

Donald Kent Hansen

November 5, 1961 ~ July 15, 2025

Sandy, UT – Donald (Doni) K. Hansen passed away July 15, 2025, in Sandy UT with family at his side.

Born November 5, 1961, in Salt Lake City he shared his time between Salt Lake and Denver, CO. His career was focused in the security industry, as a specialist in commercial security and fire protection systems. He loved spending time outdoors camping, hunting and boating with family and friends. His biggest passions were snow skiing, water skiing, camping with his wife and spending time in nature.

Doni married Melidee Jones Hansen in 1999, and they moved to Sandy, UT. He had a deep love for his family and his wife was his favorite companion and best friend. Small things carried big meaning for him, and he found great joy in sharing the simple pleasures of life with her.

Doni loved being an uncle to his nieces and nephews. He had a childlike spirit when spending time with them, always joking around, pulling pranks and playing hard. He was also someone they could look to as a role model who helped teach them how to live with kindness, responsibility and a big heart.

Doni had a very caring and receptive heart, loved unconditionally with deep loyalty and had a very generous soul. He will be missed dearly by all who have had the opportunity to know and love him.

Survived by his wife, Melidee Hansen, Father Darvel Hansen, Mother Lyla Hansen, siblings Lynn Riches, Michael Riches, Cynthia Riches, many in-law siblings, nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by brother Bret L. Hansen.

The family will have a celebration of life in Sandy, UT to be announced at a later date.