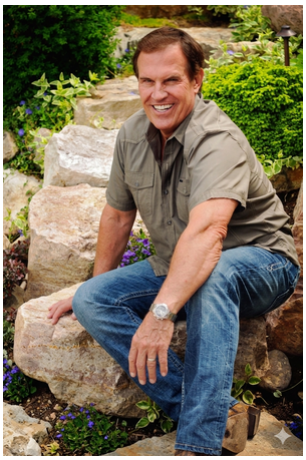


Dr. Robert W Later

November 25, 1949 ~ March 15, 2026

I just found out that someone I loved passed away in March, and somehow, learning this today has explained the connection I have felt with him since I was 9 years old\. Bob was such an intricate part of my childhood, being Lindsay’s best friend in grade school\. I remember the family vacations, Lake Powell, and so many memories where I was so incredibly blessed to be a part of the world of the Later family\. When I got pregnant with my first baby 17 years ago, I contacted Bob and asked him for a recommendation of who I should use to deliver my baby\. He confidently said, “Crystal, are you crazy? Get your ass in here immediately\. No one will take better care of you than me\.” How right he was\. ❤■ He delivered both of my babies, and he cared for them with the same love and kindness he had always shown me\. I will forever be grateful that someone who had been such an important part of my childhood was also there for one of the most important moments of my adult life\. I was so unbelievably saddened to learn of his passing today\. I’m especially sad that I didn’t know when it happened, because I would have wanted the opportunity to honor someone I truly loved\. I know Bob would be so happy to know that both of my brothers are doctors now—one in the ER and one in internal medicine\. I can’t help but think he would have been proud of them\. My love goes so deeply to his entire family and extended family\. Bob was incredible, and he was an influential part of so many people’s lives, including mine\. Today, I’m honoring him in the only way I can—with the memories I have, the love I still carry, and gratitude for the incredible impact he had on my life\. My love is with all of you ❤■

- Crystal Barlow

Robert looked and acted like this picture! He was always friendly, engaged and a great guy! He is now resting easy in Gods Arms! May Peace find his family knowing he is safe.

- John Pavlich

I’m so sorry for your loss. He was a great doctor and friend to me. He will be missed.

- Tara Reidhead

Connie, our deepest condolences to you and your family. While we did not spend a ton of time with you both, the times that we were around you and Bob were enjoyable. he will be deeply missed, Peace, Love, and prayers to you!

- Kraig and Wendy Erickson

He brought eight beautiful babies of mine into the world. I can’t thank him enough. He’s an amazing man and I am so sad that we lost this man sending thoughts and love your way.

- Irene Simons

Connie and family; Our family is devastated to hear of Dr. Bob's passing. He has been a big part of our family for 40 years. Not only was he my physician, he was my friend. We are sending you and the kids our love and condolences at this difficult time . With love❤■ Elaine, Megan Mortensen and family.

- Elaine Mortensen

I still can’t believe this. I was a patient of Dr Laters for 32 years. I would say he was more than my Dr he was a friend. He delivered both of my boys. He is a one of a kind person. To his beautiful wife Connie and the family I send my condolences. I will for sure miss him. Rest in peace Bob love you. Love Kathy

- Kathy utter

I am forever grateful that I was mentored by Dr Robert Later in Women’s Services in the medical profession. Assisting him as a OBGYN nurse in his office was the beginning of my interest in becoming a Labor and Delivery nurse, Antepartum testing nurse and a Certified lactation counselor and Childbirth Educator. He was an excellent teacher and fair and generous employer besides being my personal OBYGN physician. Bob tried to meet the needs of so many young, child bearing and senior women. Women are very complicated creatures and demand and need a lot of attention. He ran marathons in his practice and in his personal life. Bob, Dr Later, friend, you will be sorely missed. Thank you for coming into my life! Most sincerely, Wendy Powell

- Wendy Powell

Dr. Later (BOB) was my doctor for 31 years, and his dedication to my health was unmatched. He was not just a wonderful physician, but a kind and compassionate person who truly listened. I will always remember our history and the care he took to ensure I was well cared for. Bob was not just my doctor for 31 years, but a trusted confidant. His compassion truly changed my life. He was right there with me through all my pregnancies and even now when I needed him most. Not sure what I'll do without his expertise. He's the BEST of the BEST! Sending my deepest condolences to his wife and family. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Rest easy Doc. ■ ❤■ The Newson's

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My deepest condolences to the family of Dr Later. He delivered my Son in 1990 and took such good care of US while we were in the hospital recovering from The C-Section. He will always remembered for his huge loving heart! ❤■

- Tresa Hansen

Connie and family We are so sad to hear of Bob passing . Thoughts and prayers are with you all at this sad time.

- Debbie Lamoreaux

He was the best OBGYN. He delivered two of my children & 2 of my grand children. I totally trusted him with the most important people in my life. I'm so sorry for your loss. Thank you for sharing so much of his time with all his patience that depended on him.

- Valerie Adams

What a truly amazing wonderful caring loving man. I've been going to him for over 30 years. He took care of me through many many trials he also took care of my daughter when she was having problems he was so compassionate and listened he just listened and then helped So hard to find anyone like that anymore God bless you and your family you are going to be so missed. My heart is broken for your wife and your family but you're now in the loving arms of your Savior ❤■

- JoLynn McConnell

My deepest condolences to your family. Bob was a marvelous example of a wonderful physician, partner and friend to me. I have always felt that he was the best of us in the group and would do anything to help anyone…I srive to live up to his example.

- Ken Larsen

So sorry for your loss. Sending love to you and your family at this difficult time.

- Stephanie and Chad Badham

You will be greatly missed. You spread your humanity to us all. Rest in peace our beloved Doctor and friend. Condolences to your family.

- The killers, Jack and Paulette

Dr. Later was such a wonderful physician. He delivered my three children and saw me through some difficult health issues. I will miss him dearly!

- Julia Cramer

I will miss Dr. Later! I saw him in his office just 2 weeks ago (and got to meet Jerzee). He was my doctor my entire adult life. He had an incredible bedside manner.

- Susan Christopherson

Bob! He was the best! I worked for Dr. Later for a couple years out of high school as his medical assistant. I loved working for him. Bob had a peaceful demeanor, a way of calming the chaos but also bringing the fun. His patients loved and trusted him; he not only was their physician but their confidant as they navigated hard situations. He knew how to treat people- kindly and respectfully. I often revisit memories of my time working in his office, because he created a working environment that made going to work not feel like a job- but a bunch of friends, in matching outfits, hanging out- eating Cafe Rio and caring for patients :). I am deeply saddened by this news- it was evident how much he loved Connie and his family and I know he is going to be greatly missed- leaving a huge hole in a lot of people's hearts. Hope you're riding your Harley on the streets of heaven, Dr. Later. Thank you for bringing so much life into this world and leaving it a better place. Till we meet again ❤■

- Nicole (Humphrey) Furness

Dr. Later was my doctor when I lived in Salt Lake. From 1990 to 1999. As all his patients I loved him dearly. He was a great doctor and helped me a lot when I had issues I’m very sorry about his passing as I’m sure Salt Lake is. My condolences to his family . He will be dearly missed.

- Lois Vaughn

Oh what a sweet man, such a good doctor, so kind and gentle rest in peace glad we have a loving Heavenly Father.

- Barbara Moulton

Dr Later was my doctor for over 40 years. He delivered two of my children and my grandson. I saw him last November and he looked great. I will really miss him. So sorry for his wife Connie and his children. Rest in peace Dr Later

- Denise Johnson

Dr later oh boy the amount of things I could say you were the best OB! You delivered my brother and my son! The world is dimmer without you here. I am just so incredibly sorry that you couldn’t be here longer! My heart and prayers are with your family.

- Morgan Anderson

This is such hard news to hear, I hope his darling wife, kids and family are doing well. Dr. Later has been my doctor since I was 16 years old. He delivered all my babies. I never felt like a patient each time I was at his office, more of like a really good friend. He was always so kind always asked about the kids and husband. He will be missed tremendously!

- Brandis Hardman

To the family of Dr. Robert Later my prayers of peace and comfort are with all of you during this difficult time■❤■ The world has lost such a wonderful man. Dr. Later, was my doctor and he was the most kindest and compassionate man. He treated me more like a family member or friend than a patient, and I always felt cared for by him. I could always ask him questions and he would thoughtfully answer them and I always knew that anything that I was worried about he would always have the answers and immediately made me feel at ease. I know that probably all of his patients felt the same way that whenever we would go in there for our appointment, instead of getting right to the appointment, he would spend some time talking with us and asking us how we were doing and how our families were and if we had done anything fun lately or if we had fun trips coming up. He was just that kind of doctor, he was more of a friend to all of us. I know I speak for so many of his patients that we will miss him terribly, and there will never be anyone like him again■

- Jodi Mitchell

Connie and family; We were so sorry to hear about Bob's passing. He was much more than our Dr. He was a great friend. We have many memories that include him, and oh the stories I could tell. Please know we are sending heartfelt condolences and love to you and the family. May your memories help you through this difficult time❤■ With love; Megan and Elaine Mortensen

- Elaine Mortensen

I’m sorry for the family’s loss. I was surprised that Dr Later passed away. He was my OB and Gynecologist. He never made me feel uncomfortable. He was very kind and caring.

- Keri Elkington

I am so sad to hear of your passing. Dr Later, I literally owe my life to you. You saved my life, that day in 1984. I know I was “circling the drain” when you discovered the cause of my horrible pain ectopic pregnancy. I have often thought of how kind & compassionate, & empathetic you always were to everyone. You had all the women “giddy” at Alta View Hospital cause you really were the handsomest OB we had ever seen. God wanted you @ Alta View, and I am one of the many you helped & treated thru the many years of your service to the community. God Bless you, & Rest in Peace■■■■■

- Kathy Staker

Dr. Later was a huge part of our family's life as he helped us welcome our four children into the world! My husband especially appreciated that Dr. Later allowed him to take part in the deliveries, and those are memories he cherishes. I loved his charisma and friendliness each year at my appointments. He will be missed. Love to the Later family and Connie from the Summers.

- Alicia Summers

Cindy and I will truly miss our great friend and partner for all these years. Bob was my Chief Resident in Phoenix Arizona and taught me many wonderful things about the art of being a good Ob/Gyn. We were blessed to continue our friendship and work together for many more years in Sandy. We will truly miss his presence in our lives. Our deepest sympathies to Connie, one of our truly great friends. We are there for you always. Love and condolences, Leon and Cindy.

- Dr Leon Hansen and Cindy

There are no words adequate enough to express my love and gratitude for this man! He truly was one of a kind and will be greatly missed. Connie and Family I am so grateful for you sharing Bob with all of us. I know how much time he spent away from you for his patients, but what a difference he made in my life and I know countless others. I'm sure the heavens rejoiced to have him home, I'm sorry thats not here. May you take comfort in what a legacy he left behind.

- Brooke Balls

Dr. Later was my OB/GYN for many years and for both my babies. Later my girls became his patients also and absolutely loved him. He was about my same age and, yes, he lived life to the fullest. He was easy to talk to and made sure you felt safe and comfortable during the exams. He was an amazing man and an even more outstanding Dr. He will be missed by so many. Thank you for your service Dr. Later ■■■■■

- Karen Trujillo

I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that my thoughts are with you during this incredibly difficult time. Bob was a remarkable person, and his memory will always be cherished. He was not only a friend, but he was a great doctor who delivered my baby girl,Lexi. ■ Rest in peace my friend. Terri Later -Premeaux

- Terri Later-Premeaux.

Dr. Later was a part of our family. My mother went to him and so did I. He delivered me, got me through 2 of my pregnancies, and delivered one of my babies. He would always ask about my kids and want to see pictures. He was so personable and warm. The best doctor around. I will never find another doctor like him. Rest in peace, Dr. Later. I will miss you❤■ You are so loved.

- Whitni Oman

I am in disbelief. This is such an heartache for all who knew him. I have been a patient for 26 years. He is the most incredible person and Dr. He will be missed terribly. Thoughts and prayers go to his wife and family.

- Amber Anderson

I am not sure I will sleep tonight. I am so sad to hear of Dr. Later's loss! What a wonderful Dr. I was reminded in my head that I needed to get my appointment for my yearly and went to look up the website and this popped up. I am in shock, it was last May I saw him and we talked about all he went through! Dang it I am sad! I could write pages about him he was so personable, caring, listener and just an all around great guy! No matter what he was going

through his sense of humor was the best! I’m so sorry for your families loss. His loss is felt by so many- he will always be remembered because he was that kind of person. He took the time to know his patients and he was genuine. He will leave a void! It’s already being felt. Thank you for sharing him with us. What a beautiful tribute to such a great guy. Thinking of all his family and friends and the many patients that love and will miss him ■■

- Shalise Veenensaal Benjamin

I am a labor and delivery nurse but never had the opportunity to meet or work with Dr. Later. In the medical community, names of the great physicians in your area of expertise get around. Dr. Later was a well known name in the OB community. I’ve often heard of how kind and compassionate and genuine he was. His name is synonymous with being “one of the good ones”. I am so sorry for your loss.

- Chantel Trujillo

There are no words that feel big enough to express what this loss means to our family. Dr. Later was so much more than a physician—he was a steady source of hope during one of the hardest seasons of my life. He delivered my son almost 5 years ago. After that, when I was struggling with infertility & miscarriages— he never gave up on me. He listened, he cared, and he believed when it felt impossible to believe. He was my doctor for almost 10 years. But his impact on our family didn’t start or end there. He also brought my siblings into this world, meaning his hands have been part of our story from the very beginning. That is something we will carry with us forever. Dr. Later had a rare kind of compassion—the kind that made you feel seen, safe, and truly cared for. He changed lives not just through his skill, but through his kindness and dedication. We will never forget him, and we will always be grateful for the role he played in building our family. Rest peacefully, and thank you for everything.

- Ava Lambson

A remarkable man, full of life, loyal, a good friend to all. A great gentleman. He will be missed. My deepest condolences ■

- Robert Lemon

Dr. Later has always been one of my heroes. He was there when I delivered my first baby in 1985 and six more, including twins. He also helped me through two miscarriages. I loved how he always smiled when he first saw the babies. I was able to meet his wife Connie briefly in the office and I could tell how much he cherished her. I feel so sad, but so grateful for what a wonderful doctor and friend he was.

- Laura Newman

Dear Connie, I was heartbroken to hear about Bob's passing. He will be sorely missed; he was a kind, funny, generous, larger-than-life man who made everyone around him feel special. Sending you and your family all of my love in this time of sorrow.

- Trish Philip

Dr Later was my Dr from the time I got married in 1999, until my last check up last summer 2025. He delivered 4 of my 5 kids. He was so compassionate and shed tears with my husband and I when we lost our baby at 5 months

and had to deliver her. And was so understanding with our fears in our next pregnancy. He entered the room every time with the same vibrant 'Hel-lo!'. The first time my husband met him he worried about how giant his arms and hands were, that he would rip our baby's heads off. He was there with us in the best and worst moments of our lives. The best doctor I ever had. Rest in peace. ♥■

- Kelly Glover

I have been overwhelmed with sadness at Bob's passing he was an amazing Father, Doctor and friend. Always so fun to be around him and Connie.

- Michael Lambert

Dr Later was the sweetest man! He hugged me and told me it was all going to be ok when he told me I was carrying my 4th boy! There were complications, and he had already gone home for the day but rushed back and literally saved my life. I'm sad to hear of his passing❤■. So thankful for him!

- Lori Ellsworth

Dr Later delivered my 4 babies and was my doctor for nearly 30 years. He was truly exceptional and had the kindest bedside manner. My last baby had a difficult time after her delivery and Dr Later was so kind and comforting. I will always be grateful for the roll he played in the lives of my family.

- Kirstie Lovell

I was so sad to hear the passing of Dr. Later. He has been a huge part of my family, delivering all the babies in our family. Dr. Later was an incredible doctor, but more then anything he was an incredible person with such a big heart. I will miss him dearly. There will never be another great man like our " Dr. Later."

- Jamie Tuft

Connie, we've been sitting together thinking of Bob and all the years and memories shared. He was truly a friend and brother, regrets are hard wishing I had reached out more often but when we saw each other the laughter and remembering old great times was priceless and a warm hug won't be forgotten. Our deepest condolences to you and your family, all our love. Cliff and Tammy

- Cliff and Tammy Goldthorpe

Let me introduce myself. My name is Jared Long and your Father worked with my mom Dennise Long for over 17 years and your dad was my wife's obstetrician for our first baby. We wanted him to deliver all our kids, but we moved back east. He was a wonderful man! The perfect amount of confidence with just the right measure of warmth! WOW!!! When I saw this my heart dropped and I couldn't believe it ■! Your Dad was ■■■■! My entire family loved him! Jen I send my condolences to you, your mom and your brother! The world has lost a great man with the loss of your pops! If any of you need anything please don't hesitate to reach out to me or my wife. We know loss all to well! Both my parents passed away a couple of years ago within 16 days of each other and my 18 year old son has been in a losing battle against Ewings Sarcoma for the past 3 years. Honestly, if any of you need to chat contact me or reach out to my wife on Facebook, Instagram, or X. Take care and know your family is going

to be in our prayers ■!

- Jared & Carmela Long

It is difficult to put into words the depth of gratitude and sorrow I feel at the passing of Dr. Later. For over 38 years, he was so much more than my physician. He was a steady, compassionate presence through some of the most meaningful moments of my life. Dr. Later brought each of my children into this world. His kindness and calm presence created a sense of trust and comfort that is rare and unforgettable. I will always remember how he made me feel truly seen, heard, and cared for. His impact is evident and he will be missed.

- Gwen Butters

I had the privilege to have Dr Later as my Dr for 30 plus years, I feel as though I’m not losing my OB, I’m losing a friend as well. I want to thank Dr Later for the 30 years of wonderful service he gave me and so many others, thank you for giving me your undivided attention during my appointments, and thank you for just being the very best doctor in what you do. To his family, thank you for sharing your husband , and father with so many of us, may you have the courage and strength to get through this difficult time, my thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

- Kelly Young

Dr Later was my OB for over 14 years and delivered both of my boys, one of which he delivered on his own birthday so they shared a birthday. I always felt supported and empowered in my medical needs, which is hard to come by. I’ll truly miss Bob and will always appreciate the impact he had on our family.

- Lindsey Bean

Dr Later will always hold a special place in our hearts and we are forever grateful for his wisdom, kindness and support. He was always the first to ask how we were, how business was and share a picture of a deer behind his house. So quick to answer a call and always willing to listen. I don't remember sharing a story with our kids of their birth that he was not a part of. His kindness, smile and love for others is unmatched. Sending all our love to Connie and your family! He definitely will be missed and one of the "Good ones". Love Daniel and Andrea Richins

- Andrea and Daniel Richins

I am so sorry to hear of Dr. Later's passing. He is truly a wonderful person. He was always considered family to me. I was lucky enough to be delivered by Dr. Later in 1985 and later he delivered both of my babies. He is truly a beautiful person, and I am just truly sorry to hear he is gone. He will be missed by many and loved by all. I wish the family peace and love through this hard time. Take care and God bless you all.

- Danielle Gee

Connie and Family, My deepest condolences and love to you all. Dr. Later saved my life more times than I want to think about. He was more than just a doctor. He was a friend and an example of how to treat people--especially in time of need. I, and so many of my friends, were blessed to have him in our lives and help us deliver the gift of life through our children. The world is a little dimmer without him. Thank you all for lending him to us. He will be forever cherished in mine and my family's heart. Freda & Matt

- Freda Achea-Swensen

I always enjoyed my conversations with Dr. Later at work. We often discussed sports, motorcycles and just life in general. I offer my heartfelt prayers and condolences to his family, friends and loved ones. May he rest ever so peacefully in the arms of our beloved savior.

- Brian Jaramillo

Sending my deepest condolences to the Later family. I met Bob at BYU when we were matched together as folk dancing partners add danced together for 2 years. It was no coincidence we were put together because he was the right partner for me with his hard work ethic , fun personality and giant smile! We had a great time together and that was one of my favorite classes because of Bob. He will be missed! Kris (Beckstead) Page

- Kris Beckstead Page

Dr. Later has been my OBGYN since I arrived in the US from Brazil, more than 30 years ago. He was so patient with me while learning English when I first became his patient and we bonded quickly over our love for the Brazilian culture. He delivered my 3 children, and 3 of my grandchildren. He was not only an excellent professional, but a friend. He will be greatly missed.

- The Cook Family

Bob was my hero he delivered my daughter and 2 of my grandsons. You will be missed by everyone that knew you. Thanks my friend for our friendship and all you did for my family I will never forget you my friend.

- Brian Lindquist

Im so sorry for the loss of such a great Doctor and person. Dr Later was my doctor for 20 years. He delivered me and then got to deliver my children. He helped me go thru so much when I was trying to get pregnant and was always there with comfort thru every surgery and loss. He was always so helpful and supportive and someone I completely trusted with my care. He even helped try to get my husband out of shock when we found out we were having twins! Being a twin himself, he offered us some fun advice. I will miss him greatly and am so grateful he was a part of my journey to getting my family.

- Kaela Tyrrell

I'm so sorry for your loss! Dr. Later will always hold a special place in my heart. He successfully delivered my 3 baby girls and made me feel like I was the most important patient he had. They thought my first baby had Downs syndrome and he personally called me with each test result. The morning she was being born Dr Later told me he had tickets to the Jazz game with his son so she needed to be born by 5 pm. She was born after 5 and he stayed with me and got to the game very late. This was the last game when the Jazz were in the finals and I felt horrible. I asked him to apologize to his son for me and Dr Later acted like it wasn't a big deal at all. My 3rd baby had IUGR and he again kept me calm and delivered a healthy, although small, baby. My prayers are with you and I am so thankful for the kind of physician and man he was. Thank you for sharing him for so many years!

- Diane Costanza

I was a patient of Dr Laters for close to 40 years. He was always a kind, caring man who listened to his patients. He will be truly missed!

- Kristen Albrecht

A wonderful, wonderful person and physician. He will truly be missed. Sending love to his family and his equally-wonderful staff.

- Victoria C.

Dr Later was my doctor. He delivered my first and helped me get pregnant with my second. And help make sure that my second was brought here safely in July after previous a miscarriage. After my first I was so sad I wasn't pregnant anymore, not because I loved it but that just meant I wouldn’t see Dr. Later on a monthly basis and I would miss him. I have never loved a doctor more than him! Thank you for sharing him with us. I am sorry for your lost, he was the kindest, sweetest man around!

- Candace Shawcroft

Dr. Later was my doctor for 33 years. I am devastated to hear of his passing. He delivered my second daughter and one of my grandchildren. He was the best doctor ever and there will never be another one like him! I am going to miss him deeply. He was so kind and always listened and was such a positive doctor. You always left Dr Later’s office feeling better. He was absolutely the best! I offer my heartfelt condolences to his family during this difficult time and may Dr. Later rest in peace. Dr. Later made this world a better place.

- Jayne Kelleher Atkinson

I am sorry for your pain. I was a patient for many years. Dr. Later was a very compassionate and caring person. I'm sure he was alsothis outside of work. He will be missed by many and hard to replace as a physician.

- Gina Bald

Dr Later was a great doctor and I will miss him. I truly appreciate him beyond words. He delivered my youngest and has been my doctor for over 10 years. Thank you for everything. My condolences to the Later family. We are thinking of you and praying for you. With love

- Crystal Moser

I'm so sad to hear of Dr. Later's passing. He's been my doctor for just shy of 30 years. He was a great doctor and I always enjoyed talking with him about travel during our visits. I'm sure his loss will be felt far and wide. My condolences to his family.❤■

- Lisa Kelly

My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends. He was the most wonderful Dr I have ever had and will be deeply missed.

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Dr Later delivered both of my boys. He was kind and understanding when my first son was born. My husband was in the hospital, each day of my fortieth week of pregnancy Dr Later asked me if my husband was out of the hospital yet, after nine days he was finally discharged. Dr Later happily put me on the schedule to be induced that same night, thank goodness because my son was 10 lbs 2 oz. I was extremely grateful for Dr Later's guidance and support during that difficult time. He has touched the lives of countless families, including mine. He will be sorely missed. Sending You All Condolences, Sandy Hokanson

- Sandy Hokanson

Dr. Later was a godsend for me and my family. He saved my life when delivering my baby and I owe my happiness to him for I have my baby healthy and happy. His warmth and attention will never be forgotten and we send our condolences to his family at this time.

- Rachel and Florian Stellet

Dr. Later was my GYN for 36 years, almost half my life. I found him to be always up to date on my history and very caring and excellent doctor. I will miss him.

- Paula Martin

Thank you Dr. Later for being there and helping me through one of my hardest times. Im so sorry to hear this news and am sorry for all those who loved you. You were one of best doctors I've ever had. Without a doubt you will be missed by your patients. I will always be thankful you were there and I am blessed for having known you. R.I.P

- Julie Raichart

I am heartbroken to hear of Dr. Later’s passing. He was my doctor for 34 years. He delivered the joys of my life. My daughter and my granddaughter. He was the sweetest man and the BEST doctor. My daughter and I are so grateful to have known him. Sending lots of love to his beautiful wife Connie and family. He will be greatly missed.■

- Angie Slater and Alexa Slater Jaramillo

I am so saddened by this loss. His smile brightened the room. I was blessed to have him as my OB that delivered all my children and eventually was their OB as well. He will be greatly missed and forever loved. My deepest condolences go out to his family with prayers and many thanks for allowing him to be apart of my family as well.

- Heidi

Dr. Later was my physician for more than 37 years. I was shocked to learn of his passing. He delivered both of my daughters. I came to him after a very difficult first pregnancy where I nearly lost our baby. My experience with him was like night and day. I will always be grateful for the care he gave me and for his kindness. My heart felt condolences to his family for this great loss.

- Sandra Brimhall

I am deeply saddened by the passing of Dr Later, I was a patient for 36 years, he delivered both of my children and can truly say he saved my life during my first delivery, I know I would not be here to watch my children grow up if it had not been for his expertise confidence and calm under pressure. Please know that my heart and prayers are with your family in this time of unimaginable loss.

- Charisse Inglet

I am so deeply saddened by this news. Bob was my doc and friend for 34 years, delivered my 2nd child. He was truly the best and I will miss him terribly.

- Kat Harris

This news is absolutely heartbreaking. I cannot believe that he's gone. One of my favorite real people I've ever met. My heart goes out to his wife, family and staff.

- Robin Thraen

I am deeply saddened to hear about Dr. Later’s passing. My heart breaks for his family. All I can say, which I know many others have expressed before me is that I feel so lucky to have received care by him as he was an exceptional doctor and so much more. He loved what he did and I feel blessed to have been his patient.

- Amber Houk

I’m very sorry to hear of Dr Later’s passing. A great Dr but also someone who really connected with his patients. Please accept my condolences

- Nancy Linky

Dearest family and friends of Dr. Robert Later, I've known this man since I was 15 years old. He was there in a time of my life when I lost my son 23 years ago and he was the Emergency OBGYN on call. He was able to deliver our healthy baby daughter 15 years and our healthy son 11 years ago. Thank you so much for all you have done to welcome my babies safely into this world. We will miss you and hope you all know our thoughts and prayers are with you.

- Kareena, Wade, Elizabeth, Christopher Menlove

I received the text today that Dr. Later had passed away, and my heart broke at the news. He was a phenomenal doctor. He always treated me like I am a great friend, and always wanted to know what fun things were going on in my life. Even better, he loved to share what was going on in his life in return. When I would talk to him about my concerns at my appointments, he would always ask, "What's next?" instead of trying to speed the appointment along. He made sure that he addressed all of my concerns as if he had all of the time in the world. He genuinely wanted to help me, and I became very comfortable and safe with him, knowing that he would do his best to help me with whatever I needed. He never thought my ideas were crazy, and was willing to write me a prescription or provide valuable resources at my request to see if my ideas would work. He was so open-minded and would become excited over new techniques and therapies that he had learned about and started to practice. He even had me put his cell phone number in my phone to make sure that I could get in touch with him if necessary. I last visited with him just before this last Christmas, 2025. He talked freely about the limitations he had since having the stroke. He could only use one hand, but he was not going to let that stop him from doing what he loved. He found a way to continue to provide his exceptional care. He told me how hard he was working to get the strength and mobility back in that arm and hand. He told me that the next time I see him, he would be completely healed, and I would never know that he had a stroke. He genuinely believed that. He said that the only thing that he would miss when he regained the use of that side is needing his wife to drive him to work every day. He said that he enjoyed that time with her. Bob is just a genuinely good and amazing man. I can't help but think that I will never be able to go to the doctor again, because I had the best of the best doctor, and now he is no longer with us. I'll never find that elite level of care elsewhere. There's no other Dr. Bob Later. My heart hurts for myself and all of his patients, but it hurts especially bad for his family. He loves his family more than anything. The world is a little less beautiful without him in it. Bob, his beautiful family, and all who love him are in my thoughts and prayers at this sad and difficult time.

- Wendie Hale

What heartbreaking news to hear of Dr. Later’s passing. He was my doctor for nearly 25 years and delivered 5 of my children. I always looked forward to seeing him. Dr. Later had an amazing ability to be a caring doctor at all times. It was evident how knowledgeable he was and I always knew I could trust him. His happy demeanor was contagious and I loved that he was the one who delivered a number of my children. He will be greatly missed. My condolences to his lovely wife, miniature schnauzer doggie and family. The world was a better place with Bob Later in it.

- Amber Vance

Dr. Later will be so very missed. He was like a best friend, and always so warm and special as a doctor. He was our doctor for 26 years and we always had a joke or lots to chat about. Lyn & Von Edgel

- Lyn & Von Edgel

Dr. Later, you were so much more than a Dr. to me and my family. You cared for us with such kindness and dedication for so many years. I’ll never forget you, and I’ll always be grateful for the difference you made in our lives. Love you always and forever grateful ■ our thoughts and prayers for your beautiful family! Kris Jorgensen and family ■■■■

- Kris Jorgensen

My husband and I are grateful to have you as my doctor. Especially with our last two children with complications, you often called to check on me when I was in the hospital with another doctor’s care. You made us feel cared. I’m

so sorry to hear about your passing. Prayers are with your family. Thank you for everything you have done for our family!

- Yuki Halverson (Lily, Sophia, Cana)

Connie and Family Ryan and I send our deepest sympathies. Dr Bob was an individual who always made everyone feel welcome. I am honored to have known him and call him my friend. He was so kind and had a wit about him. I will miss him greatly. We love you Connie! Mike

- Mike Babbel

Dear Later Family, I am so deeply sorry for your loss. I only just learned of Bob's passing, and my heart is heavy. I first began seeing him as a patient in 1988, and throughout all these years, he was a constant source of comfort, kindness, and strength. He had a way of making people feel completely at ease, even in their most vulnerable moments. He delivered my daughter in 1995, and I'll never forget how he had me come to the hospital the night before for a procedure—something he had only done once—when insurance wouldn't approve it, he simply said, "Come in anyway, it will all work out." That was who he was: he did what was right for his patients. When my husband was killed in a car accident in December of 2000, I showed up at his office and he had his nurse sit with me so I wouldn't be alone. I have never forgotten that act of compassion. And decades later, he delivered my grandson in December 2023. My daughter and son-in-law grew to love him as much as I did. Over the years, we would run into each other at Jazz games and at Royce's, and it always felt like seeing an old friend. We talked of riding harley's and visiting Pirates Cove. I remember how happy he was when he met Connie—the love of his life. I also met my new husband in 2003 and married in 2004. We often shared how blessed we were for having found them and wondered what we had done to deserve them in our lives. Over the years, I also shared with him that I had been clean and sober, coming up on 25 years. Those conversations became something I cherished. We spoke in depth about how addiction had affected both of our families, and every time, he met me with honesty, understanding, and a genuine openness of heart. It became a connection we returned to often, and those moments meant so much to me. The last time I saw him, in February, I was going through chemo on my face and it looked intensely red, purple and swollen. When he walked in, I pointed to my face and said, "Chemo," and he pointed to his own and said, "Stroke." Even in that moment, he met me with grace and a quiet strength that always made me feel seen. He was excited for their Mexican vacation and although he deeply appreciated Connie always driving him around, he said it was his job to chauffeur her. Bob was not just my doctor; he was a steady presence through some of the most important and difficult chapters of my life. I feel so grateful to have known him for so many years. He touched countless lives, and mine is one of them. The world was a better place with him in it. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with your family.

- Cathy Maxwell

Uncle Bob was an immensely kind and generous man. He was always ready to help and warmly invited me to participate in family activities while I stayed in Utah, often offering for me to stay at his home as well. He was an amazing doctor, uncle, friend and support. I will miss him and send condolences to those close to him.

- Allison Stephens

We are so saddened to hear of Dr. Later's passing. Michael met him at Alta View hospital many years ago, and had the privilege of working along side of him as an anesthesiologist. Michael witnessed first hand how much Robert cared for and attended to his patients. He was a skilled and competent doctor. He has been Susan's doctor for over

40 years. Even after we moved to Provo 30 years ago, she still continued with Dr. Later. The drive up from Provo was more than worth it. He was a very kind and compassionate doctor. He was personable and always seemed to have all the time you wanted to talk with him. Our lives have been richly blessed by our association with this wonderful man. Much love and condolences to all of his family and associates, Dr. and Mrs. Michael Taylor

- Susan and Michael Taylor

Dr. Later was the most caring, kind, gentle doctor. He helped me though some tough times and utter joys in my childbearing years. My last daughter was born in 2005 on mother's day morning. Dr. Later rushed to the hospital only to find out that she couldn't wait and we had her in the ambulance just south of Alta View on 1300 East. He was there to greet us and assure me that all would be well. THANK YOU for letting me take him away from celebrating you on Mothers Day, Connie. I always hoped that he would return home quickly to be with his sweet wife on her day! He was always cute to ask about how our kids were and to ask for photos. Truly a great loss to the profession, and by the sentiments and photos that I'm seeing around, he will be profoundly missed by his beautiful family. I am deeply sorry for your tremendous loss. May the millions of memories carry you through the hardest days. With gratitude and sympathy, Denise Christiansen and family

- Denise Christiansen

I am deeply saddened to hear of Dr. Later’s passing. He was more than just my physician, he was a constant, trusted presence in my life for over 25 years. He delivered both my daughter and my granddaughter, and through every season, he showed exceptional care, compassion, and humanity. I will always remember his bedside manner and the warm, dramatic “hellooo” he would say when he walked into the room. it instantly put me at ease and made me feel truly seen. He had a rare gift for connecting with his patients, and it was clear how deeply he cared. I am so grateful to have been under his care for so many years. He will be profoundly missed.

- Crystal McFarland

So so sorry to hear this terrible news. He was such a wonderful doctor such a nice guy always had smile for you when you came for an appointment. Sending my Thought and Prayers to the family

- Cathyzabriskie

Dr. Later was truly a blessing to my family. Back in January 2022, during my first OB-GYN checkup, another doctor told us that our baby did not have a heartbeat. As a first-time mom, I didn’t want to believe it, so I searched for a second opinion and found Dr. Later. For some reason, I felt drawn to call his clinic right away and scheduled an appointment. Before I could even meet him, I miscarried. Still, I kept my appointment and shared with him what had happened. When he spoke with me and my husband, we felt heard, seen, and genuinely cared for. Even in that painful moment, his compassion meant everything to us. When he confirmed our loss, he gently asked, “Do you want to try again?” Without hesitation, we said yes. He guided us with care and put a plan in place to help us move forward. In April 2022, I became pregnant again. Dr. Later took such wonderful care of me and my baby throughout the entire pregnancy. Because of him, we were able to welcome our baby into this world safely. I will forever be grateful for the care, kindness, and hope he gave us. You will be deeply missed, Dr. Later

- Shiela Remington

We were deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Dr. Bob Later. I adored him from the moment we met 35 years ago, when I was pregnant with my first son, Kody. He was consistently kind, engaging, and exceptionally competent — and he always managed to make every visit feel light and fun. Please know that our thoughts are with your family, and we are truly sorry for your loss. The Martell's

- Kristee & Gordon Martell & family

Doctor Later has been my amazing doctor for so many years. I still haven't wrapped my head around the fact he is gone, and that my last appointment was actually the last one I will ever have with him. I am not sure any words can express my deepest condolences to all of his family and loved ones; I pray that God will meet you in the hard moments ahead and that you will be able to feel peace surround you. Thanks for sharing him with so many people, he truly blessed many lives and delivered outstanding joy to so many families.

- JO

I will truly miss you my friend, employer & deliverer of my two sweet daughters. I was so surprised when we finished a c-section in the middle of the night and you expressed a desire to have me work with you as your office nurse. I was honored that you would trust me to help you care for your patients. You taught me so much with your love for and knowledge of medicine, but most of all, you taught me to listen, care for and really see our patients by your great example. I loved working by your side for 11 years. Thank you for your friendship and love. You've left behind a trail filled with love and respect for a community you served well! I'll see you when I get there! Love you dear friend, Kathe

- Kathe Jackson

My memories of Bob go back much further than most of you. Bob and I were in junior high and high school together. We were both known as "Robert" then (and most of our friends from that time continued to call us that), but we both became "Bob" after high school. I was the junior high valedictorian and Bob was the salutatorian. I have photos of the two of us marching into the gym for junior high graduation ceremonies. Bob and I were not close in high school. I was a Band guy, and he was a jock, so we moved in different circles. And besides, he beat me for Class President our freshman, sophomore and junior years, and for Student Body President our senior year (by 12 votes, something I always reminded him of)! But we became much closer at our 20th high school reunion, and my wife Ellen and I adored Connie from the time we first met her, which I think was at Bob's and my 30th high school reunion. (Connie, I will send you separate condolences by e-mail.) The last time I saw Bob was in 2014, when I got him to attend the centennial celebrations of our high school. (Unfortunately, I could not persuade Bob to come to our high school class's 50th reunion in 2018.) After the centennial dinner, Bob and Connie and Ellen and I and a few of our old friends went into a separate room and sat and drank and reminisced about our junior high and high school days. Bob was hilarious that night! I learned things about him that I never knew. Here's an example of what he said: "I remember that photo of our junior high graduation. I hated it! I was so short. I used to pray 'please, God, don't let me be this short all my life'." There was something else he said he prayed for, but I think I won't disclose that here. But trust me, it was VERY funny. I was shocked to hear of Bob's death. When you grow up in a small town, as we did, news travels quickly - even bad news - maybe especially bad news, at our age. It travelled to me, over 5,000 miles away. Bob, I'll miss you at our 60th reunion. I'm glad we became friends.

- Bob Cubitto

Dr Later was my favorite and primary Dr since I moved here in 1992. The last number of years after I retired and he was approaching retirement age we would have a nice visit each time I went in for my checkup. I am so very sad for your loss. What a wonderful individual he was. When I first moved here, everyone I knew at that time recommended him when I was looking for an OB/GYN.

- Susan Dunlap

Dr. Later was the best! He was my favorite physician for over 30 years. He had such a wonderful smile, personality, sense of humor and commanding presence that was so unique and refreshing. He literally saved my life after my first delivery and worked tirelessly to save my uterus so that I was blessed to be able to have another child. He truly was my hero and will be missed dearly!

- Sandra Jeffs

I am so sorry to hear of Dr Later passing away. He was my mom's doctor and delivered me. I moved, but made the many trips to his Sandy office. He delivered both of my children. Definitely worth the drive. He was compassionate, so kind, lit up any room he was in! The absolutely best doctor and person you could ever wish for. His big smile, and how he always made you feel at ease. Ohh he will be greatly missed! My condolences to the family ■

- Crystal (Seal) Gold

I had Dr. Later as my hormone replacement therapy doctor. He was incredibly knowledgeable and always took the time to understand my needs and listen to me. I was heartbroken to hear about this recent news. He will be missed, wonderful doctor. I wish more doctors were like him.

- Erick C.

Bob was a great friend and mentor to me early in my training as an OBGYN. He was a skilled surgeon, thoughtful diagnostician and steady hand in the most critical situations. I know many were blessed by his good care. I'm grateful our paths crossed in this life and look forward to future associations beyond this existence. Matt and Pauline Peterson

- C.Matthew Peterson MD

Dr Later was a wonderful, kind ,and caring person and one heck of a great doctor. He truly cared for all of his patients making each one feel special. He was not only my doctor, but my daughters and delivered 2 of my grand daughters. Blessings , you will be missed by generations.

- Linda Vigor

Dear Family of Dr. Bob Later, I was deeply saddened to learn of Dr. Bob Later's passing. Please accept my heartfelt condolences. I had the privilege of serving as one of Bob's early mentors during his residency at Maricopa Medical Center in Phoenix. Over the course of those four years, I came to know him as an exceptionally mature, trustworthy, and hardworking individual, with a strong sense of intellectual honesty. He approached his responsibilities with the highest level of dedication and quickly became a respected and effective educator to the younger residents. I made it a point to spend time with the residents outside of the clinical setting, and Bob often

joined me for a round of golf or a game of tennis. I fondly recall one occasion when Bob asked if he could invite one of his medical students to join us for a tennis match. To my surprise, the student aced nearly every serve. Only later did I learn that he was a California State Amateur Tennis Champion - something Bob had clearly found quite amusing. That moment perfectly reflected Bob’s quiet sense of humor. Bob was deeply dependable and set a wonderful example for those who trained alongside him. When he completed his residency, I had hoped he might remain in Phoenix, but he chose to return to Salt Lake City. I missed his presence then, and I will always miss him. May the many cherished memories of Bob bring comfort and peace to your family during this difficult time. With deepest sympathy, Tawfik H. Rizkallah, MD

- Dr. Tawfik Rizkallah MD

Such a kind and loved Dr. I was a new patient but he made me feel like he’d known me for years. A very kind hard working man. Thank you for giving your care to your patients and bringing beautiful babies into this world

- Heidi Hopper

Sorry to hear of Dr Laters passing.we were on track team at globe high school..we both ran the mile..I ran two mile also.robert doubled in other events as well. He and brother Rick were the best in character and achievers on the track..I have photos of our track days and will always remember him .condolences to the family..

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- Robert bracamonte

Sending my love to Connie and the entire Later's family. Dr. Later was not only an exceptional physician but a truly wonderful person. I've been his patient for over 28 yrs. He delivered all three of my children with such compassion and care. His kindness touched so many lives, and he will be deeply missed. May the Lord's comfort surround you, and may the promise of Psalm 34:18 "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted..." bring you peace in this time of sorrow. May he rest in God's eternal peace. Lots of Love ❤■

- Chanthy Hamlin & Family