

Norman Wayne Sackett

July 18, 1955 ~ November 17, 2022

On Thursday, November 17, 2022, our beloved Norman was released from his long battle with cancer, surrounded by family. Norman Sackett was born on July 18, 1955 to Bill and Beth Sackett in Salt Lake City Utah. He enjoyed the company of his one brother and three sisters. It was within his family that he learned to love animals and nature and to work hard to achieve his goals, all traits he would carry throughout his life.

After graduating from Cottonwood High School in 1973, Norm served a faithful two year mission in Sydney, Australia for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. He came away with a strong love of the people and even stronger testimony, always longing to go back and visit the area again. Upon his return, Norm attended the University of Utah for a term and then LDS Business College. He continued to get an AS Manufacturing Engineering Technology Degree from SLCC. It was in the year of 1976 when Norm met the love of his life, Rose Bendixen, and after a short courtship they were sealed in the Salt Lake temple on November 3, 1977.

After moving to Magna and working for the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, the Sacketts welcomed their first son, Loren into the world. Soon after Andrew, Joseph and Nathan followed quickly for a full house. Nine years later they welcomed a girl, Camilla. Norm enjoyed spending time with all his children.

He worked 25 years for the Welfare Square Cannery as a foreman and then Frito Lay as a maintenance mechanic until he took medical retirement in 2017. He learned many skills and it was said that there wasn’t anything he couldn’t fix. He used these skills and talents to help his family and others. Norm served faithfully in the church as Scout Master, Elders Quorum President and High Priest Group leader among other callings. After 20 years of raising the family in Magna, Norm and Rose moved to Herriman, Utah. Upon retirement they served together in the Oquirrh Mountain temple. They thoroughly enjoyed supporting their family and grandchildren in their events and holidays.

Although Norm struggled with many bouts of cancer, his determination to be active in hiking, traveling, and wood working kept him going. Surviving different rounds of chemo and trials made his amazing positive attitude and quick wit with a teasing tone even stronger and eased the burdens of all around him. The support and love of his doting wife, Rose was his greatest joy and service as the two of them rejoiced and forged ahead in life. Norm will always be missed for his kindness, positivity, and mechanical ability. He is survived by the love of his life, Rose, their children; sons Loren (Melanie) Sackett, Andrew (Rachel) Sackett, Joseph (Jamie) Sackett, Nathan (Samantha) Sackett, and daughter Camilla (Jared) England, six grandchildren and many nieces and nephews, his sisters, Diane (Ted) Stephens, Evelyn Neece, and Bonnie Abraham.

The viewing and funeral will be held at the Latter-day Saint Chapel located at 13381 South Pioneer Street (6000 West) on Monday November 21, 2022 from 6:00 to 8:00PM and Tuesday from 9:30 to 10:45AM, with funeral

services to follow at 11:00AM.

For those unable to attend, services will be streamed via Zoom. Please click on the "Watch Services" link above. A free Zoom account is required to view.