

Joseph Charles Boynton

August 29, 1931 ~ January 28, 2021

Joseph Charles Boynton passed away on January 28, 2021 having lived a life that blessed everyone who knew him. Charlie was born August 29, 1931 to George and Doris (Butler) Boynton in Bountiful, Utah.

After graduating from Jordan High School in 1949, Charlie enlisted in the Navy and was stationed in San Diego, California. While on a ship leave, he returned home and married his eternal sweetheart Marjorie Hardcastle on April 9, 1951. They were later sealed in the Salt Lake Temple on January 9, 1953. He served on the transport ships- the Cape Esperance and the
Windham Bay during the Korean War.

Charlie and Marge moved to Sandy, Utah where they lived for forty-five years. Later they moved to St. George where they enjoyed 23 years of beautiful warm weather and extra golfing time.

After leaving the Navy, Charlie was hired by Mountain Fuel Supply Company in their radio department. He truly appreciated everyone he worked with and they became lifelong friends.
Charlie was always a dedicated, conscientious, dependable worker. He became head of the communications department at Questar. The President of the company would often call Charlie up and say, “Hey Kid I need you to do a job.” He was elected President of the Utilities and Telecommunications Council. He was offered a job at Motorola but stayed working for Mountain Fuel (eventually Questar) until his retirement.

Charlie’s part-time job at night was repairing televisions. He was kept really busy fixing televisions for friends and neighbors, and friends of friends and neighbors. Besides fixing televisions Charlie went about doing good in serving anyone who needed help or support. Neighbors would call him to fix anything that was broken, and if he couldn’t fix it, he knew a guy who could.

One of the greatest joys Charlie and Marge shared together was their family. They have three daughters, 13 grandchildren, 45 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-granddaughter. Dad was the best. All three of us girls were so blessed to have a dad that was our best friend. He would take us and our friends anywhere we wanted to go, get us anything we needed for any project, and always made it easy to talk to him. They were the greatest of grandparents and were always there to support and cheer-on every one of those grandchildren and great-grandchildren in anything they were doing.

Some of their favorite activities were traveling, golfing, camping, boating, skiing, working in the yard, and sharing time with many life-long friends. Charlie loved working in the yard and his home reflected his extra care. He delighted in the spring when his cactus would bloom with profuse blossoms.

Charlie and Marge also loved serving in the Jordan River and St. George Temples. Every Friday, for many years they would go with a group and do sealings in the St. George Temple. They served as Employment Missionaries

for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in St. George.

Charlie is survived by his daughters, Cathy (Dennis) Smith, Mitzi (Ron) Attebury, Deanna (Paul) Brady; 13 grandchildren and 44 great-grandchildren and 1 great great-granddaughter, and his brother Leo G. Boynton. He was preceded in death by his wife, Marjorie, his parents, and his sister Marjean Kanady, and his great-granddaughter Danika Soto.

Due to Covid-19, a private funeral service for the immediate family will be held Friday, February 5, 2021, beginning at 11am. Interment will follow at Larkin Sunset Gardens Cemetery.

To view previously held funeral services, please use the Zoom link above.