



Sheldon Murray Wright

October 29, 1937 - October 3, 2020

Sheldon Murray Wright was born October 29, 1937 and raised in Hurricane, UT. When school started, Murray was the youngest in his class. He would often need to prove himself against the older, bigger classmates, which he did with great success. Whether it was in sports or the occasional 'tussle' he earned their respect.

Throughout the rest of his life, Murray would continually put his best against his fellow man, never shying away from a challenge. The end result would be the same, he would earn the respect and admiration of those around him.

Murray loved his life and lived it to the fullest.

He enjoyed racing cars and motorcycles in official AND unofficial settings. He owned and flew his own airplane. The family loved taking trips together, flying over Zion and over the strip at night. Murray was an entrepreneur, he started a successful business that provided for 3 generations of his family.

He would work from sun up to sundown improving everything within his responsibility, from himself to his land and his family. He never stopped improving. His example of hard work and independence inspired many of his progeny to start businesses of their own.

Murray was married to Karen Ballard Wright and had 5 beautiful daughters. All that knew him would agree, Murray was a great man. He was a man to be admired. While his presence in our lives will be missed, his example and inspiration will never leave us.

Murray left this world on October 3, 2020, age 83 to join his beloved wife of 60

years, Karen and their daughters; Keri, Valeri and Shelly.

He is survived by his daughters Monica and Sheri, 12 Grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren. As Dad/Grandpa would say, "There ain't a bad one in the bunch." A viewing for family and friends will be held from 5-7:00 p.m. at Serenity Funeral Home 1316 S. 400 E. #A3 St. George UT. Graveside services will be held on October 19, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. at the Hurricane City Cemetery, 255 E. 600 N. Hurricane, UT 84737.

Family and friends are invited to share tributes online at SerenityStG.com. Arrangements and memorial tree planting by Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah, 986-9100.

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT **18.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (MT)

Serenity Funeral Home
1316 South 400 East A-5
Saint George, UT 84790
<http://www.serenitystg.com>

Graveside

OCT **19.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Hurricane City Cemetery
200 E. 600 N.
Hurricane, UT 84737

Tribute Wall

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“ I'm sorry I was unable to attend Murry's service. I was shocked when my Aunt Irene told me he had passed. Murray was one of the many cousins my mother loved spending time with. Them and their spouses would get together to catch up on the latest happenings. They laughed while talking about the many memories they shared together. I loved being present during some of those visits with my mother and father. What a great love they all had for each other. The yearly cousin's reunions are now getting bigger on the other side as more pass on to be greeted by the others. God bless those remaining and my heart goes out to all family members for your loss. Thank God for families.

Love,
Sandra Blake Call

Sandra Blake Call - October 19, 2020 at 05:19 PM

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“ Murray was a Great family man. He took the good with bad at the same stride from what I remember. I always admired him for that. He always treated me with respect and that I will always be grateful for. Lord knows there were times I'm sure he had plenty to say to me, being married to his daughter and not always living up to roll like I should have. He was truly a man with both feet walking with God. So long Murray it was truly a pleasure knowing you.
Larry G.

Larry Giddings - October 18, 2020 at 10:22 AM



“ *Rose Tribute was purchased for the family of Sheldon Murray Wright.*



October 16, 2020 at 07:21 PM



“ *Murray was such a good man. He could keep a straight face telling a good story. He was a strong man and always such a hard worker. I will miss him but he is back with your mom and that would make them both happy! Love Shelley Cox*

Shelley Cox - October 14, 2020 at 01:08 AM