David Curtis Packard(1935 - 2017)





1935 ~ 2017

David Curtis Packard, loyal son and brother, devoted husband and father and adoring Poppa, returned to our loving Heavenly Father, Sunday, March 5, 2017. David was born in Salt Lake City, Utah, May 21, 1935. He was the fifth of thirteen children born to Clarence Farrell Packard and Catherine Curtis Young. Incredibly talented and handsome, he grew up in Salt Lake City and attended South High School. David had a beautiful tenor voice and sang with the Sacre Dolce Chorus and Male Chorus while attending the University of Utah. A fierce patriot, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1953 and was assigned to the 2nd Battalion 5th Marines at Camp Pendleton in San Diego. David was deployed to Korea where

he spent two years defending the Korean Demilitarized Zone. He then served a full time mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in the Central Atlantic States Mission, and toured the south singing with the Mormonaires. In 1961 David married Linda Charlene Osborne for time and all eternity in the Salt Lake Temple. They were blessed with six beautiful children: Kerrie, David Jr., Kim, Kristine, Karman and Kevin. Dave was exceedingly charismatic and charming and worked in sales for over forty years. He served in the Sunday School, the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association, the Elder's Quorum, and Bishopric. David is survived by his precious wife, Linda, his five children and their spouses, twenty seven grandchildren, three and a half great-grandchildren, four brothers, and three sisters. Awaiting his return were many family members including his parents and his son David Jr.

A celebration of David's life will be held Saturday, March 11, 2017 at the Sandy Utah East Stake 9636 S 1700 E in Sandy, with a viewing that morning from 9:30 to 10:45 am and services following at 11:00 am. All who attend are invited to wear a splash of red, David's favorite color. Interment with full military honors will follow at the Utah Veteran's Cemetery and Memorial Park. The family would like to thank the Veteran's Administration, the many doctors and nurses over the years and the staff at Holladay Healthcare for their extraordinary care to our Poppa. Please see Premier Funeral's website for full obituary.



Published in Deseret News on Mar. 9, 2017