



Lance Taylor

January 28, 1970 - February 8, 2017

Lance Taylor, 47, of Cottonwood, AZ, passed away on Wednesday, February 8th, 2017. He was born in Seattle, WA on January 28, 1970, to Tom and Mary K Taylor. Lance was the second of four boys and loved to compete in tennis, golf, and basketball while growing up in Great Falls, VA. He played football and wrestled at Gonzaga High School in Washington, DC, and graduated in 1988. Lance went on to study Communications and Advertising at Brigham Young University. While at BYU, Lance met and fell in love with Kerry Clyde, and the two were married on February 13, 1993 in Sonora, CA.

Kerry was the love of Lance's life and together they lived in and around the Salt Lake City area for many years. Their home was always open to hosting family and friends, and Lance was known to cook, clean, and make sure anyone staying with them was well cared for.

Lance's passion for sports transferred later in life to playing golf, tennis, fishing, card games, board games, and practically anything that gave him an opportunity to compete. He loved to win and he also loved his dogs – Sophie, Bailey, Chloe, and Darla.

In 2013, Lance embarked on a new career in healthcare administration, and became the Executive director of Haven Skilled Nursing in Cottonwood, AZ. He loved his staff and took great pride in caring for the residents and their families at Haven.

Lance was dearly loved by surviving wife, Kerry Taylor, his parents, Tom and Mary K Taylor, and his brothers, Jeff (Lori) Taylor, Matt (Toni) Taylor, and Tracy

(Jessica) Taylor. He will be greatly missed by Kerry's parents, Charles and Minta Clyde and by aunts, uncles, in-laws, nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of long-time friends.

His life was one marked by service, love, kindness, laughter, and joy. He was the greatest friend a person could ask for and brought happiness to so many people who will miss him dearly.

A memorial service to honor and remember Lance will be held on March 4 at 11:00am at the LDS Sevo Lily Chapel 10313 E Ashley Park Drive in Sandy Utah.

Condolences and love can be sent to Kerry at PO Box 708277, Sandy UT 84070-8277

Tribute Wall

JR

“ I loved Lance. Former BYU intramural football teammate and classmate and carpool buddy. He was a joy to be around and I have nothing but fond memories of him. It is heart breaking to learn of his passing. Love to his family. What a wonderful man.

Jordan Ricks - February 09, 2024 at 01:54 PM



“ Lance Taylor

January 30, 2023 at 05:11 AM

KB

“ What a pleasure to have met Lance while he lived in Heber! He added so much to our tennis group here. We have such fond memories, Many of which were echoed by his brothers today at his service. Through Lance we have also been introduced to his wonderful mom. I enjoyed learning more about him and his family today.

Kevin Brindle - March 04, 2017 at 08:12 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lance Taylor.



March 03, 2017 at 12:24 AM

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Steven Taylor - February 18, 2017 at 10:51 AM

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Steven Taylor - February 18, 2017 at 10:37 AM

SA

“ *Lance taught me to fly fish. He had a lot of patience and always allowed me to get into the good holes first.*

Lance and I golfed (a lot). I loved his competitive spirit and fellowship on the course.

I looked forward to seeing him every time we met. He was a great friend.

I sure will miss him.

Steve Altman

steve altman - February 17, 2017 at 09:31 AM

JJ

“ Love and hugs to you all! I was shocked when I heard. I'm so sorry for your loss.



Julie Dyke Johnston - February 17, 2017 at 07:18 AM

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“ Lance, Your Aunt Ann and family, will miss the goodness you brought to this world. We will never forget...Aunt Ann, Clark, Tessa and Allyson.



ann morgan - February 16, 2017 at 10:14 PM

 Ann Morgan

“ A kinder or a more thoughtful man could not be found, then in my nephew Lance. He had a tremendous love for his wife and his family. All our love, Aunt Ann, Clark, Tessa and Allyson

Ann Morgan - February 16, 2017 at 08:09 PM