



John V Farren

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John Vern Farren passed away peacefully after a battle with renal failure. John was born on July 26, 1955 to John Farren and Carolyn Burraston Farren in Nephi, Utah. John moved with his family to Honolulu, Hawaii at the age of 5 where he was raised. As a child John loved to play baseball, catcher and short stop were his favorite positions. As a teenager, John became an avid surfer, spending almost every morning at the beach. John attended the University of Hawaii and later graduated from the University of Utah with a degree in Marketing. John loved to watch sports on TV and to play golf. In 1980 John married Jody Lemke, they later divorced. Together they had three sons who he loved and adored. In 2008 John married the love of his life, Danise Crosby Johnson, they had 8 wonderful years together.

John is survived by his wife Danise, sons, Jeremy (Asha) Farren, Justin (Lana) Farren, Joel (Alexandra) Farren, mother Carolyn Farren, sisters Jana (Brad) Johnson, Maryann (Bruce) White, father John (Michelle) Farren, step-daughter Jenny (Eric) Saunders, step-son Jared (Rachel) Johnson. Between he and Danise they have 6 grandchildren, Davis, Lily, Tuck, Asher, Owen and Hudson.

The family would like to thank all the doctors, nurses and aids who have helped John these past couple of years with all of his health issues.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday the 22nd of April, 2017 at the American Fork 38th Ward building 2433 W 450 S, Pleasant Grove, UT 84062 at 11:00 am, there will be a viewing prior to the services beginning at 9:00 am. Interment will be at the Goshen, Utah cemetery.



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DB

Don And Connie Bond posted:

Our hearts were saddened today when we heard of John's passing. We remember him fondly as our wonderful Sunday School President in the North Salt Lake Orchard Tenth Ward. He magnified his calling - from setting up the chairs in the classroom to making sure all the teachers were there to teach their classes. John was a kind and easy-going person with only a kind word to say to and for everyone. Our love and sympathy goes to his wife Dannie - also a great woman who supported John in his church callings and during his failing health. Don and Connie Bond

April 23 at 6:32 PM

DE

Debi posted:

Carolyn, Jana and Mary Ann, I want you to know you have been in my thoughts at this difficult time the last few days. I hope the best for you as you remember John and grieve his loss in this life. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Debi

April 21 at 2:18 PM

GG

Gary Gourley April 27 at 8:02 PM

I can't believe Jack is gone. We were best buds when we were kids in Eureka. We golfed and went to Utah / BYU games in our early twenties. My heartfelt condolences to his wife, his brothers and sisters and his parents. Rest in peace my friend. Gary Gourley

DK

Dana Kelvington posted:

An endearing memory I have of John was in his last days before passing. In visiting John, Danise quietly reached out to wake him in letting him know he had a guest. In doing so, she affectionately whispered in his ear and as he woke he warmly said with a sweet smile on his face, "I love you." They gently embraced for what seemed like minutes and then he gave her a tender kiss. Tears were streaming down my face as I witnessed an act of love beyond what I can only imagine at this moment they shared together.

April 21 at 4:30 AM

TZ

Taylor Z posted:

I remember when I was pretty young I was over hanging out with Joel and then John got home from work and asked me what I want to eat for dinner and he recommended McDonalds! Now that might seem minute to others but growing up I rarely got fast food so to me that was a big deal and John was the man haha! Love the Farren family

April 21 at 2:37 AM



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D'nell posted:

Dani and family, my thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Lots of love, D'Nell Gillespie

April 20 at 11:36 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring John by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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