



Albert Grant Watson

June 5, 1933 ~ Aug. 11, 2017

Albert Grant Watson, 84, passed away on August 11, 2017 while on his way to work in West Valley City, Utah. He was born at his home on June 5, 1933 in Spring City, Utah to James Albert Watson and Lola Olsen.

Albert always went by his middle name, Grant, and grew up in Spring City, Utah. He graduated from North Sanpete High School in Mt. Pleasant in 1951. After high school, he attended Snow College in Ephraim, Utah where he received an Associates Degree. He was then drafted into the US Army in November 1953. He served 2 years in Japan in the Early Aircraft Radar Division where he received an honorable award. He then worked for Cummins Diesel as the assistant part's manager 30 years and then Royal International.

Grant married Stella Colleen Dahlon May 29, 1956 in the Manti, Utah temple. They were happily married for 61 years. Grant was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Grant was an excellent appliance repairman and the customers loved him! He was an incredible mechanic. He enjoyed restoring cars, spending time on Skyline Drive, herding sheep in Black Canyon, horseback riding, snowmobiling, four-wheeling and all other joys of the mountains.

In 1984, Grant and Stella moved to Ft. Worth, Texas where they purchased and ran Fletcher's Used Furniture and Appliance store for three years. They then returned to Salt Lake City, Utah where they opened Affordable Used Furniture and Appliances which is currently still operated by his son David Watson.

Grant is survived by his spouse Stella of Sandy, Utah; his children Kathryn Mitchell (Stan) and David Watson (Beverly); sister Fanon Cook; grandchildren Brandon Watson (Catrina), Brett Montague (Kristine), Brooke Watson, Gregory Montague (Carly), Rachel Robinson (Ellis), Christopher Montague, Alexander Montague, Nicolas Watson and Landon Farr and seven great-grandchildren. Grant was preceded in death by his parents, siblings Wanda Cahoon (Clare), Jack Watson (Cecile), Karma Startup (Harry), Gwen Christensen (Eslie) and Doug Cook (brother-in-law), Dawn Watson.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 am on Saturday, August 19, 2017 at the LDS Chapel on 11755 South Highland Drive (2000 East), Sandy, Utah. A viewing will be held Friday evening from 6-8pm at Larkin Sunset

Gardens, 1950 East Dimple Dell Road (10600 South) Sandy, Utah and from 10-11am prior to the services at the church. Interment at Riverton City Cemetery 1500 W 13200 S, Riverton, UT 84065.

The family would like to express their gratitude and thank all the volunteers, highway troopers and medical staff for their amazing services.