

George M. Allen

May 1, 1943 - February 24, 2019

George Marvin Gale Allen of Hill City, South Dakota, entered into Heaven on February 24th, 2019 at his home in Fort Collins, Colorado, after a brief and hard fought battle with cancer. He was 75 years of age.

He was born, May 1st, 1943 in Denver, CO to Glenn and Freda Allen.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Glenn and Freda Allen; sister Doris Ball; brother, Jim Allen; brothers in law (Curtis) Ball, (Mack) McClain, (Paul) Miller, (Mark) Gordon; sister in law (Kathy) Gordon; nephews (Drew) Gordon, (Mathew) Allen; and an infant brother and sister.

He is survived by his wife Nancy Allen; their children Brett (Mykel) Allen of Fort Collins, CO; Beth (Kyle) Fritzier of Fort Collins, CO; granddaughters Maya and Taylor Fritzier of Fort Collins, CO; step-granddaughter Alex Flory of Denver, CO; siblings Joy McClain of Fowler, CO, Peggy Miller of Longmont, CO, Margo (Larry) Allen of Longmont, CO, Glenn (Beth) Allen, of Colorado Springs, CO, Dan (Elise) of Richmond, VA, and Patrick (Susan) Allen of Centennial, CO; sister-in-law Patty (Dave) Fortmeier of Sierra Madre, CA, Judy (Jim) Bexfield of Albuquerque, NM, Peggy (John) Wright of Akron, CO, and Dotty (Jay) Oxley of Craig, CO and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

George grew up in many places including, California, Kansas, Utah and Colorado until the family settled in Fowler, CO in 1954. He graduated from Fowler High School in 1961 and went to college at the University of Northern Colorado on a football scholarship; this is where he met his future wife Nancy. They were married in 1965, shortly after his graduation from UNC, where George received his degree in Biology and Coaching. George was a member of the Air Force reserves from 1967 until he was honorably discharged in 1973. George and Nancy moved around Colorado until they settled in Salt Lake City, UT in 1973 and raised their two young children. In 1985 they moved to Fort Collins, CO and lived there until George retired from 45 years of catastrophe adjusting. Nancy joined him on the road the last 22 years, traveling from one disaster to another, helping out in times of crisis.

After his “retirement” George started farming up at the family Ranch in Draper, South Dakota which was homesteaded by Nancy’s grandfather in 1904. He had always helped his father in law with farming and harvest time throughout the years and it was his passion. George loved watching sports, especially the Denver Broncos, golf, and playing the slot machines. One of his greatest joys was going to his granddaughters sporting events and cheering them on! George had a great sense of humor; he would tease and joke with everyone he met. He was a man of integrity, generosity, a very hard worker, and always gave his best. He adored and loved his wife, children, and granddaughters immensely. He loved the Lord and had such a giving and loving spirit. In lieu of flowers we ask you to donate to the Boys and Girls Club of the Black Hills (Hill City Club), 297 Walnut St., Hill City, SD 57745 or to the Liberty Common Women’s Basketball team (LCHS Booster Club), 2745 Minnesota St., Fort Collins, CO 80525.

A funeral service will be held at 11 am, Friday, March 1, 2019 at Timberline Church, South Auditorium, 2908 S. Timberline Rd. A graveside service with military honors will follow at 2:45 pm at Grandview Cemetery.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAR 1. 11:00 AM (MT)

Timberline Church
2908 Timberline Rd.
Fort Collins, CO 80526

Graveside Service with Military Honors

MAR 1. 2:45 PM (MT)

Grandview Cemetery
1900 W. Mountain Ave.
Fort Collins, CO 80521

Tribute Wall

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“ *In remembrance of a veteran who has answered his final roll call.*

Rest in peace, Airman.

*Custer Post #46, American Legion
South Dakota Department*



Mark A. Mills - April 28, 2019 at 06:29 PM

 Tracy Knapp

“ *Lovely meeting you. You'll be greatly missed. Tracy Knapp*

Tracy Knapp - March 07, 2019 at 09:48 PM



“ *Chuck and I pray for*

Linda Holt - March 01, 2019 at 12:41 PM

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“ *A special friend and high school classmate.
God bless the family in this time of sorrow.*

Dale and Dianna Adams

Dale dams - February 28, 2019 at 11:10 AM



“ *Nancy and family,
I'm so sorry to hear this news. George was my supervisor at AIG
Before we ever figured out the connection with you both and my
parents. He was such an influence then - he taught me a diary
system that I still use and share with others today.
Beyond working together I am forever grateful for the friendship and
times we got to spend with you both.
I loved his sense of humor and caring demeanor. I will cherish the
memories.
Love, hugs, thoughts and prayers to you and your family.
Dana Winter-Wilson*

Dana Winter Wilson - February 28, 2019 at 10:53 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was
purchased for the family of George M. Allen.*



February 28, 2019 at 10:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
George M. Allen.*



February 27, 2019 at 10:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of George M. Allen.



February 27, 2019 at 03:25 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet* was purchased for the family of George M. Allen.



February 27, 2019 at 11:21 AM



“ *Heart's Companion Bouquet* was purchased for the family of George M. Allen.



February 27, 2019 at 12:45 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of George M. Allen.



February 27, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of George M. Allen.*



February 26, 2019 at 02:33 PM



“ *I meet George and Nancy through my remodeling business doing repairs and improvements to their home. My son always look forward to a call from George always a gentleman and generous man. He will be missed!*
Al and Mike Kulenski

Al Kulenski - February 26, 2019 at 07:42 AM