



Dennis Karl Cloward

July 31, 1947 - October 3, 2018

Dennis Karl Cloward, 71, passed away October 3, 2018 peacefully in his home surrounded by family. He was born July 31, 1947 in Mt. Pleasant, UT to Marlin and Mary Cloward.

Dennis looked fondly on his memories of childhood being raised in a small town. He spoke of how he appreciated the slow pace and freedoms in peace Mt. Pleasant offered him as a child. He was sports oriented and took a particular interest in basketball. He excelled in this sport as a high school All-State player at North San Pete and was awarded a basketball scholarship to Snow College. He went on to graduate from the University of Utah with a Bachelor's degree in Psychology. Dennis worked for the airlines for many years and had a strong passion for travel. Dennis not only enjoyed travel by plane, but also by automobile in classic cars, motorhomes, and particularly motorcycles. Dennis was an entrepreneur and owned many businesses ranging from his first as a child selling night-crawlers, to a jazz club as a young man, and then his final success and passion of renting ski accommodations. Dennis had a strong love of nature and especially enjoyed riding his motorcycle in the mountains stating he felt it was "God's church". Dennis survived by his incredible wife Anna; loving daughter Natalie (Ryan Nelson); beautiful granddaughters Sheali and Brienna; and wonderful siblings Dan (Carolyn), Mike (Fern), and Suzanne (John Hansen). Dennis preceded in death by his faithful parents, loyal sister Rosemary, and remarkable son Jeffery.

Per Dennis's request, there will not be a funeral service. The family is asking in lieu of flowers that donations be made in his name to the "You Are Not Forgotten Toy Run". This is a motorcycle charity run hosted by the UMF motorcycle group that raises proceeds to purchase toys for Primary Children's Hospital. Donations can be made by contacting Granite Credit Union via phone 801-288-3000, or in person at a Granite Credit Union branch (granite.org).

Dennis was a man of honesty, integrity, wisdom, generosity and love. He was a bright light in this world that will be greatly missed by many. We thank him for the cherished memories, experiences and laughs we were able to share with him. Rest in peace and breathe easy, we love you Dennis.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dennis Karl Cloward*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *Jason & Stephnie Gyllenskog lit a candle in memory of Dennis Karl Cloward*



Jason & Stephnie Gyllenskog - October 10, 2018 at 07:59 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Kathy Rigby Hafen - October 10, 2018 at 03:34 PM

MJ

“ I'm sorry to hear of Dennis passing. I am the son of an old friend from Mt Pleasant. Ronald E. Jackson. Marcus is my name, my father Ronald passes back in 1986 when i was 15 years old. If it wasn't for Dennis accepting my phone call to visit with him. I don't think I would have know what type of man my father was before Vietnam. Dennis had save a bunch of memories from North San Pete high and Snow collage. From the days of high school and after. Stories that one would only hear from his father, but yet Dennis knew what i was searching for. Thank you Dennis for all the stories I will never forget, your acceptance and friendship. Thanks
Marcus E. Jackson

Marcus Jackson - October 09, 2018 at 02:02 PM

DM

“ I meet Dennis in the fall of 1965. We shared an apartment at Snow College. Dennis had gone there to play basketball and I had come down from West High in Salt Lake to play football. We became good friends instantly. We would go up to Mt. Pleasant and play one on one basketball at his old high school. Needless to say he won every game. We would also go to the Tyrone bar to shoot pool. I think that is the right name. I went to his games and we hung out a lot together. I lost track of Dennis when I transferred to the "U". Here is a wild story. I live on the Avenues now and I often jog in the City Cemetery. I was there last Saturday and just stopped my run when all of a sudden all these memories of my times with Dennis came rushing back. It was a great experience. Then on Sunday morning I was checking the Obituaries to see if I was there and I saw Dennis' obituary. Is that weird?? I think that Dennis was telling me goodbye. I extend my condolences to Dennis family. Knowing Dennis he will be sorely missed. - Dave Mason

Dave Mason - October 08, 2018 at 08:23 PM

RB

“ Dennis is a friend from the 60's and 70's when we were first out on our own. We went through the ups and downs of those years both personally and in relationship to those turbulent times. He always had a hilarious take on the situations we found ourselves in and to what was happening around us. Although I haven't seen Dennis in several years we maintained a continuing relationship via email. Sorry to see you go Dennis but the memories will always be there.

Ray Balka

Ray Balka - October 08, 2018 at 01:30 PM

AH

“ Dennis has been a long time friend and I am sad to hear of his death. Down through the years we had good times together. I remember his cabin and we along with other friends enjoyed having a few coors together.

Art Hansen

Art Hansen - October 07, 2018 at 02:39 PM

RD

“ I stayed in touch with Dennis on Facebook and I'm going to miss his wit and wisdom. He was very intellectual and highly educated on the issues of our day. He had a passion for politics, old cars, small business and our beautiful outdoors. He will be missed by me and countless others. My sincere condolences to the family. Richard A. Draper

Richard A. Draper - October 07, 2018 at 12:43 PM

RH

“ I went to school with Dennis. We later connected on facebook. I knew he had some health issues and am sorry to hear of his passing. He always had a funny outlook and I will miss his postings. It's hard to think it's getting that time in our life when our friends are leaving us! My condolences to the family. Rita Ramey Hendrickson

Rita Hendrickson - October 07, 2018 at 11:49 AM

GE

“ Ginny Eggen lit a candle in memory of Dennis Karl Cloward



Ginny Eggen - October 06, 2018 at 04:45 PM

SU

“ Suzanne lit a candle in memory of Dennis Karl Cloward



Suzanne - October 06, 2018 at 03:05 PM

JH

“ Sad to hear of Dennis' passing. Always a gentleman and overall great guy. I enjoyed working at Western with him. Prayers and thoughts for his family and friends at this difficult time. Jim Herbers

Jim Herbers - October 06, 2018 at 12:21 PM

LO

“ *Lori lit a candle in memory of Dennis Karl Cloward*



Lori - October 06, 2018 at 11:48 AM

MA

“ *Maureen lit a candle in memory of Dennis Karl Cloward*



Maureen - October 06, 2018 at 09:18 AM

ME

“ *Merrilee lit a candle in memory of Dennis Karl Cloward*



Merrilee - October 06, 2018 at 07:55 AM