



## Clark Butterfield

January 5, 1955 - November 8, 2016

Clark A. Butterfield, 61, a longtime Moses Lake resident passed away Tuesday, November 8, 2016 at Overlake Hospital in Bellevue, Wa with his family at his side. Viewing will be held from 9 to 9:45 am, Wednesday, November 16 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Grape Dr. Chapel, 925 N. Grape Drive, Moses Lake, WA. Funeral services will follow at 10 a.m.

Clark was born January 5, 1955 in Seattle, Washington, to Glen and Illeen (Shutler) Butterfield. He passed away in the arms of his beloved wife Sonia and son Steven on the night of Nov 8th, 2016 in Bellevue, Wa. Being diagnosed 3 months prior of a rare form of cancer, Clark was able to spend his remaining days with his wife, family and being able to attend the temple marriage of his beloved daughter, Julie.

Clark was proud of the fine men his two sons, Steven and Brian, have grown to become. He taught his children to love and enjoy work, service, and to give unselfishly. He was a strong, caring man, who always gave as much as he had.

Clark grew up with his five brothers and one sister, in Moses Lake WA. His father passed away when he was 10 yrs old, so after 52 years, Clark was finally able to rejoin his father. He is preceded in death by his mother, Illeen, mother and father-in-law, Dora and Bob Heikell.

Clark was an active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He served in the San Antonio, Houston Texas Mission from 1974-1976, with his lifelong friend Randy Lybbert. He married his sweetheart, Sonia, on November 12th 1976 in the Salt Lake Temple. They would have celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary this year. Together they served in many church callings including: Temple Ordinance Workers at the Seattle Temple, a Leadership Mission in the Spanish Branch with their family, for 5 years and a mission as Stake Employment Specialists with his favorite companion, Sonia. Clark had a strong testimony of the gospel of Jesus Christ. He not only knew it, he lived it.

Clark was a man of integrity, and always kept his word. He was honest, hardworking and committed to whatever he did.

Clark's legacy of love, kindness, service, integrity and friendship will be remembered by all who knew him.

He is survived by his wife, Sonia, and their children: Julie, her husband Luke Jenne and their children Cavan, Whitney, Michael, Christopher, Samantha, and Cameron. Steven, his wife Summer(Barnum) and their children Ethan and Chloe. Brian and his wife Anna (Hand). His siblings, Michael & (Cynthia), David & (Connie), Charles, Dennis & (Janet), Larry &(Pat), and Susan & (Arvin Haslen). In-laws, Lucy and (Rich Fitterer), and Ray and (Kim Summerlin). Including many nieces and nephews and extended family.

Interment will be at Pioneer Memorial Gardens. Please sign the on-line guest book or leave a note for the family at [www.kayserchapel.com](http://www.kayserchapel.com) Arrangements are in care of Kayser's Chapel and Crematory.

# Cemetery Details

## Pioneer Memorial Gardens

14403 Rd. 2 Ne  
Moses Lake, WA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **16**. 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM (PT)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints - Grape Drive Chapel  
925 N. Grape Dr.  
Moses Lake, WA

## Service

NOV **16**. 10:00 AM (PT)

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# Tribute Wall

SW

“ *Sonia*  
*I am so sorry for your loss of Clark. I thank you for sending me his service notes as I was unaware of his illness and his passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your entire family.*

*Steve Warner*

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**Steve Warner** - January 25, 2017 at 09:07 PM

RS

“ *We are Richard and Dixie Smith brother to Connie and David. We have loved your family since the Butterfield family joined our Smith family. May you have strength in our Savior.*

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**Richard M. Smith** - November 20, 2016 at 10:13 PM



“ *Sonia, I could not believe it when I heard of Clark's passing. I am so sorry for what you are going through. I have always valued you and Clark's friendship and I send my deepest condolences. Love always, Your friend, Darla Cornelsen*

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**Darla Cornelsen** - November 15, 2016 at 08:53 PM

SR

“ *We are truly sorry for your loss. For the many years I worked with Clark, the commitment he showed toward his family and church was evident on the job (not just on Sunday's). He was never ashamed to talk about his faith and was generous in helping someone in need.*

*Steve and Deanna Reed*

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**Steve and Deanna Reed** - November 15, 2016 at 05:09 PM

JH

“ I was so shocked to hear about Clark. I've always had a very special spot in my heart for him and you Sonia. I had idea and am so very sorry. Prayers are with you and your family as you go through this time of mourning. Please let me know if I can do anything for you. Love Joey Hansen

Joey Hansen - November 15, 2016 at 07:59 AM

JM

“ So sorry to hear of your families loss. I have known Clark for a lot of years. My thoughts and prayers are with you Clark was a great friend. John Metzker

John Metzker - November 14, 2016 at 09:17 PM

KF

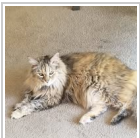
“ Praying for your family. Ken & Kathy Payne family

Ken & Kathy Payne family - November 14, 2016 at 09:10 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. A soul gone too soon. I will never forget the great hug I got from Clark, at Aunt Dora's funeral. Clark will be greatly missed. Cousin Sonia, and family you will always be in my prayers. I love you all so very much.

Aliesha Diaz - November 14, 2016 at 02:21 AM



“ Aliesha Diaz lit a candle in memory of Clark Butterfield



Aliesha Diaz - November 14, 2016 at 12:43 AM

WC

“ I am deeply saddened to hear of Clarks passing! I didn't even know he was ill. I am so sorry and wish his family, Elouise and my, deepest condolences and prayers. Clark has been one of the best examples of a man and priesthood holder I've ever known. He was truly a friend and would give the shirt off his back to help anyone! He was always watching out for me when he would hear I was unemployed. We served together, we worked together and always had fun when we could get together. This world will be better for Clark having been here and accomplish that, that the good Lord had sent him here to do! He will be sorely missed!

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**Wayne Coulston** - November 13, 2016 at 09:18 PM

HV

Oh, dear Sonia,. I am so saddened by this news and so sorry for you. I know you were so brave as you said good-bye to your step father then your beautiful mother, even singing at their funerals. I just only know from my own experience how hard this is to let go of Clark. It hardly seems fair! I also know from experience that he will be there to bless you, watch over you and comfort you. In his new mission you are working on separate sides of the veil, but you are still a couple and your goals are still with your family and loved ones. Well, my heart bleeds for you to have to go through this. Wish I could make it easier for you. Richard has been gone 4 years and I still think of him constantly. I write a note to him each morning in my journal and it helps me feel close. I love you and pray for you and Julie to be blessed. I am so happy for her temple marriage before he left. You are an awesome either, mother and grandmother. God bless you to go forward in faith.  
Love, Helen Vernon

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**Helen Vernon** - November 15, 2016 at 03:28 PM



“ *Kristina Hunt lit a candle in memory of Clark Butterfield*



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**Kristina Hunt** - November 13, 2016 at 09:15 PM

JF

“ *Our deepest condolences to all of your family. Sending our love and prayers.*

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**Jose Villa & family** - November 13, 2016 at 04:23 PM

JA

“ *1 file added to the album Clark's siblings*



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**Janet** - November 13, 2016 at 12:19 PM

LC

“ *Sonia, we love Clark and your family so much! I was unaware of his illness, and was shocked to hear of his passing. My prayers are with you all at this difficult time.*

*I was always grateful to Clark for watching out for me at North when I was afraid to walk to my car. I have fond memories of him at girls' camp as well. He is a great man!*

*-Liz Crowell*

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**liz crowell** - November 13, 2016 at 02:21 AM

KH

“ Our condolences to the Butterfield Family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

*David and Karen Hand*

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**Karen Hand** - November 12, 2016 at 10:29 PM

SM

“ All my love and prayers sweet Sonia! You two are an eternal couple and no one can take that away. Love Sharon McConkie

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**Sharon McConkie** - November 11, 2016 at 06:54 PM

GG

“ Dearest Sonia, we have only just learned this sad news and we are in shock, Our hearts and prayers are with you and your family.  
*Gerald & Robin Goude*

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**gerald goude** - November 11, 2016 at 02:48 AM

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“ I am truly sorry during this time of loss. Praying for friends to comfort you, faith to uphold you, and loving memories to help you smile again.

*~Tina (Hickman)Workman*

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**Tina (Hickman)Workman** - November 11, 2016 at 12:59 AM



HW

*I am truly saddened by the new of this dear soul. He was always cheerful and smiling. I send my prayers and blessings to his family.  
Love Helen Watson*

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**Helen Watson** - November 14, 2016 at 04:02 PM