

Stephen Jay Sorenson

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Celia and I extend our condolences to Sister Sorenson and the Sorenson family. President Sorenson was an inspiration to so many and gave his time and talents selflessly. I will always treasure his calm demeanor, his wise counsel and his reassuring smile.

- Walt Baker

Dear Corinne and Family, We wanted to send to you our condolences on the passing of your husband and father. Mike and Joyce have many fond memories through the years of working with and being friends with both Stephen and Corinne. Steven was a very kind and loving man and we will miss him. We are so sorry for your loss at this time and know that we will see him again. Our prayers are with you. All of our love, The McKendrick Family

- Diane Holder

I spent many years working with Steve in the U.S. Attorney's Office. I admired him so much as a work colleague and love and respect him as a dear friend. I loved his sense of humor, respected his leadership skills, and recognize the literally hundreds of significant contributions he made to the office. It is an honor to call him a work colleague and a high honor to call him a dear friend. Until we meet again, Steve.

- Melodie Rydalch

I just heard about Steve. My heart goes out to the whole family. He will be missed I’m sure. Marshall

- Marshall Lee

Dear Corrine and Sorenson family, our Mortensen family has kept you all in our prayers during this trying time. We are so grateful for knowing your sweet husband and Becky’s Father. We send our condolences at this time and mourn with all of you. We send our love and encouragement. Marc and Betty

- Marc and Betty Mortensen

To Steve's Family - I was saddened to read of Steve's passing. I first met Steve when I came to work at the Utah Attorney General's office. It was quickly easy to see that even though he was only a few years out of law school, he was already an excellent attorney - not one who would try to bully or badger his way to victory, but rather one who calmly sought out the facts and then applied the law, and was always fair in his dealings. He truly viewed his role as an attorney as being an officer of the court, and that justice should prevail based on the facts and the law. It was even easier, though, to realize that he was also an incredibly fine person, decent, good and kind to everyone, including those on the opposite side of litigation. Much later we discovered we had both served missions to Finland, which gave us an even closer attachment. Even after he left the AG's office, he remained a true friend, always available to discuss anything at any time. He even helped arrange it so our son could have his wedding breakfast at one of the buildings in the Salt Lake City Stake. In my life, I have known some very good attorneys, and some very good people. Steve was the best of both. I know Steve had a strong testimony that God lives, the Jesus Christ is HIs Son and our Savior, and that He lives, and that while death in this life may part us for a short while, we will see each other again. May that knowledge, and the love of our Heavenly Father, HIs Son, and the Holy Ghost, comfort all of you at this time.

- Bryce Pettey