

Steven Ralph Kimball

March 3, 1947 ~ November 12, 2022

Steven Ralph Kimball, age 75, returned to his heavenly home on November 12, 2022 in South Jordan, Utah, after a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer, surrounded by his loving wife and children. He was born on March 3, 1947 in Salt Lake City, Utah to Ralph and Marie Kimball. He had an adventurous childhood, playing in the trees and streams of the Milcreek area with his brother Randy and neighborhood friends. His summers were spent at the family cabin in Lamb's Canyon, a place of solace and peace that he cherished throughout his life.

His love and appreciation for music began at an early age. Throughout his school years, he was involved in many productions, vocal groups and bands, which led to a lifelong love of music and performing. Later in life, he reunited with high school friends and formed a band called Reunion 65. He loved performing classic rock and roll. Some of our fondest memories are of him singing and playing his guitar and keyboard. It was a warm and loving soundtrack that filled our home and family gatherings.

Steve attended Granite High School, where he met his sweetheart and eternal companion, Margot Goeller. They graduated from high school in 1965 and were married in 1969 in the Salt Lake Temple. They were blessed with 6 children. Steve was a graduate of the University of Utah. He spent much of his professional career working for the O.C. Tanner Company where he made many close friends and was well respected and loved by all.

Steve was a man of God who tirelessly went about doing good. Upon graduating from high school, he served a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in the South German Mission. He developed a deep love for the German people and culture. Later in life he, with his sweetheart, returned to Germany and served as senior missionaries in the Frankfurt Germany Temple. As a devoted disciple of Christ, he spent his life in the service of others with many church callings and responsibilities. He touched the lives of countless individuals through his Christlike love and example.

Of all the titles he earned in life, the titles of Husband, Dad and Grandpa were his favorite. He prioritized his relationship with God and his Savior Jesus Christ, his sweetheart and his family above all else and each member of his family enjoyed a unique and special relationship with him. Our faith reassures us that this separation is temporary. He will be deeply missed and greatly loved until we meet again.

Steve is preceded in death by his son Scott, parents Ralph and Marie Kimball and sister Karen (Larry) Bradford.

He is survived by his wife Margot; and five children, Tiffany (Dave) Halls, Andrew (Marie), Phillip (Rachael), David (Katie), Lisa (Ben) Grimm; 18 grandchildren; and brother Randy (Becky); along with a large extended family.

A viewing will be held Friday, November 18 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Larkin Sunset Gardens (1950 East 10600 South, Sandy, UT). Funeral Services will be held Saturday, November 19 at 11:00 a.m. with a viewing prior from 9:30-10:45 a.m. at the Alta View Stake Center

(1850 East 8600 South, Sandy, UT). Interment to follow the services at Larkin Sunset Gardens Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Huntsman Cancer Institute.

For those unable to attend the service in person, the previously held funeral services may be watched by clicking the "Watch Services" link above.