



# Leslie Julius Reiger

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## **Leslie Julius Reiger**

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**L**eslie Reiger, age 61, passed away August 23, 2014, after a courageous battle with Plasma Cell Leukemia. Les was born in Rugby, North Dakota on January 9, 1953, the son of Frank (d) and Magdalene Reiger. He was raised with four siblings: big brother Gerald, and little sisters Liliann (d), MaryAnn and Diann. He married Theresa Lawrence, June 14, 1975, in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Casper, WY. He moved to Utah in 1974. In 1976 he began working at Chromalox and retired in 2011 after 35 years of service. Les and Theresa have two children and one grandchild: their daughter, Courtney (Bryan) DeMond and their daughter Brynlie; and their son, Justin Reiger, all of Salt Lake City. The family wishes to express their love and appreciation to all who supported them during the past twenty-three months. Special thanks to the Huntsman Cancer Institute, especially the BMT Unit, and thanks to Hearts for Health/Hospice. Les was known for his kindness, willingness to help, and his wonderful sense of humor. He was absolutely dedicated to his wife, marriage and family. His was not a long life but was a life filled with love. He will be greatly missed. Les requested that there be no services. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations in his name to Huntsman Cancer Institute or to your favorite charity.



## Tribute Wall

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**Rick Rohler** posted:

Theresa, Courtney, and Justin, I am so sorry to hear about Les. I worked with him at Chromalox. I met Les in 1984 when I transferred to Chromalox from a Dayton Ohio plant. I was assigned to his cubicle so he could teach me how their system works. We were friends instantly. He was so patient and thorough and so much fun to be with. We would tell each other stories and make plans for things to do together after we retired. All those years of sitting next to each other, working together, made our jobs a lot more fun and enjoyable. We did get to fly together in my airplane in 2010 one time and he had a really good time. One of the places we flew over was the test site where they fired the rocket motors. We used to sit at our desk and feel the building shake when they did that. One time Les rigged up a ruler with a weight on it to see if it would vibrate with the sounds from the rockets. He called it his Reiger scale. I sure miss the good times we had together and I think of you guys often.

July 5 at 10:19 AM

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September 2 at 11:51 AM

KS

**Kim Saylor** posted:

A few "good" men and indeed Les one of the them. We will forever fondly remember your sense of humor, generosity and supportive love. xoxo

October 12 at 10:06 AM



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**Pat & Tim Paul** posted:

Magdalen & Family, We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Leslie and we share in your loss. Our prayers are with you and your family and may the Lord carry you through this difficult time. Love, Pat & Tim Paul (and family)

September 3 at 4:57 AM



**Steve Waddoups** posted:

Thereas, I am so sorry to hear about Les. I worked with him at Chromalox from the beginning. I considered him a good freind. We shared the love for old fast Chevys as well as Chromalox. He wil be deeply missed. God bless you and your family. Steve W

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## Media

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