

Merle Strong

September 21, 1935 ~ June 12, 2025

I didn't personally know you but as a kid my Grandmother worked for you in your home , I always heard wonderful story's about your loving family , I remember seeing such beautiful family xmas cards my grandmother would bring home . My grandmother was Ada Prescott she loved your family . REST in Peace Jeannie

- jeannie Miller

We love Merle and Dave and their entire family. John was friends with Blake growing up and always felt love and acceptance in the Strong home. Their example contributed to John joining the church when he was 23. Great memories of playing in the pool and parties at their. beautiful home. We are out of the country and will not be at the funeral but know that we send our love and prayers to Dave and all of the family. <3

- Margie & John Mettenet

Cathy, I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your dear mother. Sounds like she was (is) amazing. My sister, Claudia Curtis loved her very much. I am praying for the Lord to heal your hearts and help you look joyfully forward to the day you will be reunited. With my love, Laurie Wilson-Bell

- Laurie Wilson-Bell

There are not enough words to describe Merle, her kindness, contagious laughter and incredible personality. I was always welcomed with a kind word and hug ever since I step through their door in 6th grade. Dave, I’m so sorry for losing the love of your life but you have a wonderful family there to help you with anything you might need. My heart is with all of the Strong family, especially my Lisa…■

- Jill Christensen Rawstorne

Cathy, I'm sorry for the loss of your mom. I know how close you were, and beside being your mom she was your best friend. Her family and your dad was your rock and guiding light. I hope that the hole and deep sorrow you feel right now is that she has been reunited with your brother and her family. Memories will become sweet and beautiful in time. My heart is with you as you go through this time you also have my love and my arms wrapped around as does the Savior .

- Mary Ellen Yoho Smith

Aunt Merle was a sweetheart and I have so many fond memories. She will be missed. Love to all! Linda

- Linda (Lyman) Brown

I so appreciate the family of Merle Strong you treated my mother Marilee Jenson like she was part of your family I believe that my mother was there to welcome and greet Merle

- Sam Jenson

I remember with foundness, Kathy, Lisa and Brad as students at Churchill Jr. High Seminary . Beautiful service for your mom. I have wonderful memories as a Seminary teacher at Churchill in the 70’s.

- David F Shoell

I’m so sorry for your loss. Merle will be incredibly missed by so many people. I don’t think I ever remember seeing her mad in all of the years of knowing her. She always lit up a room with her smile when she entered. Merle always was happy and wanted to have fun. I always loved being around Merle and Dave and all of the Strong’s, love you all!!!!

- Chad Young

We were so sad to hear of Merle's passing. We have been family friends of the Strong Family since the mid-1970's. Condolences to Dave and the entire Strong Family. Grateful for this amazing family, and looking forward to seeing Merle and Blake again. Until we meet again! #StrongerTogether

- Pimm Family

We had many years of sharing the terrace with your family. It was a pleasure knowing your sweet Mom and knowing of her deep love and care for your father and family. On one occasion, my daughter was visiting Coronado. After her toddler had ingested too much pool water, she sought out your family for a priesthood blessing. She was in the care of your family and we will appreciate this always. We will miss seeing your mom in Coronado.

- Pat Zobrist Martinez