



Duane Shock

September 6, 1942 - July 8, 2016

Duane Paul Shock, age 73, completed his mortal mission here on earth, and passed away peacefully after smiling & visiting, with family and friends, in his home of 40+ years in Lehi, UT.

He was born in Durango, Colorado on September 6th 1942, an energetic boy full of life and spirit, 3rd child of Emma and Paul Shock. He enjoyed the outdoors very much there, doing things like fishing, hiking, scouts-where he earned his Eagle, and loved horseback riding on his horse Nipper. He started his higher education at Fort Lewis Jr. College in Durango Colorado and then went on to serve a mission to the LDS Central States Mission, November 1961-1963.

When he returned home from his mission, he lived in California with his sister Helen, where he worked as a lineman. He then went on to BYU to study mathematics and education. While at school he met his eternal sweetheart Lynell Asay. They danced and danced and enjoyed a year long courtship. They were sealed in the Manti Utah Temple, December 18, 1965.

After their marriage they lived in their "haunted house" in Provo, UT. LaVelle Edwards was their first bishop! This house would be an adventure--- Duane continued his education at BYU for two more years while Lynell worked and supported him in his schooling. Their first baby boy Rick was born, in 1967. The next summer, Duane graduated from BYU. His parents were tragically killed in car accident, and their small family of 3 instantly became a family of 7 when Duane's two younger brothers, Ken, 13 and Keith, 16 and sister Lila joined them before leaving for her mission. Corey was born in December making that two babies in the same year---1967!

Duane began his teaching career at Riverview Junior High School in Murray, UT. he began teaching in Lehi, and remodeled a house. In 1968 he was ordained a Seventy by President Thomas S. Monson, in this calling he enjoyed speaking and serving as a home teacher. Terri Lynn and Tracy were born while there. He served in the bishopric with

Bishop Shepherd and enjoyed his service very much.

Duane felt like education was important. He finished his Masters Degree in Mathematics during his summers from Utah State University. He continued teaching in the Alpine school district in Lehi. He had been commuting to Lehi where he found 3 acres to buy, and built a home with the help of a drafting teacher and dear friend. Shortly after moving to Lehi, Tyler was born in October 1976.

Andy was born in 1979 and their family was complete. The family enjoyed the outdoors together including many trips with horses to the Uintah Mountains. He was called as the first bishop of the Lehi 16th ward in October of 1982. While serving as bishop, he was head of the Math Department at Lehi High School teaching science, advanced math classes, and physics.

Duane suffered two strokes in 1982 and 1988, but his recovery after both was nothing short of a miracle. He continued teaching math, and electronics at Lehi High School. After a transfer to a Jr. High in American Fork in 1987 Duane began more continuing education. To earn extra money in the support of his family, he used his painting skills as a paint contractor during the summers. Duane always valued hard work, and taught through example when he employed many of the teenage boys in the neighborhood along with his sons. He even won Best of Show in the SLC Home Show in 1998!

He retired from 32 years of teaching where he then went on to serve 5 more missions! His second (first was listed previously) was in the Mount Timpanogos Utah temple as a veil worker and in the baptistry. He loved serving there. He then served as a Member and Statistical Records Locator in American Fork. He and his sweetheart were then able to serve together in the Albuquerque New Mexico Mission. Next he served in the Lindon Cannery making all kinds of good food. He loved family history, he served 6 years diligently looking up names and keeping records. His last calling was as his Stake's Farm Specialist. He loved serving in the temple and tried to involve all he could in this endeavor.

Some of his greatest accomplishments were enjoyed and realized through his children. Each of his son's served a full time mission and his daughter Terri Lynn served a mini-mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Every one of his children were married in the Temple.

Duane gave a piece of his heart to all who knew him---making you feel like you were "his favorite" with every smile, laugh and hug. He had an incredible desire to always do the right thing. He enjoyed hard work, serving, playing in the outdoors and being with his

grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife Lynell of 50 years. His children Rick (Mailee), Corey (Dona), Terri Lynn (Scott Bennett), Tracy (Kim), Tyler (Kim), Andy (Jessi). Along with many grand and great-grand-children.

Its been 48 long years since he has seen his parents, and we know that there has been a happy reunion. "Count your blessings by smiles, not tears. Count your age by friends, not years."

Duane Paul Shock, 73, passed away Friday, July 8, 2016 at home in Lehi, Utah. Funeral Services for Duane will be held Thursday, July 14th at 1:00 pm at the Lehi Utah South Stake Center, 600 South 500 West, Lehi, Utah, where Viewings will be held Wednesday, July 13th from 6:00 to 8:00 pm, and prior to services on Thursday from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm. Interment in Lehi City Cemetery.

Funeral Directors: Utah Valley Mortuary.

Cemetery

Lehi City Cemetery

1100 N. 400 E.

Lehi, UT, 84043

Events

JUL **Viewing** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Lehi Utah South Stake Center

600 South 500 West, Lehi, UT, US

JUL **Viewing** 11:00AM - 12:30PM

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JUL **Funeral Service** 01:00PM - 02:00PM

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Comments



“ Well done thou good and faithful servant. Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord.

John Park - July 21, 2016 at 08:02 PM



“ This was so neat to read. Such a great man! I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of Duane. I have such great memories of your family! You hold a special place in both my parent's hearts. I still remember the Fahrners and Shocks picnicing somewhere in Utah and when we loaded up the 30 kids between the two families (I'm just estimating here) we forgot about one! haha I'm pretty certain it was Tyler running behind the van that was not accounted for!! Your family is in my thoughts and prayers. Anne Fahrner Koste

Anne (Fahrner) Koste - July 14, 2016 at 10:08 PM



“ The first time I met Duane was through Rick. I knew from the first time I shook his hand he was a great man, always willing to help out and slow to anger. Rick and I borrowed his boat for a fishing trip when the steering cable broke we resorted to one person working the throttle while the other steered by manually moving the out drive. Rick was worried that his dad would be upset, as fathers have the tendency to be, but Duane was more upset that the boat didn't work very good for us. When in fact it provided a lasting memory for us. That is the type of person Duane was. Knowing how hard a worker he raised his boys, I hired Tyler during our mink harvest season to run a difficult piece of equipment and he came through like a Shock. We know he is with his Heavenly Father free of the pain and trials he was going through here in mortality. Miss him but happy he is free.

We love your family and send our condolences.
Dan and Dani Westwood

Dan Westwood - July 13, 2016 at 06:34 PM



“ My husband and I met the Shocks 46 years ago. My husband and Duane were awarded grants from the National Science Foundation to study mathematics and earn their masters degree. FOr three summers, coffee drinking, MInnesota Catholics learned from, lived next door to and loved our dear Mormon friends. Hard studying, good talks, many laughs and some gentle Mormon/Catholic jokes have endeared the shocks to us and to our children. Duane will always live on in our memories and it was a privilege to know him.

monica fahrner - July 12, 2016 at 11:02 AM



“ Grandpa was such an amazing man. He was one of those family members that made everyone feel like they were his favorite. I remember going riding with him and we just had to stop for fried chicken every time.

And just last year I was staying with grandma and grandpa and he asked me if I wanted to do family history with him and so I did and we went into his office and he pulled out this big binder and just started going. I was really confused but he walked me through it as best as possible. I still didn't really know what I was doing but the spirit was so strong and it was about 4 hours until we stopped. I remember walking out of the office with more than 20 baptisms for the dead temple names..;) I'm going to miss grandpa so much and can't wait to see him again<3

Natilee Shock - July 12, 2016 at 12:59 AM



“ The Shocks and the Wrights had a lot of good times together during our Lehi years. I will especially remember that Duane saved our Rick from failure in high school math. Should have moved him into Duane's class much sooner than we did. We traded kids and had good times working and playing together many times. We send our love and condolences to Lynell and all the kids and grandkids. He was a very special man and will be missed by many. May you find comfort in sweet memories and your knowledge of the gospel. Love and hugs to each one of you!

Sharon & Merlin Wright

Sharon Wright - July 11, 2016 at 06:05 PM



“ Duane was such a fun and loving man!! We always love the family gatherings at Thanksgiving with the Shocks. Duane always made us feel like members of the family! He will be missed.

Tim & Wendy Hutchins

Wendy Henderson Hutchins - July 11, 2016 at 05:25 PM



“ Duane to me was a real cowboy. Not just because of his love for horses but his love for people. I met Duane when I was 12 years old. Little did I know of what friendship would be cultivated the next 30 years. I spent many summers in the Mountains on horse back with Duane, Corey, Tyler and Andy.

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the mountains, sitting around the campfire listening to Duane's stories. As everyone knows, "The Shock Boys" are very extreme when it comes to outdoor sports such as motorcycles, skiing, wake boarding and horse back riding. So, one day Tyler and Andy put me on Prince (Tyler's horse) so I could keep up with the rest of them. Tyler told me "just hold on tight and Prince will do the rest" well, Tyler, Andy and Corey took off on their horses like a Calvary going to war. Tyler was correct when he said hold on tight and Prince will do the rest. However, my "hold on tight turned into a death grip" what was fun and amusing to the Shock boys was deathly terrifying to me.

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Duane's love for others was natural. He wanted others to enjoy the moment, he cared about others and would sacrifice to make the lives of others better. Not only has Duane been an exemplar of this trait but he has taught his children this same love for others. I love the Shock family I love everyone of them. Each one of them have shown so much love to me and my family through out the years. They are the most unselfish people I know. I could tell stories of their unselfish acts of each one of them. From Lynell to Rick, Corey, Terrylyn, Tracy, Tyler and Andy.

I love you all very much and I am grateful you shared your father and husband with me for the last 30 years. He has touched my life and so has your family.

Travis - July 11, 2016 at 03:07 PM



“ I'm speechless thanks

corey - July 11, 2016 at 05:17 PM



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Travis - July 11, 2016 at 03:06 PM



“ I spent time in the Shock home because Teri was my friend and Lynnell was a youth leader. It was a home of love I remember Duane coming and going, always with a smile and something funny to say to the girls. When the 16th ward was created it was so hard to see the Shock family moved from the 13th ward. Duane was a good man who raised a good family. My condolences to you at this time.

Auralee McClure Brooks - July 11, 2016 at 02:44 PM



“ It is hard to know where to start when trying to express your love and apperication for Duane and the influence for good that he has had in my life of knowing him. When I think if Duane I instantly see his none judgmental smiling face of warmth and just plain happy to see you. His example of love and joy he gave and received from his kids and grandkids as he would lead them through another exciting outdoors adventure of horseback riding etc was something I have always envied. How quick he was to observe someone feeling left out, then would make sure they felt welcomed and apart of any event. How his good sense of humor could always bring a chuckle and feeling of relief to someone feeling stressed. Duane will be missed in so many ways and for so many reasons but most of all my heart goes out to his grandkids who have lost one if the greatest grandpas a person could have ever asked for.

Jay Lane - July 11, 2016 at 02:35 PM



“ Duane was a good man who was always smiling, especially when others didn't seem able to. His spirit and zest for life, but more, his love for those around him, was exemplary. My family and I moved to Lehi almost 21 years ago last week. Duane was instantly good to us. We'll miss him. Shoot, we already do! Lynnell, we love you and pray you've gotten more than your share of the comfort only God's Spirit can give.

Karl & Betty Pearson
Lehi, Utah

Karl Pearson - July 11, 2016 at 01:47 PM



“ The Shock family has always been one that is so full of fun and love. This has to come down from the Patriarch's of the family. I had the pleasure of meeting Duane a few times and he was always very welcoming. He had the most interactive conversations for being someone that I barely knew. I am so sorry for your family's loss. Losing a loved one is always so hard. I hope that as the days go on for you guys that you are filled with love and peace. I pray that you all can heal and not fill the void in your hearts, but replace the emptiness with the thought of him being whole again and healthy. We love all of you guys, our thoughts are prayers are with you at this time.

With Love,
Jake and Amber Lane

Amber Lane - July 11, 2016 at 12:54 PM



“ I think all of my memories of Duane consist of horseback riding. Everytime we came to Lehi he saddled up the horses for us. As a kid I didn't realize that he was stopping what he was doing and serving us, but as u got older it was very clear to me that Duanes entire existence was about service and love. Duane had a heart bigger than anything I've ever known. It hurts to not know when we'll see him again but I know he is serving and loving everyone, everywhere he goes.

Bobbi Frampton - July 11, 2016 at 12:49 PM



“ Duane was our Faithfull Home Teacher, never missed a month, felt lifted when He would leave. He brought such Love and Peace and made you fell important. Looking forward to seeing you in the here after old friend. Vern and Sue Lindsay

Sue Ann - July 12, 2016 at 04:23 PM



“ Lynell -- Sister Shock: We truly enjoyed serving with you and "Elder Shock" as full-time missionaries in the New Mexico Albuquerque Mission. You both served and loved the people so well. We remember your acts of love and kindness such as providing firewood or giving rides. We know God will bless you both for the mission you served and the lives you influenced for good. May you be comforted by the Holy Spirit. We love you. Brent and Pam Koyle

Brent & Pam Koyle - July 13, 2016 at 08:31 AM



“ Duane and I didn't meet until he was almost 8 years old, so I don't know much about how he was before that. However, in the 67 years I have known him, he has been one of my best friends, one of the best men I have ever known, and he was the best man at our wedding when Narda and I married. We served together in the Elders Quorum Presidency at BYU (he did most of the work), where LaVell Edwards was our bishop. Narda and I visited Duane and Lynell in Provo when they were trying to make a silk purse out of a sow's-ear-of-a-house and we were amazed at the work they were doing. They also ruined us by inviting us to go house-boating with them at Lake Powell, and that trip and a two-family fishing trip on Yellowstone Lake were two highlights of our times together. When we were in southern Utah on a scout trip, scrambling around on sandstone that was too steep, Duane had a fall that could have had terrible consequences if he hadn't miraculously turned in mid-air and slid rather than tumbled. Duane is so much like his Dad, who was our first bishop after we moved to Durango, and it would be difficult to pay him a higher compliment. His parents were angels, and I have always felt like part of the family, but everyone did. I always thought it would be difficult for Duane to find a girl that deserved him, but he did, and we love the whole family. While the family on this side will miss him for a while, we rejoice in the knowledge that the parting is only temporary and that there are sweet reunions on the other side. Love, Narda and Jim Wilcox

Jim Wilcox - July 13, 2016 at 06:30 PM



“ I never know Duane but was friends with Lila and went to primary with her and remember the day she lost her parents because we were working together at the phone company so want to send my prayers and condolences to the Shock family as they were great neighbors and Paul even married my sister and her husband fifty eight years ago. God bless all of you. Laura Samson McCall

Laura McCall - July 13, 2016 at 11:33 PM



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