



Dan Allen

March 15, 1934 - January 1, 2022

Orin Dan Allen, Alpine, Utah, passed away at age 87 on January 1, 2022. Dan was born in Vernal, Utah to parents Leonard and Wilda (Slaugh) Allen.

Dan had a passion for cars. He enjoyed working on them, learning about them, and he even built a car that he later raced. He passed that passion on to many of his children.

Dan also loved to serve and teach. He served a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints to the Great Lakes Mission. He enlisted in the Army National Guard, Special Forces, Airborne Division, leaving the Army as a paratrooper. He worked for the Boy Scouts of America as an Executive for over 40 years sharing his talents and knowledge with hundreds of young men. He received the Silver Beaver Award from the Boy Scouts, a very high honor. He also taught at BYU. Later in his life, he and his wife served 4 senior missions working in the Family History Library twice, the Conference Center in Salt Lake City and the Missionary Training Center in Provo, Utah. He held many leadership callings in his church including bishop.

Dan is survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Nola Beth (Dalley) Allen, his 9 children and spouses, Kevin & Julie (Allen) Butler (6 children), Dan & Lisa (Chappell) Allen (2 children), Douglas & Deborah (Smith) Allen (4 children), Stephen & Janette (Allen) Thompson (3 children), David & Jodi (Allen) Jenson (3 children), Steven & Stephanie (Taylor) Allen (5 children), Bryant & Jennifer (Allen) Arnold (3 children), Sean & Cathy (Joyce) Allen (1 child), and Tyler & Marie (Akagi) Allen (3 children). He is also survived by brother Chris & Susan (Waite) Allen, and sister Beth (Allen). He was preceded in death by his sister Darlene (Allen) Brimhall, sister-in-law Marla (Jensen) Allen, and brother-in-law Keith Carter.

A Viewing will be held Thursday, January 6th, from 3:30 to 4:30 pm, at Utah Valley Mortuary, 1966 West 700 North, Lindon, Utah. In accordance with COVID protocol, masks and social distancing are requested.

A Celebration of Life will be held Friday, January 7th, at 10:00 am and will be available to view via live stream at the following link:

Topic: Celebration of Life for Dan Allen

Time: Jan 7, 2022 10:00 AM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8474528393?pwd=Q0ZyZEJBN2xOV1A1eWpGR1BnR0pNZz09>

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Interment with Military Honors in Lindon City Cemetery, Lindon, Utah.

Cemetery

Lindon City Cemetery

600 North 200 East

Lindon, UT, 84042

Events

JAN 6 Viewing 03:30PM - 04:30PM

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Utah Valley Mortuary

1966 West 700 North, Lindon, UT, US, 84042

JAN 7 Celebration of Life 10:00AM

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Live Stream

UT, US

Comments



“ A webcast video has been added.



Utah Valley Mortuary - January 04 at 01:47 PM



“ Nola, I love you and my heart aches knowing the feelings of this time. I loved, admired and respected dan. He had such a funny sense of humor. This is but a moment yet it may not seem to be. Dan is near. Take care and don't walk behind an elephant. God bless. Only think on the good, fun and spiritual times. Miss and love you. Mavoureen

Mavoureen harper - January 07 at 05:25 PM



“ I so wish I could go to the viewing or Funeral... I have been exposed to the darn covid and don't dare go.
Paula and I loved meeting with Gerald and Sadies family each month for their "Family" night while they lived in the American Fork area. it was awesome to get to know Dan and Nola better. I was a Scout Master during that time and it was fun to share stories and adventures with Dan. He was a fun and caring guy and I have missed those times we could meet.
You all are in my prayers.

Rock Dalley Steel

Rock - January 06 at 04:08 PM



“ I have known and loved this family for the majority of my life. Dan's daughter, Julie, has been my best friend since the 3rd grade. That has been a few years.

I remember Dan as always being quite but firm. A hard worker, and loved his family more than words can describe. I spent many hours with his family and in my heart, they were my family as well.

Years have gone by and I have lost contact with Dan and Nola but the love I feel for them has never changed.

I am very grateful for the quite love he showed me. I know now that if I had needed him, he would have been there. At the time, I always worried, but, kids don't understand quiet people.

Thank you Dan for the memories, the friendship, and the love. Until we meet again.



Donna Kunkel - January 04 at 05:30 PM