repairing RVs. He was married for 12 years to Mary Ellen Vincent who gave him four beautiful children. They later divorced and Jim met the love of his life and forever dance partner, Karen in 1983. They married shortly after in 1984 and Jim gained 3 more children. After a short time in Orem and San Diego, they settled down in St. George 1991.

Next to his family, Jim's passions were golf and boating. He loved spending time outdoors and his favorite location was Lake Powell where he would spend hours with his family and friends. For years he played softball with his friends and family in a community league where he got the nickname "Shoe" which stuck the rest of his life. Jim spent 12 years in the army reserve where he was honorably discharged in ping-pong and pool. His skills were legendary among his children and grandchildren. Jim had a great love for people and gave freely of himself to anyone who was in need.

Jim is survived by: his wife Karen; his children: Billie Sorensen (Stephanie) of Sandy, Charles Sorensen (Lisa) of Salt Lake, Brad Hone of St. George, Becky Adams (Ray) of Hurricane, Melissa Ruiz (Jared) of Payson, Summer Gardner (Brad) of Denver, Kellie Duncan (Mike) of Spanish Fork; 23 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren, and countless friends including his poker buddies... and his dog Ozzy.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his sister Marie; and his grandson Mickey.

A Celebration of Life will be held at St. George Elks Lodge 630 W 1250 N, St. George, UT at 1:00 PM on Monday, August 24, 2015. In lieu of flowers, visit intermountainhealthcare.org to donate a gift in Jim's name as they have been a great help during his illness.

Friends and family are invited to share condolences online at www.SerenityStG.com. Arrangements and memorial tree planting by Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah, 986-2085.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG **24**. 1:00 PM (MT)

Elks Lodge

630 W 1250 N

St George, UT 84790

<http://www.elks1743.com/>

Tribute Wall

DC

“ Dear Karen I am so sorry for your loss. I send my love to you, and your family at this sad time. And I pray that you will feel peace and comfort, and Jim's arms around you. Keep your memories alive and close to your heart.

Donna Coates

donna coates - August 25, 2015 at 01:25 AM

NP

“ Karen, Jim had the biggest sparkle in his eye when he came into our office to help you!
He literally glowed when he spoke of you!

Blessings to you and those that you love! Jim will be greatly missed by all!

Nancy Pearce-Harris

Nancy Pearce-Harris - August 24, 2015 at 12:45 PM

SH

“ I knew Jim when he worked at Painter's RV. I want to send my love to the family. He definitely loved you all.

Suzanne Hunt - August 24, 2015 at 11:17 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James D Hone.*



August 24, 2015 at 02:00 AM



“ *Karen and family, so sorry for your loss. Jim was a great man and will be missed by many! RIP Jim.*

Charmain OMara - August 24, 2015 at 12:25 AM



“ *We first met Jim when he worked at Painters. We purchased a new trailer and a new boat from him. He was not only a wonderful salesman, but a good and trusted friend. Jim invited us to his home so that we could see his boat (we all loved Lake Powell). Due to some physical problems we had to stop playing golf, but that never stood in the way of our friendship. We followed him when he went to another RV sales position...but he usually was out for lunch (golf) when we came by! That never stopped our friendship - we often thanked Jim for his attention to detail and his kindness. James will be missed.
Ken & Sheri Mandell*

Ken and Sheri - August 23, 2015 at 03:38 PM

KR

“ Brad, so sorry to learn about the passing of your father. Our prayers are with you and your family during this sad time. Kristi and Chad Holley



Kristi - August 23, 2015 at 09:35 AM

DT

“ Karen I am so sorry for your loss. My family sends prayers to yours. RIP Jim

Dion Tolbert

Dion Tolbert - August 22, 2015 at 10:47 PM

JH

“ Karen, So sorry to read of Jim's passing. I enjoyed the good times in the Elks & Friends bowling league with you and Jim and your team. May God's love be with you in this time of sorrow and I'm sure you'll embrace the good times. RIP Jim.

John Hoff
jnhoff0512@gmail.com

John Hoff - August 22, 2015 at 12:47 PM

JG

“ Karen, I am so sorry. The great times we had playing golf and festivizing are such wonderful memories. I am sending you and yours light and love. JoAnn Goodell

JoAnn Goodell - August 22, 2015 at 12:20 PM

MH

“ A beautiful tribute to a great man..I have great memories of all the fun times we had when we were younger. God Bless you sweet Karen, the road ahead is a rough one for a while, but with the love and support of your awesome family you will get through it.. My sincere love and prayer's to you and your family. love Maggie Hedger



Maggie Hedger - August 22, 2015 at 10:32 AM

EJ

“ Karen, Deepest Sympathy to you and your family. I have such fond memories of your bowling team on the Elks and Friends Bowling League.
Evelyn.

Evelyn Jones - August 22, 2015 at 10:32 AM

LR

“ Karen i'm so sorry for your loss Jims a great guy and left way to soon I'll miss my lake pal !!!!!

loyde robinson - August 22, 2015 at 10:11 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Jim Hone



Front Desk - August 21, 2015 at 02:01 PM