



Dr. Stephen Mac Cameron, DDS

April 18, 1941 - August 3, 2022

Dr. Stephen Mac Cameron, DDS passed away peacefully and steadfast in his faith on August 3, 2022 after a brief illness. Steve was born in Frederick, Oklahoma on April 18, 1941 to Floyd E. Cameron and Juanita Louise (McKinnell) Cameron. Growing up in Frederick, Steve was very close to his beloved maternal grandfather, Addison McKinnell, whom he lovingly referred to as “Tata.” The relationship between Addison and his grandson is where Steve developed his lifelong love for the outdoors; their bond was very special.

One of the highlights of Steve’s youth was taking part in an Oklahoma State Championship with the Frederick Bombers football team. In 2007, Steve and the 1956 team were inducted into the Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame as the first integrated high school football team to win a state title – an accomplishment of which he was very proud.

While attending Phillips University in Enid, Oklahoma, Steve met and later married Susie Lamerton. From this union, two children were born. Steve subsequently received his DDS degree from Baylor University College of Dentistry and then began his dental practice in the US Air Force with the rank of captain. After leaving the Air Force, Steve and Susie divorced, and he relocated to Fort Collins where he practiced dentistry for nearly 50 years.

Steve was preceded in death by his parents and by his loving wife of 40 years, Donis Marie Cameron. Steve and Doni both loved the outdoors, and Steve taught Doni how to hunt and fish. They shared many wonderful friendships and spent much of their time together hunting and fishing in the wilderness of Colorado, Wyoming and Montana. Together they also enjoyed travel and visited many places, including France, Italy, New Zealand, Hawaii, and Israel. Later, when Doni suffered serious health issues, Steve remained her loving and constant companion. With his strength, he carried her through many challenging years.

Steve is survived by his children: son Stephen P. Cameron of Enid, Oklahoma, and daughter Julia M. Weingardt of Loveland; stepchildren Cathy Cole of Fort Collins, James

Cole (Sandy) of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Thomas Cole of Chicago, Illinois; grandchildren Park and Coulter Cameron, Natalie Weingardt (Adam), Jamie Brunner (Scott), Chris Chalstrom, Kevin, Madeline, and Hunter Cole; sister Debbie Cameron and her daughters Nicole (Travis) and Brittany; and a host of extended family and friends.

In his last four years, Steve enjoyed a new zest and fulfillment in life after meeting and falling in love with Lydia Dody. Steve enjoyed traveling throughout the U.S. and to Mexico and especially sharing family holiday celebrations with Lydia and her family: daughters Meredith Rawa (Josh), and Alexandria Gilinger (Scott); grandson Logan; and sister Ina Szvec. He also enjoyed many fun walks with his beloved dog, Skeet.

Steve's life was richly blessed with joy, happiness, and enduring faith. He will be deeply missed by all of us.

Services will be held Wednesday, August 17, at 1:00 pm at Timberline Church, 2908 Timberline Rd, Fort Collins. Celebration of Life Reception to follow at the Fort Collins Country Club.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hope Lives! at <https://www.hopelives.org/support-us>.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Timberline Church
2908 Timberline Rd.
Fort Collins, CO 80526

Reception

AUG 17. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (MT)

Fort Collins Country Club
1920 Country Club Rd.
Fort Collins, CO 80524

Tribute Wall

KG

“ Prayers to friends & family to Steves family from Manhattan Ks. You are all in our prayers and thoughts at this very sad time. My dads wife Sheila and I were planning a trip to see Steve this month and were so saddened to hear of Steves passing. My dad is Neil, Donis's younget brother. GOD bless you all❤️

Kimberly Springer Gilbert - August 24 at 01:58 PM

GG

“ Steve was my hunting and fishing pal for the past 32 years. We traveled around New Mexico, Colorado, Montana and Canada in pursuit of some fish or game animal. He was like a brother to me and I will miss him dearly. Steve had a strong Faith and I know that he rests in peace in the Kingdom of our Lord.

Gene Griffith - August 20 at 06:43 PM

FO

“ First Christian Church Frederick Okla. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dr. Stephen Mac Cameron, DDS.



First Christian Church Frederick Okla. - August 07 at 12:37 AM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Dr. Stephen Mac Cameron, DDS.



August 06 at 04:32 PM



“ We are saddened by Steve's passing. He so loved the outdoors and especially the adventures associated with fly fishing, hunting, and competition shotgun shooting. Steve loved to travel and explore the many wonders of the world. He was a good man and friend of many. He was our friend and will be dearly missed. He laughed often and loved fully. May God Bless!
Tony & Janet Seahorn

Tony Seahorn - August 05 at 09:01 PM

JS

Steve lived out the passions of his life: family, dogs, outdoors, hunting. He was a wonderful neighbor. It was great seeing him each day walking his dog on the street. He was beloved by our family because he watched over an icon of our family, Harriet Marshall. Yes, may God bless you. Jim and Sonya Sprout

Jim Sprout - August 06 at 02:38 PM

MB

He was my dentist for 30 years - and a truly great one. When sitting in the chair, I always enjoyed his wonderful stories of the outdoors, and his remarkably positive attitude about life, and everything else. So glad I had a chance to know him.

Michael Bishop - August 08 at 09:14 PM

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As a dental colleague of Steve's for over thirty years, I was truly shocked and saddened by his death. He was the consummate family dentist. He was very skilled, very down to earth and always thinking of what was best for his patients. I was privileged to treat many of his referral patients and they were always so loyal and proud of him and his care. He was a very honest man. He spoke his mind and would let you know how he felt about life, family and dentistry. I sorely missed our discussions and interactions after he retired. I, like many of his patients, associates and, of course, his family will certainly miss him.

Lloyd Thomas ,DDS - August 12 at 10:04 PM