



Walter Steven Burdette

November 3, 1924 - September 21, 2016

Walter Steven Burdette passed away peacefully on Sept. 21, 2016, in St. George, Utah. Steve was born on Nov. 3, 1924, to Walter Raymond and May Willis Burdette in Salt Lake City, Utah. He was their second child, and first son. He attended Sherman Elementary, Irving Jr. High, Granite High School, and received a BS from the University of Utah. As part of the first group of 18 year olds who were drafted in WWII, he served his country as a member of the Army medical core in the South Pacific. On Dec. 17 1948, he married Sophie Hofman in the Salt Lake Temple. They lived in East Millcreek while they raised 4 children. On Jan. 13, 1971, their family lost their wife and mother when Sophie passed away due to a tragic accident. On Mar. 17, 1972, Steve married Katherine Humphries in the Salt Lake temple. They raised 4 children while living in Salt Lake City and LaVerkin, Utah. Hard work was at the base of who Steve was; he retired from the United States Postal services after 30 plus years, and then held several different jobs until he was 75 years old. Throughout his life Steve was an example of hard work, faithful service, and dedication to his family and the Lord. He served faithfully in the LDS church in many callings, his favorite being Scout Master, financial clerk, and ward greeter.

He is survived by his wife, Katherine Humphries Burdette; children Steven Burdette (Annette), Michael Burdette, Jan Barker (John), Walt Burdette (LuAnna), Tony Burdette (Susan), Sabrina Leavenworth (Steve), Megan

Nordstrom (Steve), Ben Burdette (Marie), 30 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.

A viewing will be Friday, September 23rd from 6:30 to 8:00 PM at the LaVerkin Stake Center (481 North Main Street LaVerkin Utah). Funeral Service will be held Saturday September 24th at 12 noon at the LaVerkin Stake Center.

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP **23.** 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

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

Service

SEP **24.** 12:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ One of the first memorable leaders of my youth. Steve was a great leader and a great man for a young 12 year old "scout" to emulate. I'm 70 now and will never forget a trip to the Uinta's when Steve drove, I believe, an old Hudson over a rock and punched a hole in his oil pan. He took this in stride and I remember no real reaction or anger and we somehow continued on with our trip and he dealt with the car after-the-fact. I'm sure we "stressed" him greatly but he never showed as, in his obituary, he loved scouts and scouting. I ultimately served as a Scoutmaster for 4 years. I was always impressed by this man of men!

Steve White

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“ Katie, my heart goes out to you and your family at this time. Know that you are loved and well thought of! I'm so grateful for a gospel plan that assures us of eternal families! Much love sent your way!
Lori and Steve Arnold family

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