



## Stanley Duane Chandler

May 6, 1939 - September 18, 2017

City of residence: St. George, Utah

Stanley Duane Chandler of St. George, Utah passed away on Sept. 18, 2017 at the age of 78. He was born in Yuma Colorado and spent most of his life farming in Meridian, Idaho, Nampa Idaho, Spokane Washington and worked the mines in Zortman, Montana. He owned and operated a grade A dairy, a feed store and loved animals and farming. Shortly after marrying Berniece Merchant he joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. He was a dedicated stake missionary and later served as the Branch President of the Zortman, Montana Branch. He was employed for a brief time as a forest firefighter knowing the names of every tree and bush in the forest. His favorite being wild huckleberries. He was especially fascinated by hummingbirds as was his mother. Feeding his St. George patio hummingbirds brought him so much joy as his health continued decline. He was a quiet gentle soul, kind and loving to all who knew him. He was a loving husband, brother, father, grandfather and faithful friend willing to serve anyone in need.

He was preceded in death by his parents of Nampa Idaho, Floyd Jesse Chandler, Evelyn Yvonne Young Chandler, his wife Bernice Merchant Chandler, brother in law Eugene Kelsey, four sister in laws, Drusilla Homer, Delpha Winward, Kathy L. Leavitte and Gloria Russell.

He is survived by his siblings, David Lee Chandler, Joyce Chandler, Linda Kelsey and Corliss Chandler McGrath,. He is survived by current wife, Ina R. Hepworth Chandler, his children Christopher, Nathan, Lyndal Forsyth Stacey Boyle, Todd Hepworth, Paul Hepworth and Michelle Hepworth. Together Stan and Ina have 29 adorable grandchildren and 24 precious great grandchildren.

The family would like to thank the doctors and medical staff for the kind and loving manner in which they watched over Stan and Ina during those terrifying final hours preceding his death. You are appreciated more than words alone can express.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *We love you. You are such great people. May God bless you now* 😍😍  
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**Stoker** - September 22, 2017 at 10:28 AM

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“ *Please accept our deepest sympathies on the passing of your father and husband. We have joy in knowing we will meet him again. Allen and Bonnie*

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**Allen Forsyth** - September 21, 2017 at 02:10 PM