

Stephen Farrell Terry

June 29, 1945 ~ December 1, 2024

Stephen Farrell Terry, a beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle, brother, son, and friend passed away peacefully on December 1, 2024, after a valiant fight from years of health challenges.

A standout athlete, Steve played football on scholarship for the University of Utah, a source of pride throughout his life. He married Sharon Frame in 1961 (divorced). In 1973, he married Barbara Ann Elkins, spending over 51 years together.

With a strong work ethic, his successful career started in retail, ultimately leading him to retiring as a respected regional manager with Goodyear Tire.

Steve always made everyone feel special. We all looked forward to our personalized birthday voicemails. His rich, beautiful voice was a gift and celebration of God's love. His true passion lay in the simple joys of life— singing, fishing, camping under the stars, and especially perfecting his golf game!

Steve loved fiercely and saw the best in everyone. His trademark phrase, "Guess what? …I love you," wasn't just words, but a reflection of his big-hearted nature. He was patient, kind, and had an infectious sense of humor.

He is survived by his devoted wife Barbara, children Shayne (Shelby), Stacey (Steve), and Courtney (Matt), along with 17 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his siblings Robert (Julie), David, Debra (Ron), Royal (Angie), Brian (Alana), sister-in-law Kathy, and many nieces and nephews that all adored him.

Steve now joins his parents, brother Richard, and beloved son Troy in a joyous heavenly reunion, with his faithful dog Georgie Girl by his side.

We can almost hear his melodious voice singing “here’s to love and laughter, yours for ever after, may there always be happiness in your heart”. We love you Steve. May we all celebrate his legacy by loving others unconditionally and finding joy in life's simple moments.

A viewing will be held on Tuesday, December 10, from 9:30-10:30 AM at Larkin Sunset Gardens, 1950 E Dimple Dell Road, Sandy, UT. The funeral will take place at 11:00 AM at the same location with interment to follow. The service will be livestreamed via Zoom and can be accessed by clicking the "Watch Services" button above.