

Dr. W. Andrew Lyle

September 30, 1942 ~ October 1, 2024

Dearest Lori and family, The thousands of surgeries we performed, the patient care, the flights and trips to the satellite clinics and all the damn fun we had! I was privileged and lucky to be an employee of The Eye Institute/SurgiCare Center of Utah for 30 years; half of that spent by Andy's side. Always so proud of where I worked, the team I worked with, and our service to the community. Andy must have corrected me 2000 times but never once was cross with me. He was always calm, unflappable, composed and in charge. "A rock" and a "class act." Andy was a major influence and mentor in my life and I am grateful beyond words. With a heavy heart, I have had many reflective days since Andy's passing. The days he would stop by the office to see the old crew; the friendly phone conversations always punctuated with a joke, and the many visits to Ketchum. Andy was an amazing clinician, elegant surgeon with an unbelievable skill set; entrepreneur, business owner and boss. But mostly, Andy and Lori are our dear, dear friends. Our loving thoughts are with you all. We so love you! Wheels Up Andy.

- Jim Christison

My most sincere and deepest condolences to the family of Dr. Andrew Lyle, I had the privilege of knowing Dr. Lyle for over 28 years. He was a visionary in the field of ophthalmology, who profoundly changed the landscape of cataract surgery not only in Utah but also in the surrounding states. Dr. Lyle’s influence extended beyond cataract surgery, as he was instrumental in bringing refractive surgery, specifically LASIK, to our community. He was a true gentleman, soft-spoken yet immensely skilled. His surgical precision and remarkable hands set him apart as a great surgeon. Dr. Lyle’s contributions to the field of ophthalmology will be remembered for decades to come. His legacy lives on, both in the many lives he touched and in the advancements he pioneered. With heartfelt sympathy, Majid Moshirfar, MD, FCS Medical Director and Research Director, Hoopes Vision Research Center Adjunct Professor of Ophthalmology, John A. Moran Eye Center, University of Utah

- Majid Moshirfar, MD

Dr. Lyle was a great man. He taught me a lot of things about life and about running a business. I really enjoyed my time working for him, taking care of his property and koi fish in Holladay, transporting cars from one home to another for him, and just hanging out having lunch together and shooting some pool. My heart goes out to his

family, he will truly be missed.

- McKay Montague

I am so sad that I am just seeing this now! This Doctor , friend was amazing! I worked for him years ago and have so much respect for him ! He was awesome! Love Ann Marie Pettersen

- Ann Marie Pettersen