

Gone From My Sight

I am standing upon the seashore.
A ship, at my side, spreads her white sails to the
morning breeze and starts
for the blue ocean.

She is an object of beauty and strength.
I stand and watch her until, at length,
she hangs like a speck of white cloud
just where the sea and sky come
to mingle with each other.

Then, someone at my side says,
"There, she is gone."

Gone where?

Gone from my sight. That is all.

She is just as large in mast, hull and spar
as she was when she left my side.
And, she is just as able to bear her
load of living freight to her destined port.
Her diminished size is in me – not in her.

And, just at the moment when
someone says,

"There, she is gone!"

There are other eyes watching her coming,
and other voices
ready to take up the glad shout,
"Here she comes!"

~ Henry Van Dyke

In Loving Memory



Rachel Day Patience

April 1, 1931 - September 7, 2025

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BORN
April 1, 1931 ~ Salt Lake City, Utah

DIED
September 7, 2025 ~ Draper, Utah

DAUGHTER OF
Harmon Eastman Day
and Phoebe McConnell Day

WIFE OF
Joe Patience (June 7, 2005)

Funeral Services

Thursday, September 25, 2025 ~ 11:00 a.m.
Larkin Sunset Gardens
1950 East Dimple Dell Road
Sandy, Utah

Pallbearers

James Fairbourn (grandson)	Jacob Watts (grandson)
Chris Patience (grandson)	Steve Patience (son)
Austin Patience (grandson)	Tyler Patience (son)
L.J. Nielsen (grandson)	John K. Priddy (son-in-law)
John Ethan Priddy (grandson)	Jody Watts (son-in-law)

Honorary Pallbearers

Trevor Patience (grandson)	Jim Fairbourn (son-in-law)
Lyle Nielsen (son-in-law)	Great Grandsons

Order of Service

Bishop Jaron Dunford, Mtn. Point First Ward, Conducting

Family Prayer Steve Patience (son)

Prelude and Postlude Music.....Laurie Gerona (family friend)
Chorister Heather Nielsen
Organist.....Laurie Gerona (family friend)
Opening Hymn.....#85

"How Firm A Foundation"

Invocation..... Jim Fairbourn (son-in-law)
Life Sketch.....Rachelle Watts (daughter)
Speaker Debbie Fairbourn (daughter)
Speaker Steve Patience (son)
Cello Solo.....Steve Patience

"How Great Thou Art"

Accompanied by Laurie Gerona

Speaker L.J. Nielsen (grandson)
SpeakerChloe Patience (granddaughter)
Piano Solo..... Jessica Nielsen (granddaughter)

"Abide With Me"

Speaker Hannah Priddy (granddaughter)
Closing Remarks.....Bishop Jaron Dunford
Closing Hymn #152

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

Benediction.....Jacob Watts (grandson)

Interment

Larkin Sunset Gardens
1950 East Dimple Dell Road
Sandy, Utah

Dedication of the Grave.....Lyle Nielsen (son-in-law)