



Joseph Lynn Gubler

January 9, 1935 - October 6, 2013

Our father Joseph Lynn Gubler, 78, passed away on October 6, 2013, in St. George, UT, of complications from pneumonia. Dad was the 3rd child of 10, born on January 9, 1935, in LaVerkin, Utah, to Wickley Gubler and Ruth Empey Gubler.

Lynn attended and graduated from Hurricane High School, Dixie College and Brigham Young University. He was involved in both Football and Wrestling. Dad was a lifelong faithful member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. He served a 2 ½ year mission for the church to Montevideo, Uruguay. After returning from South America he taught English and History at high schools in Roy, UT, and Las Vegas, NV. He was approached by his father Wickley to help him construct the I-15 freeway, and that choice sent Dad on a path to learning a new profession, as a building contractor. It was also while in Las Vegas that he met and married our mother, Edith Grace Langford, in the St. George Temple on August 10, 1962. The next year, Dad accepted a calling to serve a Labor Mission in South America, where primarily, he built chapels all over the continent. So he moved mom and their first child down, spending one year living in Montevideo & Minas, Uruguay, and then six years in Lima, Peru, where their next 4 children were born. Upon returning home we lived in Carson City, NV and then Salt Lake City, Utah, where their last 2 children were born. In 1981 he came full circle; he built us a home and moved us back to LaVerkin. During his life Dad owned three construction companies through

which he did a lot of work for the Church building Seminaries among many other projects, and many Municipal buildings, some of which included the Hurricane City Office bldg., Fire stations in Cedar City, Hurricane, Kanab and St. George. He also worked on projects at both Zion's and Grand Canyon National parks. He had many teaching callings; served in the Bishopric and a mission in the Spanish branch in Hurricane, Utah. He also served as a City Councilman. Dad enjoyed camping, 4-wheeling, gardening, Astronomy, History, Languages, Photography and Gemology.

Lynn is survived by his: children, Martene (Percival) of Las Vegas, NV, Daniel (Robalyn) of Iona, ID, Wickley (Ann) of Erda, UT; Rachel and Grace, both of LaVerkin, UT; Clarence (Tania) of Eagle Mnt., UT; and 13 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his: wife Edith; his daughter Diane; his parents; and a sister; and a brother.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, October 12, 2013, at 11:00am at the LaVerkin Stake Center, 481 N. Main St., LaVerkin, UT. A visitation will be held prior to the services from 9:00 to 10:45am. Interment will follow the service at the LaVerkin City Cemetery. Per our Dad's wishes, if you received a Bolo tie or jewelry made by him, please wear it to the services.

Friends and Family are invited to share condolences online at www.SereniCareofStGeorge.com Arrangements are under the direction of SereniCare Funeral Home of St. George, UT, 986-2085.

Cemetery Details

LaVerkin City Cemetery

600 N. State Street
LaVerkin, UT

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT **12**. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

LaVerkin Stake Center
481 N. Main Street
LaVerkin, UT 84745

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Gublers, It has been a long long time. My name is Jill Short, and I was friends with Diane when you lived in Salt Lake. I also loved your mother. I never eat an avocado without thinking about her. She was the first to teach me about them. She would mash it up and put it on toast. I am sorry about the loss of your Dad. I hope that there is a happy reunion on the other side for Diane and your parents. Best wishes to all of you. Jill Short Worlton....St. George, Utah (bossymama@hotmail.com)

One of you boys served a mission with one of my college roommates Annette Peterson. I can't remember which country....It was Spanish speaking.

Jill Worlton - October 12, 2013 at 11:15 PM