

# Casey E. Jones

*October 8, 1951 ~ July 29, 2023*

Casey E. Jones Sr., 71, passed away peacefully in his favorite place in Idaho on July 29, 2023. His battle with cancer in the recent past showed his courage in facing life's challenges with a smile. Spite the pain Casey came out a hero and stayed strong until the end.

Casey was born to Ted E Jones and Vera Gordon Jones on October 8, 1951. He was the baby of his family. His siblings Jack Jones, Blaine, Joanne Olmstead, and Teddy Smith. He grew up fixing cars, stealing a tractor, charging kids to walk in front of his house, and always staying close to his friends. He was drafted into the military and served in the Army as a cook instructor.

He married his high school sweetheart Deborah Folkman, on August 27, 1971. They lived a beautiful love story where they had 4 children, Tammy Gines (Lee Gines), Casey Jones Jr. (Tracy Jones), Tina Murdock (Ben Hodgson), Timothy Jones (Desi Jones). They were blessed with and found the most joy with their 17 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

Casey was a faithful member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He served for countless years as a scout master. He and Debbie also served as inter-city missionaries.

Casey loved to golf, fish, camp, spend time with friends and family, travel with his sweetheart, and he was always giving to and serving others.

He is preceded in death by his parents (Ted and Vera Jones), brothers (Jack and Blaine), sister (Joanne), and grandchildren (Wacey Gines and Brier Jones).

There will be viewing held in his honor on August 11, 2023, at Larkin Sunset Gardens (1950 E. 10600 S. Sandy, UT) from 6:00-8:00 pm. Funeral will be held August 12, 2023, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Ward Building (6695 S. 2200 W. West Jordan, UT) 11:00 am with a small viewing preceding the service from 10:00-10:45 am. Interment will follow at Larkin sunset Gardens Cemetery, Sandy.

For this unable to attend the service in person, the family invites you to join via Zoom, at https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84375593380.