



Jeffery Curtis Findley

September 5, 1952 - October 28, 2025

Jeffery Curtis Findley returned to his heavenly home on October 28, 2025.

Jeff was born on September 5, 1952, in Salt Lake City, Utah, to Arthur Eugene and Jane Darlene Findley. They divorced shortly after his birth. He was raised by his loving mother with the help of her family in the Brickyard area of Salt Lake City, Utah. Jeff attended local schools and graduated from Granite High School in 1971.

He served a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in the Gulf States Mission from 1971 to 1973.

In March of 1974, he met Janet Lee Barton. During their first date, he thought "I could marry this girl." Jeff and Janet were married December 6, 1974, in the Salt Lake City temple.

In November of 1975, they welcomed their daughter Raelyn. Two more daughters followed: Julie in July of 1977 and Liz in August of 1979. They raised their family in West Jordan, Utah. Jeff worked hard to support his family. He worked for Utah Transit Authority as a bus driver for twenty-one years.

In 1998 Jeff and Janet moved to St. George, Utah to get out of the snow. Jeff

went to work for DARTS (Dixie Area Rapid Transport Systems), which later transitioned to SunTran. He worked as a driver/dispatcher and retired in September 2017. In his journal, Jeff said this about his career: "All I have ever wanted to do for a job is drive bus. I got the chance to do it and also be in on the ground floor of the start-up of mass transit in St. George, Utah."

Jeff was a faithful member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and served in a variety of callings, including the Elders Quorum, ward librarian, and was secretary to 5 consecutive High Priest Group leaders. He and Janet were service missionaries at the ROC (Records Operations Center) in St. George, Utah.

Jeff loved spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren, going for drives, and traveling. His favorite place to travel was California. Jeff loved the ocean and riding the mass transit systems. He also enjoyed watching sports, especially the Utah Jazz and University of Utah football.

Jeff is survived by his loving wife, Janet; daughters Raelyn Findley, Julie Bollwinkel (Jeffrey), and Liz Wilkinson (Richard); grandchildren Katie, Emma, and Sarah Smith; Penni, Teancum, Aiden, Caeli Camellia Wilkinson; uncle Tom White (Joanne); sister-in-law Nancy Johnson (Sam); and many cousins and friends.

He is preceded in death by his mother, Darlene Findley, and son in-law Aaron Smith.

The family would like to thank the following: Dr. Brett Muse, Dr. Zachary Reese, Dr. Carrie Willis, the doctors, nurses, and patient care techs of St. George Regional Hospital 2nd Floor West, Intermountain Homecare and Hospice, and Serenity Funeral Home for the excellent care and concern they have provided Jeff and his family.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, November 8, 2025, at 12pm at Serenity Funeral Home. (13863 S. 2700 W Bluffdale, UT 84065)

A viewing will take place prior to the service from 10:30am to 11:30am. Interment to follow at the Bountiful City Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Bountiful City Cemetery

2224 S 200 W
Bountiful, UT 84010

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV 8. 10:30 AM (MT)

Serenity Funeral Home
13863 South 2700 West
Bluffdale, UT

Funeral Service

NOV 8. 12:00 PM (MT)

Serenity Funeral Home
13863 South 2700 West
Bluffdale, UT

Tribute Wall

RF

“ Raelyn F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeffery Curtis Findley.

Raelyn F. - November 11, 2025 at 01:36 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Funeral Audio Recording



Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah - November 10, 2025 at 11:09 AM

BW

This is so special to hear the funeral program for this special man who is so adored by his daughters and granddaughters. I remember how Julie always talked about fun times with her dad. We remember him as a very gentle and kind person, such a blessing to all who know him. May Janet and all the family be blessed and comforted and know that he lived such an exemplary life and, as has been said, they will see their dad/grandpa/husband again! We love Jeff and his family.

Betty & Carvel Whiting - November 24, 2025 at 05:01 AM

TF

“ Tom and Joanne and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jeffery Curtis Findley.



Tom and Joanne and family - November 08, 2025 at 10:24 AM

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GH

“ Love and Prayers to all the Findley Family. Jeff and I grew up in the same neighborhood. I remember spending many summer days playing croquet in his backyard or playing monopoly on his living room floor. Jeff's mother Darlene and grandmother Drucilla were like 2nd moms to me, as was my mother to Jeff. Sometimes in the evenings we would walk through the brickyard looking for fossils in the shale piles. I also remember his collections of transit maps and bus schedules from all over the country and how happy he was to explain and show them off. It was no surprise to me that he chose busses and transit for his career. Time flies fast - High School, girl friends, LDS Missions and careers kind of took us down different paths and sad to say it has been a number of years since Jeff and I had any contact. But Jeff will always be one of my eternal friends and I look forward to the day we meet again. I send my Prayers and Condolences to Janet and all the family through this very difficult time of sadness.

Grant L Hardy - November 06, 2025 at 08:53 PM

BM

“ We loved Jeff or should I say (Elder Findley). It was such a great blessing for us to be able to sit by you on the mission. Jeff and Janet's friendship means the world to us. We loved listening to him talk about the transit authority. He had a real love for it. Our prayers are with Janet and the family at this difficult time.



Brian and Sally Marston - November 01, 2025 at 11:26 PM

TW

Though Tom was his uncle Jeff was more like a little brother He and his mom lived across the street and they were together every day. He was a good son, grandson and nephew we will miss him. -

Thomas White - November 02, 2025 at 11:24 PM