

Melvin Carl Atwood, 79 of Tooele, Utah, passed away peacefully March 24, 2021. He was born November 16, 1941 in Bountiful Utah to Carl W. Atwood and Lillian Beth Winegar Atwood.

He married his high school sweetheart Carolynne Hughes, September 9, 1961, later divorced. He then married his soulmate, Adrienne Vasquez Atwood January 1, 2005.

Mel loved the Street Rod world of drag racing, mud racing and snowmobiling. He also, restored old cars, his pride and joy was his 1969 Buick Riviera and his 1964 Pontiac GTO, in which he had entered into many car shows. He loved his spoiled-rotten dog Lashes, hunting, fishing and hanging out at the coffee shop sharing a good laugh, a few cuss words and a cup of coffee with his friends (especially with Dan).

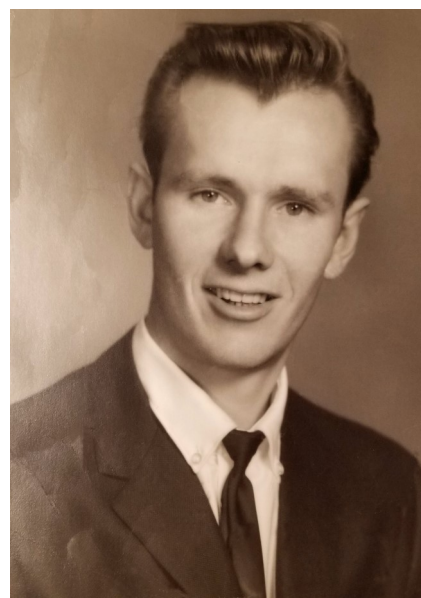
He subtly competed with the neighbors in an effort to have the greenest and most immaculate lawn. His immense pride in his yard, pond and flower garden made his homes look like a picture from the Better Homes and Garden magazine.

Mel is survived by his 3 daughters, Kaylene (Rod) Hyatt, Brenda (Robert) Ahre, Trena Williams, son Jason (James) Atwood, step children Micaela (Lazaro) Herrera, Angela Vasquez, Sylvia Vasquez, many Grandchildren and great-grandchildren, sisters Carla (Alpheaus) Shirley and Donna Cuzick.

He is preceded in death by his wife Adrienne Atwood, Parents Carl and Beth Atwood, his sisters Betty and Vickie Atwood, and his brother David (Bucky) Atwood.



In Loving Memory of



Melvin "Mel" Carl Atwood

1941 ~ 2021

Melvin "Mel" Carl Atwood

BORN

November 6, 1941
Salt Lake City, Utah

DIED

March 24, 2021
Erda, Utah

SON OF

Carl W. Atwood &
Marion Beth Winegar

HUSBAND OF

Adrienne Atwood



FUNERAL SERVICE

Saturday, March 27, 2021 ~ 11:00 a.m.

Larkin Mortuary

260 East South Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah

PALLBEARERS

Jason Atwood
James Garrick
Donnie Green
Alpheaus Shirley

Daniel Topham
Rod Hyatt
Charlie Kaing
Dallon Williams

SERVICES

Larkin Mortuary, *Conducting*

Opening Prayer.....James Garrick
Reading of the Obituary..... Kaylene Hyatt
SpeakerJames Garrick
SpeakerDonnie Green
SpeakerDona Cubic

~ Open to Those Who Wish to Share Memories ~

Closing RemarksJames Garrick
Closing Song*A Love Without End, Amen*
Closing Prayer Carla Shirley



Dedication of the Grave..... Alpheaus Shirley

INTERMENT

Bountiful City Cemetery
2224 South 200 West
Bountiful, Utah 84010