



## Elaine Carlton Haddock Rowley

July 18, 1935 - January 16, 2022

Elaine Carlton Haddock Rowley of Provo, Utah, passed away peacefully on January 16, 2022, in Bountiful, Davis County, Utah, after several years of suffering congestive heart failure, reduced pulmonary function and painful back injuries.

Elaine was born July 18, 1935 in Boise, Idaho, to Neil Herbert Carlton and Mary Belle Black. She is preceded in death by her parents, her two husbands, Ian Grove Haddock and Ralph Alcorn Rowley; her youngest son, Quinn Jay Haddock (Tandra); step-daughter Lorraine Rowley Nielsen (Kelvin); granddaughter Michelle Haddock; and her brother-in-law Milt Moon. She is survived by sisters, Karen Carlton Moon (Milt) and Linda Carlton Theiss, and her brother Ray Carlton (Marcene); sons, Rex Haddock (Carol Ann), Reed Haddock (Sandra), Kevan Haddock (Beth) and Keith Haddock; daughter-in-law Tandra Ross Haddock; step-children Kurt Rowley (Paula), Christine Rowley Carbine (Adriane), Janiel Rowley Miller, and Lynn Rowley Anderson (Mark); and many grand- and great-grandchildren, nephews and nieces. Her family was her greatest joy and she was happy and generous in blessing their lives.

Elaine really enjoyed the beauty and fresh air of Lake Tahoe and surrounding areas where she and Ian owned a cabin. She hiked the trails, swam in the cold, clear waters of the lake and learned to water-ski. She was thrilled to be with her husband and sons in the mountains! Welcoming family and friends to the cabin was a major delight! After moving to Provo, Utah and selling the cabin, she would organize annual family reunions at Bear Lake.

Elaine graduated from Boise High School and attended Brigham Young University, completing two years of a four-year degree prior to bearing and rearing her sons. She returned to BYU and completed her degree in child education after the death of her husband, Ian.

Elaine was an accomplished pianist and organist. She played in recitals, dance studios, auditoriums and concert halls. One of her memorable experiences was playing the organ

for the musical numbers performed in the Marriott Center for a regional single-adult devotional fireside. During her life she accompanied choirs, soloists (vocal and instrumental) and many singing groups. Elaine was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and loved accompanying the congregation in singing praises to the God she loved and worshipped. In addition to many accompanist callings, Elaine served her local congregations in many other ways teaching the youth in Primary and Sunday School, and teaching in Young Women's and early-morning Seminary. She also served the adult women of the church in the Relief Society.

Elaine was a serious student of the gospel of Jesus Christ and devoted disciple following Him. Her faith in Heavenly Father and His Son, Jesus Christ guided her life and she is now in Their care.

A Viewing will be held for family and friends on Tuesday, January 25th from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. at Utah Valley Mortuary, 1966 West 700 North, Lindon, Utah. A Graveside Service will be held Saturday, January 29th, at 2:00 pm, at Cloverdale Cemetery in Boise, Idaho.

# Cemetery

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## Cloverdale Cemetery

1200 North Cloverdale Road,  
Boise, ID, 83713

# Events

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

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Utah Valley Mortuary

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

# Comments

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“ Elaine was such a humble, classy, talented lady. She was the most gracious hostess at family gatherings, I always loved going to the cousin dinners she held while I was a student at BYU as well as many other family dinners and gatherings she hosted at her home over the years. My mom told me many times how much she admired Elaine's seemingly effortless ability to begin preparing meals several days in advance so that everything was ready at the perfect time and she didn't have to be scrambling around at the last minute; the food was always perfect, and she always seemed calm and poised throughout the entire process. Whenever I have pie I think of Elaine and the twinkle in her eye she had when she told us that she had gotten Razzleberry pie for dessert :) (yum!). When I had a broken engagement during my college years and then all of my roommates moved out she took me shopping and made sure I had all the basic kitchen necessities to get by (and I am still using the electric hand mixer she got for me way back then!). I loved visiting her and my Grandpa when they were serving a mission in Nauvoo, IL -- it was fun to see her playing the organ there while the other senior missionaries sang and danced; my Grandpa loved calling the square dances while she played the music. When I was diagnosed with breast cancer two years ago, she called and left me a sweet voicemail letting me know she was thinking about me and praying for me even though she wasn't doing very well at the time herself. While Elaine will definitely be missed, I am grateful she is now able to be with the loved ones she has been missing for so long who passed on before her. I love you, Grandma! Rest in peace.

**Taryn Johnson (Nilsen)** - January 23 at 10:52 AM



“ Elaine and my Grandpa also came to every single one of my students' choir concerts that I invited them to while I was teaching in Provo. It meant a lot to me that they made that a priority, I really appreciated their support!

**Taryn Johnson (Nilsen)** - January 23 at 12:23 PM

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“ A more gracious and lovely lady would be very hard to find. Your beautiful presence was always appreciated and you shall be sorely missed. Rest well, dear lady.

**Stephanie Humphrey** - January 18 at 06:14 PM