



## Dick Cardon

September 3, 1936 - December 28, 2020

Beloved brother, husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, Charles Howard “Dick” Cardon, 84, passed away peacefully at home on December 28, 2020.

Dick was born into the loving family of Joseph Harold and Mary Cardon in El Paso, Texas on September 3, 1936, and he had 7 brothers and sisters. He attended Brigham Young University, where he met his sweetheart, Jacquelyn Lee Kozak, then served a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Central America. Upon his return, and the return of Jackie from a mission in Los Angeles, California, they were married in the Los Angeles Temple. They raised a family of 11 children, and currently have 69 grandchildren and 46 great-grandchildren.

Dick was preceded in death by his parents, younger sister Betty, brothers Wayne, Rodney, Earl, Melvin, and older sister Hallie. He is survived by his wife Jackie, sister Bonnie Wheelhouse, and children Ann Zuniga (Jacob), David Cardon (Linnea), Bob Cardon (Sheryl), Caryn Giliam, George Cardon (Kim), Bonnie Silva (Pepe), Mary Schellenberg (Markus), Bryan Cardon (Robyn), Jeffrey Cardon (Rebecca), Craig Cardon (Sheree), and Jason Cardon (Sunny).

Dick’s funeral will be held on Saturday, January 2, 2021 at 11:00 am at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints chapel located at 1541 North 1300 West, Pleasant Grove, Utah. The funeral will be live streamed on YouTube and a viewing will be held prior to the funeral service from 9:30-10:30 am.

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW FUNERAL

SERVICE]<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsuYUvvybnqVMGFF-qkzmkA/live>

# Cemetery

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## Pleasant Grove City Cemetery

600 North 100 West  
Pleasant Grove, UT, 84062

# Events

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

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Mount Mahogany 1st Ward  
1541 North 1300 West, Pleasant Grove, UT, US,  
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**JAN** **Funeral Service** 11:00AM

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# Comments

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“ I always remember President Cardon with a big smile, when I talked to him, I always felt at peace. He always trusted each one of us. No matter what state of mind one arrived in, one always left very edified. I remember him with a lot of love and I am grateful that he was my Mission president.  
I trust that all his family is well and that it is a momentary loss, since at the end of everything, families are eternal. All the memories we have of him are the ones that help us pass the time until we meet again.  
He helped me a lot and I thank him for everything he taught me.

**Luis Rivas** - January 18 at 07:01 PM

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“ Siempre recuerdo al Presidente Cardon con una enorme sonrisa, cuando hablaba con él, siempre me sentía con una paz. El siempre confio en cada uno de nosotros. No importa el estado de animo con que uno llegara, uno siempre salia muy edificado. Lo recuerdo con mucho cariño y agradezco que fuera mi presitente de Mision.  
Confio en que toda su familia se encuentre bien y que es una perdida momentanea, ya que al final de todo, las familias son eternas. Todos los recuerdos que tenemos de el, son los que nos ayudan a pasar el tiempo hasta que nos encontremos otra vez.  
El me ayudo mucho y le agradezco todo lo que me enseñó.

**Luis Rivas** - January 18 at 06:59 PM

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“ Sister Bondy and I were blessed to be called to the El Salvador San Salvador East Mission, under President and Sister Cardon in 1998 - as health missionaries. It was a wonderful experience.

**Jeff Bondy** - January 10 at 12:43 PM

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“ My son and I home taught the Cardon's for several years. They taught us much more than we ever taught them. They taught us what it means to be faithful disciples of the Lord. They taught us what it means to be kind to everyone. They taught us most of all about what it means to love as the Savior loves. Following each visit to their home, Jackie always gave us some treat, usually prize winning cookies. They always made us feel as if we were the most important people to them during our visits. I enjoyed so much working with their sons in the Young Men's program and coming to appreciate the power that parental love had on their children. What a blessing it has always been to Lolly and me to have known and loved the Cardon's. Our prayers are with you!

**Russell T. Osguthorpe** - January 03 at 03:23 PM

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“ Dear Jackie and Family: I was so sorry to hear that Charles passed away. I lived with Aunt Mary and Uncle Harold and their family for several summers when I was in high school, and I will always remember Charles and the friendship we shared. I regret that we didn't stay in touch after college. His funeral services were touching and inspiring, and I was grateful that I could be there via the internet. He lived a wonderful life with a beautiful family. He was blessed, and he blessed the live of countless others.  
I know this is a sad separation, and my prayers are with you all. Wanda Cluff Frandsen

**Wanda Cluff Frandsen** - January 02 at 03:01 PM

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“ Dear Jackie and Family, Our love and condolences to all of you. We enjoyed being neighbors with you and have missed you terribly since you moved away. Jackie, you and Dick were/are beautiful examples of living the gospel. Our love and prayers are with all of you. We miss all of you, the entire family!. Corinne & Everett Young

**Everett KS Young** - January 02 at 02:34 PM

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“ Cardon Family, Ralph and I send our sympathy at Dick's passing. We have fond memories of this wonderful family and enjoyed being neighbors in Orem. We would love to attend the services and give you all hugs so you could feel our love. Circumstances make that impossible so please know you are in our prayers and our hearts. Thanks for your service and example of Christlike living through the years. Friends forever, Ralph and Gerri Larson

**Gerri Larson** - January 02 at 12:34 PM

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“ Dear Jackie and family, We were sad to read in the paper about Dick's passing. Our thoughts and prayers have been with you. We have such great memories of the years we spent in El Paso. You were such a great example to us and our family. We so enjoyed working with you in the ward. We know our Heavenly Father loves you and so aware of you at this time. With love, Kathy and Tharon Judd

**Kathy Judd** - January 02 at 11:37 AM

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“ Dear Cardon family,  
I have such great memories of my mission with President and Sister Cardon in El Salvador. They are so kind, friendly, and loving, and always had a great sense of humor! They are true examples of what it means to be Christlike, and I am blessed to have known President Cardon. Thank you for sharing him with all of us missionaries in El Salvador.  
Taylor Cook

**Taylor Cook** - December 30, 2020 at 09:39 PM

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“ Dear Jackie and family,  
  
I met Dick and Jackie Cardon in the fall of 1960 when I was a freshman at BYU Provo. Dick is my cousin and friend. We were able to participate in extended Cardon family reunions and promote and finance the Piedmont Families Organization(PFO). Dick was treasurer for many years. Linnea Cardon, his daughter-in-law, is the treasurer of PFO. Terri and I extend our condolences and love to Jackie and their family.

**Boyd Louis Cardon** - December 30, 2020 at 04:03 PM

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“ Dear Jackie and family, I am saddened to hear of Dick's passing. Even though we haven't seen each other much the last several years, I have sweet memories of being one of the "cousins-in-law" to Dick, via Glen. Many wonderful memories of the Cardon's-Palmers were shared by Glen, his mom and Aunt Mary and Uncle Harold. My prayers are with you at this time. I envy the reunion that is going to be taking place for awhile on the other side of the veil.  
Sincere wishes for peace, comfort and love and the Lord's spirit to be with you.

Karol Palmer

**Karol L Palmer** - December 30, 2020 at 01:42 AM