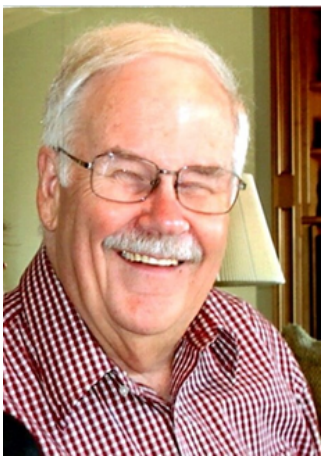


ELWOOD LEROY SWANSON (Shag)

April 22, 1935 ~ May 29, 2024

Shag was a staple in my life. It is funny how someone with no bloodline was one of mine, if not my closest uncles, his daughter and his step son were my closes cousins. His love for Utah football, the pregame and game-time memories date back before tailgating was even a thing in Utah. My wife and now adult children will always remember staying at his house, the love he showed them and Utah games we went to together. RIP come sit with Pa at the games with us.God Bless.

- Bradley Thompson

Those of us who knew Shag have heavy hearts but our loss is his gain. I truly believe he has moved on to a much better place. I hit it off immediately with Shag, we had a common love for Utah athletics and remember so fondly the times he and his lovely wife Judy opened there Henderson home to us for wonderful weekends of Utah vs. UNLV football games in 05,07 and 09. It became something of a tradition. I remember long easy flowing conversations and a lot of laughter and stories. I am so happy he is whole and hearty again in the next life. What a wonderful man. He was truly loved and will be deeply missed. From me and my entire family we Love you Shag. Your memory is eternal!

- Tony Oneida