



Ray Newell Thompson

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Ray Newell Thompson, age 84, passed away peacefully at his home in Magna, Utah on April 24th, 2017 of natural causes. Ray was born in Salt Lake City on September 8th, 1932, son of Almer Thompson and Marvilla Potter. After an adventurous childhood he married Jean Lee Nelson on May 28th, 1952 in the Salt Lake Temple. Ray then served in the US military during the Korean War. Ray was a gifted handyman and carpenter. He could fix just about anything and used his talents to bless family, friends, neighbors and church members. He worked well into his eighties installing roofs, fixing cars and remodeling apartments. He was a remarkable man who was active in the LDS church and always possessed great faith.

Ray is survived by his wife, Jean, and 3 children Rinn (Josiane) Thompson, Tawn (Stephen) Swan, and Angie (Larry) Hatch; 16 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Ray is also survived by siblings Vaida Mabus, Larry Thompson and Sharon Jensen. He was preceded in death by his parents, and siblings LaMar Thompson and Venice Thompson.

Ray will be buried at the Pleasant Green Cemetery on Thursday, April 27th. Friends and family are invited to a memorial service in his honor on April 29th at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Magna East Stake Center, located at 2875 S 8000 W, Magna, UT at 12:00 PM.




Events

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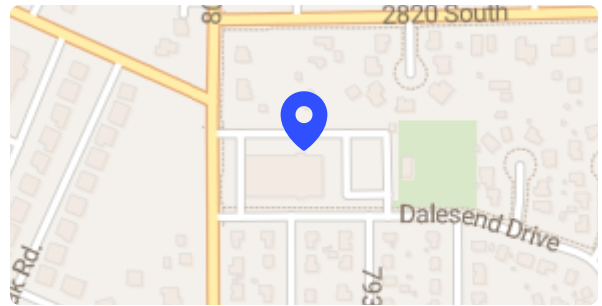
Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, April 29, 2017

 12:00 PM MT

 **The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Magna East Stake Center**

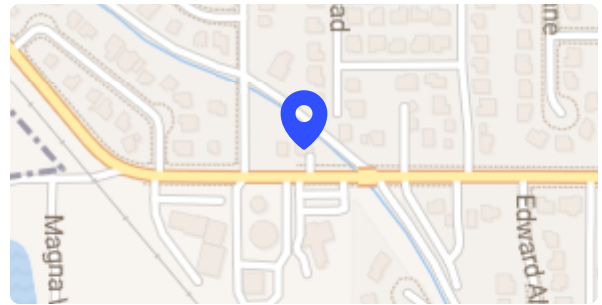
2875 South 8000 W, Magna UT 84044



Cemetery Details

 **Pleasant Green Cemetery**

9900 W 3500 S, Magna UT 84044





Tribute Wall

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SL

Sherry Belliston Larson posted:

What a great picture of Ray! Ray and Jean were great neighbors who had kind hearts. They were loving and happy. I was always so impressed by the love they showed for their family and others. He had a kind heart and welcomed all. I remember riding bikes around the house on that never ending sidewalk. Down the big hill and up the little hill. We lived on such a wonderful street surrounded by neighbors like the Thompsons. I still cherish the memories, people, and friendships of White's Way. Ray was part of that family we had.

April 27 at 4:50 PM

AM

Anna Beth & Lamar Mecham posted:

There will always be a soft spot in our hearts for dear Ray. He truly was a remarkable man, and served his Lord faithfully. We feel so very blessed to have known and loved him. Our love and sympathy to his wonderful family. LaMar and Anna Beth Mecham

April 27 at 4:49 PM

FG

From The Lakerdige 1st Ward High Priest Group sent a Basket of Memories to the Thompson family.



April 27 at 5:52 AM

TS

The Stewart's sent a California Healthy to the Thompson family.



April 27 at 5:51 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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