



Thomas Smith Jessop Sr

August 26, 1931 - June 4, 2018

Thomas Smith Jessop Sr, 86- Passed away peacefully on June 4, 2018, at the home of his son Gary, in Loveland, CO. He was born to Joseph Smith Jessop and Annie Marriott Jessop August 26, 1931, in Salt Lake City, UT.

Tom spent his childhood and youth in Millville, and Short Creek UT. He attended Short Creek School before being drafted into the Korean conflict. He attained the rank of Corporal. He received an honorable discharge and arrived home on July 25, 1953. He used his G.I. funding to attend trade technical school in Salt Lake City, UT, where he became a Master Mechanic in Diesel and Automotive. He was a skilled welder and apprentice Miller and Farm Machinery Specialist.

He was preceded in death by: his Parents; and his brother William; and his wife Aleta. He is survived by: his wife Ruth; his sons, Thomas Smith Jessop Jr (Teresa wife), Gary, and Shawn; siblings, Albert, Ellen, Joseph, John, Hyrum, and Mable Annie.

Service will include a viewing Thursday, June 14, 2018, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah, 1316 S. 400 E., St George Utah.

A second viewing will be held Friday, June 15, 2018, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. prior to the Funeral Service that will begin at 1:00 p.m. at the Holm Heritage Center in Hildale, Utah. Interment will be at the Isaac Carling Memorial Cemetery in Colorado City, AZ, Military Honors provided by the St. George American Legion Post # 90.

Family and friends are invited to share condolences online at www.Serenityst

g.com. Arrangements and memorial tree planting by Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah, 435-986-9100.

Cemetery Details

Isaac Carling Cemetery

500 Township Ave
Colorado City, AZ 86021

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 14. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah
1316 South 400 East, Suite A-5
St. George, UT 84790
(435) 986-2085
mail@serenitystg.com

Viewing

JUN 15. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (MT)

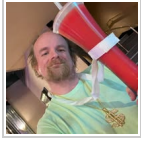
Holms Meeting Hall
1065 N. Carling St.
Hildale, UT 84784

Internment

JUN 15 (MT)

Isaac Carling Cemetery
500 Township Ave
Colorado City, AZ 86021

Tribute Wall



“ *He got to be home after all.. ty father :)*

Shawn Jessop - June 16, 2021 at 06:07 PM



“ *I fondly think of Tom as the planner of great family vacations for my sister Aleta and for the children. People I have told about his vacations have done the same and had fantastic vacations too.*



While he seldom talked a lot, I'll never forget a trip when he went to Salt Lake with me and my husband and talked the whole time. He told of his experiences of growing up in Short Creek and his army experiences. This was an experience I will never forget.

Grandma loved asking Tom to fix things around her house. She thought he always did a good job at what he did. She also would say he could pack a truck better than anyone! He could fit a lot in a truck bed after all those yard sale purchases.

Tom will always be remembered. He's in a better place now, free of any pain and illnesses.

Irene Thomas - June 11, 2018 at 02:27 PM