



Stephen Walter "Wally" Lockmer

January 29, 1943 - October 3, 2022

Steve "Wally" Lockmer passed away in the early morning of Monday, October 3, 2022. Steve was born on Friday, January 29, 1943, the oldest of four children to Stephen and Ruby (Anderson) Lockmer. He lived in Butte and was very proud of his hometown and made sure everyone knew that Butte built the entire state.

He attended the McKinley School and graduated from Butte High School. Steve worked for the Butte Water Company for 23 years and lived at the West Side Reservoir for 17 of those years. Steve later started his own successful excavation business. He replaced countless water and sewer mains over the last 35 years and driving around uptown Butte was a virtual underground map of replacement services. Steve was meticulous with his work and fair with all the people he worked for. He loved to work and was happiest in the seat of a backhoe or a dump truck.

He was preceded by his parents, his aunt, Ruth Trevethan and his sister, Annmarie Carter. He is survived by his wife, Amy, sons, Lance, Troy (Amy) and Christopher, grandchildren: Ashley, Beau, Katie and Matthew and great-grandchildren Lucas and Ryleigh. Also surviving are his sisters, Carol Fowler (Dave) and Linda Chapin and we would be remiss if we forgot his four-legged best friend Jacques.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home with Pastor Seth Leypoldt officiating. Interment will be in Mount Moriah Cemetery. Memorials in memory of Steve may be made to the New Hope Pregnancy Center or the Chelsea Bailey Animal Shelter.

Cemetery Details

Mount Moriah Cemetery

2415 S. Montana Street
Butte, MT 59701

Previous Events

Funeral Service

OCT 8. 10:00 AM (MT)

Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home
1800 Florence Ave
Butte, MT 59701
(406) 723-3221
<https://wayrynen-richards.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ *Dear Amy and Family,*

We are so sorry to hear about Steve's death. He was such a hard working, strong family man who will be greatly missed by many. Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

*Our deepest sympathy,
Theo and Don Davis*

Theo Davis - October 13, 2022 at 01:09 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Stephen Walter "Wally" Lockmer.*



October 07, 2022 at 03:31 PM

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“ *To the Family of Steve Lockmer, Steve was my lifelong friend. We got into mischief in Butte growing up. I will miss him and hope that the wind is always at his back. Wade Green*

Wade Green - October 07, 2022 at 03:13 PM

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“ *Amy and Family
So sorry to hear the passing of Steve. May he rest in peace. Always enjoyed visiting with him. Bob and Dee Scalabrin*

Dee Scalabrin - October 06, 2022 at 12:04 PM

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“ *Amy and Family, we were so sorry to read of Steve's passing. All your wonderful memories will sustain you. God Bless, Lynn & Dennis Doherty*

Lynn C Doherty - October 06, 2022 at 11:13 AM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Stephen Walter "Wally" Lockmer.*



October 05, 2022 at 09:31 AM