



Dean Ray Anderson

August 8, 1955 - January 20, 2017

Dean Ray Anderson passed away on January 20, 2017 at the age of 61 in Lehi, UT. Dean was born August 8, 1955 to Ray and Leila Anderson. He married his high school sweetheart Dawn Singleton on May 23, 1975. Dean worked at Geneva Steel for 28 years until they shut down. He then worked for Stewarts RV and then Costco.

Dean had a love for life and adventure. He loved being in the outdoors going camping, four-wheeling, and snowmobiling. He loved his family and loved spending time with them. His favorite saying was "We're making memories". He looked forward to our annual camping trip for Easter and Thousand Lake Mountain. He will be greatly missed by his family.

He is survived by his wife, Dawn; daughters, Lori (Collin) Gordon, Jamie (Mike) Thompson, Jesse (Dustin) West, Shawnee (Naythan) Sorenson; father, Ray(Lois) Anderson; siblings, Kris, Janeen, Tony, Bob and 11 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Leila Anderson.

Funeral Services will be held Wednesday, January 25th at 11:00 am at the Chappel Valley 3rd Ward, 1174 South 1700 West, Lehi, Utah. Viewings will be held Tuesday, January 24th from 6:00 to 8:00 pm and prior to services on Wednesday from 9:30 to 10:30 am.

Funeral Directors: Utah Valley Mortuary.

Events

JAN 24 **Viewing** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

Chappel Valley 3rd Ward
1174 South 1700 West, Lehi, UT, US, 84043

JAN 25 **Viewing** 09:30AM - 10:30AM

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JAN 25 **Funeral Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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Comments



“ Heartfelt condolences to all those who remain behind. I am at a loss of words, but appreciated my brief interactions with Dean about American Fork Canyon and will continue to work hard to protect it so that many more memories can be made there. He understood the importance of sacred places, and that is what AF Canyon and the mountain tops provide so many. A place to recreate and a place to heal and commune with God and find peace. Mark Allen PPAFC

Mark Allen - January 25, 2017 at 01:52 PM



“ Dean was a very fun, kind, hard working guy I met from working at Costco. So sorry to hear of his passing. Always smiling. Prayers to his family.

Teresa Carter - January 24, 2017 at 10:11 PM



“ Dean was a great friend to so many at Geneva Steel. I worked along side him for 20+ yrs.
I bought my first "Hawken" black powder rifle from Dean and it still shoots true.

Dean always had a great sense of humor, was a hard worker and made friends with all he worked with. He was a good boss for those of us who were flame cutters and plate conditioners in the Rolling Mill.

He always said good things about his family and the fun things they would do together.

We'll miss ya, buddy. Thanks for your friendship.

Mr. Kelly Kirkpatrick
Orem Utah

Kelly Kirkpatrick - January 24, 2017 at 05:06 PM



“ Dawn, I am struggling for the words needed to express our heartfelt condolences for you and your family. When I think of you and my good friend Dean I can't help but remember all of the memories we have and treasure. and am grateful to have had you both as friends. Scott and Cindy Marlin

Scott Marlin - January 24, 2017 at 02:29 PM



“ Dawn and Jamie, so sorry to hear of your loss. Sending all my love and prayers your way.
Karen Diamond

Karen Diamond - January 24, 2017 at 12:31 PM



“ We lived near Dawn and Dean in the old 2nd Ward neighborhood. What a fun couple to know and hang out with while raising our kids. Sending you our love.....
Bob and Debbie Fotheringham

Debra Fotheringham - January 24, 2017 at 11:44 AM



“ I enjoyed working with Dean at Geneva. He was a hard working and a good friend. Our prayers will be for Anderson family. Very sorry!
Rich Lowe

Richard Lowe - January 24, 2017 at 10:28 AM



“ Dawn, my heart aches for your great loss. Please know you're in my thoughts and prayers. May the Lord bless you and your family with comfort and strength. Love You, Gay

Gay Furse - January 23, 2017 at 11:59 PM



“ Dawn, I am so sorry for you and your family. I didn't know Dean well, but always loved hearing the stories you told us and I remember when I got to photograph is butt for club. Hang in there sweet friends! We all love you!!

Jann Olson - January 24, 2017 at 09:51 PM



“ Teresa Richins lit a candle in memory of Dean Ray Anderson



Teresa Richins - January 23, 2017 at 11:35 PM



“ Dawn, my heart goes out to you! I am so saddened to hear of your husband's passing. Your family will be in our prayers. May you feel the love of all those you've influenced and care for. Sending love and kisses from Finnian.

Chelsea McBride - January 23, 2017 at 09:01 PM



“ Dawn, I am so saddened to hear of your husband's passing. You and your family are in my thoughts, and I'll be praying for you to feel him near, especially at this time.

Abigail Davis - January 23, 2017 at 08:25 PM



“ Dawn and family we are so sorry to hear about Dean. You are all in my thought and prayers.
Dawn Turpin

Dawn Turpin - January 23, 2017 at 03:42 PM



“ Dawn,

I am so sorry for your loss. It is just heartbreaking to hear of this great man's passing. My heart goes out to you and your family. May you find some comfort in all the love and wonderful memories that you and your family were able to create with him. You are never far from my thoughts. May his loving soul guide you through this most difficult time. Hugs to you and your family. Love you!



Melinda Cullimore - January 23, 2017 at 03:03 PM



“ Dawn, I am without the literate words I need to express my heartfelt condolences for you and your family at this tragic time. When I think of you and Dean I can't help but remember all of the jokes and the laughs we shared, I smile through my tears in disbelief. I am so sorry my friend. I am always a phone call away whenever you need anything. Praying for your comfort, strength and guidance. Much love to you and

your children. -Calleen Rivas

Calleen Rivas - January 23, 2017 at 01:38 PM



“ Dawn, we are so sad. Dean is a great man, friend, brother, etc. if you needed something he would drop anything he was doing to help out. We love you, and enjoyed our snowmobiling trips so much. You guys made it so much fun. His passing has left a hole in our hearts. He will be missed. Love Dave & Marie Anderson

marie - January 22, 2017 at 09:04 AM



“ Dawn and family, I am so incredibly sorry for your loss. I loved running into Dean here and there. Loved when he fixed our trailer when he was at Stewart's and it was so fun to see him at Costco. It has been a privilege to know him. Sending you prayers and love.
Leann Jackson

Leann Jackson - January 22, 2017 at 01:00 AM



“ Dawn and family,
We know how you feel right now, the separation of a loved one seems so final, thank the Lord for his atonement and resurrection. You will be with him again.
We are thankful to have known him and had him in our lives. He had a friendliness that came so easy. It was always nice to talk to him whenever we saw him, at family parties or at Costco or wherever. He had a twinkle in his eye and a joy for life and for his family! We will miss him.

Lorie and Mark Christiansen - January 25, 2017 at 08:43 AM