



# Lester Earl Titus

JUN 7, 1950 - OCT 7, 2019



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**L**ester Earl Titus, age 69, passed away on 10/07/2019 in Salt Lake City, Utah. He was born on 06/07/1950 in Oakland, California to Emily Titus (Watson) and Aaron Titus.

Lester was the youngest of three brothers and has one younger sister. He was the first graduating class from Mission San Jose High School in 1968 in Fremont, California. He then went on to Southern Oregon College in Ashland, Oregon. He joined the Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter-day Saints. He went on a mission for the Church to Columbia for two years and came back speaking Spanish fluently. He then moved to Utah and graduated from Brigham Young University. He fell in love with the beauty of Utah and made many lifelong friends. He decided to make that his home where he has lived for the last 47 years. He has always been very good about coming back to California to visit friends and family, and keeping in touch. Lester and I (Katherine, his sister) have been in close contact while we work on our family tree. He leaves behind friends and family in California, Utah and Colombia. He had many interests from surfing, snow skiing, hiking, dancing and politics. He was loved by many and will be missed.

He is survived by his sister Katherine Bennett, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father Aaron R Titus, mother Emily G Titus, brothers Kenneth W Titus, Edward R Titus.

Friends in Utah are planning A Celebration of Life on October 26, 2019 at 10 am at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints located at 1361 East 4000 South, Salt Lake City.

No information on service in California at this time.

Arrangements are under the direction of Wiscombe Memorial.




## Events

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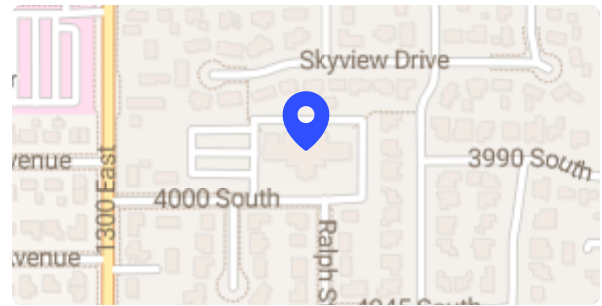
### Celebration of Life

 **Saturday**, October 26, 2019

 10:00 AM MT

 **Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints -salt lake**

1361 E. 4000 S. , Salt Lake City UT 84124





## Tribute Wall

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GW

**Geoff Williams** posted:

I had thought about Les over the years after last seeing him about thirty years ago when I moved from Utah to Texas. I have very fond memories of him. He seemed to be unflappable, always in a good mood and impeccably dressed. One thing that stood out is that he never said a bad word about anyone. He was a true example of a follower of Christ in my opinion. I just now googled him hoping to get back in touch when I saw his obituary from three years ago..... Geoff Williams

October 18 at 7:56 PM

SN

**Scott Nielsen** posted:

I lived with Les Titus in the Polo Club Condos in Millcreek, Utah and the man that was very old that lived with Les and I and passed away before Les Titus did. I forgot his name. We went to Single Adult Dances together. Les always had a caring heart and often helped me when I didn't have the rent money to pay him at times. He was fun to talk to about Politics, Sports, and Church. We helped each other often. I'll miss you Les Titus. Hope to see you in the other side with our Heavenly Father. Les was a true Utah Jazz fan and BYU Football and Basketball fan. You couldn't find a more loving and caring man then Les Titus.

January 29 at 1:06 PM

DC

**Dr. Stephen Carter** shared an album called **Memories Album**.



January 24 at 3:11 AM

DC

**Dr. Stephen Carter** posted:

Les & I served together as young missionaries in Bucaramanga, Colombia. He was a dedicated and hard working missionary who had an excellent command of the Spanish language. He enjoyed playing basketball with the local members and radiated a love for the humble people of Colombia. I was excited to renew our acquaintance after our missions, when Les became my dental patient. We also worked out regularly at the Sports Mall in Murray, Utah. He was always positive, though he had many health challenges. I was sad to recently become aware of his passing and sincerely regret that I was out of the country when his death and subsequent celebration occurred. I will deeply miss his enthusiastic smile and genuine concern for me. Sincerely, Dr. Stephen W. Carter

January 24 at 3:09 AM



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TN

**Terry Nielson** posted:

Les and I were roommates for a few months at Rivera apartments in Provo, Utah. Such a fun friend and fun to reconnect with during those later years.

November 3 at 9:31 AM

MI

**Mark Infanger** posted:

Les Served in Colombia as a missionary when I was just a boy. He remained a friend for the rest of his life. I will miss him a great deal.

October 27 at 4:04 PM

TW

**Ted Weckel** posted:

Les was a member of my singles ward in Salt Lake, and I knew Les as a friend over the years. Les was a stalwart member of the church and very active with the singles program in Salt Lake. Les had a strong testimony of the Savior, and I was involved with him in helping our mutual friend, Janeth Cepeda, obtain citizenship in the US. I served as Janeth's attorney. I was saddened by Les's death. I give my condolences to Les's family.

October 27 at 3:38 AM



## Media

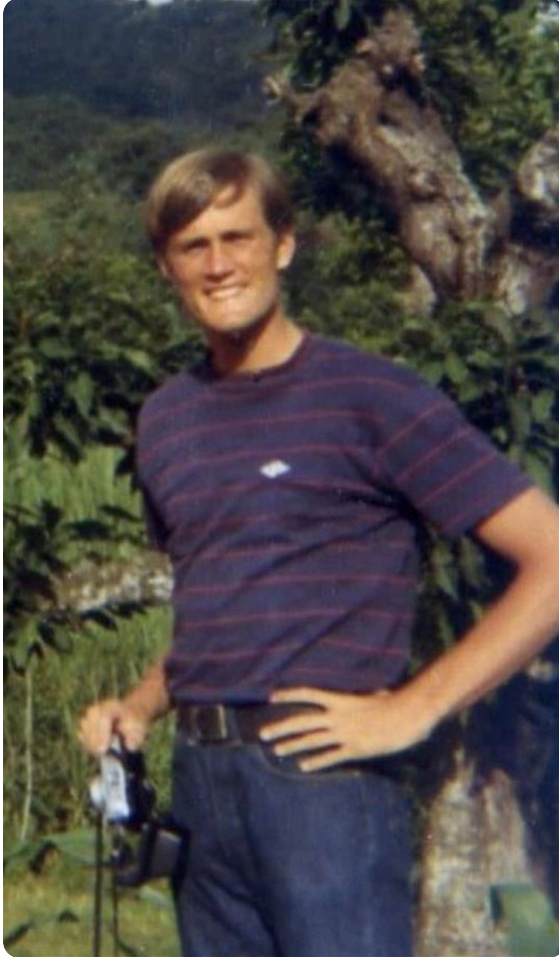
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Dr. Stephen Carter shared a photo to the **Memories Album** album.

January 24 at 3:11 AM



Elder Les Titus June 1972 Bucaramanga, Colombia



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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