



Richard (Dick) Melvin Washburn

November 14, 1932 - May 23, 2018

Richard (Dick) Melvin Washburn 85, beloved family member, and friend to all, passed away peacefully in his sleep, May 23rd 2018, in Midvale Utah, due to conditions of age. Born November 14, 1932 to Parley (Dick) Alvin Washburn and Lottie Powell Washburn in Richfield Utah. Richard and his twin Robert were born prematurely, surviving due to the wonderful care given by their mother and grandmother.

As a veteran of the Korean War, he enjoyed the unique opportunity of serving alongside his twin brother in France, in the Army Signal Corps.

Richard and Dona Marie Lund were sealed in the Los Angeles Temple September 9, 1960, raising their family in Southern California, and Sandy Utah.

A stalwart member of the LDS Church, Richard served in many bishoprics, Scout Master and as a temple worker for many years.

Richard had a particular love of Central Utah and Idaho. He had a love of the outdoors and for gardening.

Richard graduated from BYU with a degree in Industrial Engineering. He worked for a myriad of companies over the years until his retirement at 78 years of age.

He is survived by his wife Dona, Michael P. Washburn (son), Christina M. Hill (daughter), siblings Robert and Gary Washburn, and Jean Hennis, and by many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Preceded in death by David L. Washburn (son), and his parents.

As the patriarch of our family, and foundation of our love & faith, he will be missed.

There will be a viewing Wednesday May 30, 2018 6:30 - 8:00pm

Union 6th Ward

1433 East Old Mission Road Sandy, UT 84093

Funeral Services will be held Thursday May 31, 2018

Sandy Cottonwood Creek Stake

1535 East Creek Road, Sandy, UT 84093

Viewing 10-10:45am

Family Prayer 10:45am

Services 11:00am - 12:00pm

Graveside Service 12:30 - 1:00pm

Memorial Mountain View Cemetery

3115 East 7800 South

Cottonwood Heights, UT 84121

Cemetery Details

Memorial Estates Mountain View

3115 East 7800 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Salt Lake City, UT

Previous Events

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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard (Dick) Melvin Washburn*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM

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“ *Tammy Maxwell lit a candle in memory of Richard (Dick) Melvin Washburn*



Tammy Maxwell - April 20, 2020 at 09:24 PM

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Stephen Washburn - May 29, 2018 at 02:18 PM

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“ *Uncle Richard, you'll be missed! It is a blessing in my life to have known you and to have learned from your example of kindness and hard work. I will always treasure the many trips we had to Sevier valley and the surrounding foothills and mountains. You and Aunt Dona are always so kind when we would come visit at your home. Rick and Ryan always talk about the great road trip they had with you and my dad up to Alaska.. I still that is really neat, two sets of identical twins traveling together. Thanks for all the great memories!!!*



Stephen Washburn - May 29, 2018 at 01:52 PM

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Stephen Washburn - May 29, 2018 at 01:12 PM