



Lynn Lees Arrington

October 14, 1958 - July 2, 2016

LYNN LEES ARRINGTON

Our brave brother, uncle, cousin and friend "Gus" soldiered through as much of this life as he could then left July 2nd, 2016, now free from pain. He will be missed so much.

Lynn was born in Provo on October 14th, 1958 to Melvin and Norma Rae Arrington. He was an inquisitive child and rarely came home from an outdoor adventure with dry clothes. He loved to fish and was the caretaker of a variety of uncommon pets. He loved gardening, and he loved tools and tinkering in his shop. Gus was trained as an EMT; he drove an ambulance and helped many people in their hour of need. He lived for the fall hunting season when he could walk the fields with his beloved dog Tex along to scare up pheasants. He had an unforgettable laugh. Back injuries and multiple surgeries made work difficult, but he never stopped helping anyone down on their luck. He always tried to be a good neighbor and was deeply loyal to the wonderful people he grew up around. He had a heart of gold and an abiding faith in the healing power and love of God.

Gus leaves behind a beautiful German shorthaired pointer hunting dog, Tex, whom he loved more than life, brother David (Gigi), nephew Connor (Reshma), nieces Elyse Hiti (David), Hannah Olague (Irving) and Gwynne, and a life-long friend, Becky Brian. Gus loved his Twin Falls aunts, uncles and cousins as well as his Lees family. When we see a handle bar mustache, a bolo tie or hear a slightly off-color joke, we will smile and think of you, Gus.

Services will be held Saturday, July 9th at noon with family visitation at 11am in the Relief Society room (west end) of the Salt Lake Big Cottonwood Stake Center, 1750 Spring Lane, Holladay, Utah. He will be buried near his parents at Wasatch Lawn, Salt Lake City.

Comments



“ Gus (and Tex) made friends all around the block as he took Tex for walks. Gus would say it was probably the other way around, that Tex walked/pulled him around the block!

We are sorry he was hurting so much but are glad he is free of the pain and reunited with your wonderful parents. May you receive comfort and insight in the days ahead.

Judy Garvin

Judy Garvin - July 08, 2016 at 11:49 AM



“ Very sorry to hear of Guy's passing.
Living a few doors away in Provo we learned to love Gus and his jokes & stories.
Loved his yard and dogs through out the years
May God bless hid family
Until we meet again Neighbor
The Devenish's

Cathy Devenish - July 08, 2016 at 06:14 AM



“ I met Gus at a time in my life when I wanted someone to like me and accept me. I wanted this so much I did a lot of things to gain acceptance.

Gus had told me one time I worry too much what others think of me and I need to accept myself and not worry about what anyone thinks about me.

I have not seen Gus in 30 years, but I have always remembered the advice he gave me.

I have thought about his words many times since then. Over the weekend I was talking to my granddaughter about these word and told her that a very special person had told me this.

Please know that Gus was a very special person who helped others in many ways. He will live on though his advice.

I had not had many friends in my life and I am sure Gus would not consider me a friend. But I had to let his family know that he was an inspiration to me and helped me to learn to accept myself and change my life style.

RIP GUS

Vickie Olsen - July 07, 2016 at 12:09 PM