

# We will remember



## GRADUATES STUDENTS

**Robert Henry Dotson, '31**, passed away on January 8, 2006, at the age of 83, in St. George, Utah. Robert (Bob) was born April 26, 1922 in Minersville, Utah, to Henry P. and Blanch Lunt Dotson. Bob was a gifted musician. After the war he played professionally with jazz and big bands including the Tommy Reed Band.

**Irene B. Leigh Herbert, '36**, passed away on Saturday May 20, 2006, at age 87, in Cedar City. She was born on August 24, 1918, in Cedar City, to Francis Webster and Ada Selena Bryant Leigh. Irene graduated from BAC with a degree in teaching. She taught elementary in a tiny school in Newcastle, Utah, where she met Ralph Maxwell Herbert. They married in Cedar City on March 15, 1941.

**Dean Pinnock Sargent, '37** passed away on June 20, 2006, from causes incident to Parkinson's Disease. Born in Paris, Idaho, September 11, 1919, Dean was raised in Cedar City. He served a mission for the LDS Church to California, and joined the Army when World War II began and served until the end of the War, and was honorable discharged. He married Rozella Hunter on May 12, 1943.

**William Evans Woodbury, Jr., '38**, died March 11, 2006, in St. George, Utah. He was born March 31, 1918, in St. George to William Evans and Verda Sullivan Woodbury. He graduated from Hurricane High School in 1936 and attended BAC. He married Donna Stephenson on September 17, 1941, in Cardston Alberta, Canada. After serving an LDS mission, he served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during WWII. He enjoyed gardening, taking walks and traveling.

**Beth Jolley Cary, '40**, passed away March 25, 2006, in Sandy, Utah. She was born in Paragonah, Utah on December 13, 1921. Cedar City was where her family called home and where she attended schools and worked as a nurse's aide. She was one of the first women employed at Firestone Tire and Rubber where she worked to support the WWII war effort and was proud to be one of the "Rosie the Riveters." She married Willard H. Cary on June 30, 1945.

**Alice Matheson Stucki, '40** passed away at home on June 11, 2006, following a long battle with cancer. Alice was born on June 18, 1920, in Parowan, Utah, to Ellen Benson and Hugh Edward Matheson. She graduated from Parowan High School and attended SUU. While she was attending college she met and married Lloyd Jones Stucki.

**Forrest Corry Parry, '41**, died December 31, 2005, in St. George, Utah. He was born July 4, 1921, to Edward H. and Marguerite C. Parry in Cedar City, Utah. He attended BAC before entering the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1942. He married Dorothea Tillia in June 1952. The couple raised five children. Years after Dorothea passed, Forrest married La Faun Williams Elder in 1983.

**Milton Robinson Jolley, '41**, was born December 30, 1919, in Paragonah, Utah, and passed away January 11, 2006, in Cedar City. He graduated from BAC. Milt married Ruth Barlow in May 1940, and they had one son, Clark. Milt and Ruth divorced shortly after the war; Milt re-married Louise Black in June 1955, and they had two daughters and a son—Mary, Louise and John.

**Charles Richard Jensen, '48**, passed away May 15, 2005, at his home in

Richfield, Utah, at the age of 81. He was born on July 30, 1923, in Richfield, to Daniel Rasmus Jensen and Esther Elizabeth Swindle. He married Loretta Lamprecht May 3, 1946. Richard fought in the Battle of the Bulge in WWII. He was involved with the Richfield City Police Department, State Tax Commission, BLM and BIZ, and secretary of the Utah Horse Racing Association. He enjoyed shoeing horses and training thoroughbreds.

**Harold Seeley Mitchell, '48**, passed away on January 28, 2006, at Utah Valley Medical Center, following surgery. Hal was born December 12, 1928, in Safford, Ariz.. He spent his summers in Parowan helping on the farm and herding the sheep in Dry Lakes. He graduated from BAC. He married Donna Jean Dalton on July 9, 1948. In 1996, the Harold S. Mitchell Family Farm was officially designated as a "Utah Century Farm and Ranch."

**Clara Louise Webster Turner, '48**, passed away at home in Flagstaff, Ariz., January 24, 2006. She was born August 20, 1928, in Cedar City to Daniel Urie Webster and Rhoda Palmer. She attended BAC, where she met Brian Turner. The two were married on August 21, 1948. Louise water-skied, hiked, golfed, cross-country skied, painted, made furniture with macramé, enjoyed photography, and was an avid reader.

**Albin Judd, '50**, passed away at home after a courageous fight with cancer, on April 22, 2006, at age 76. Albin was born on April 16, 1930, in Fredonia, Ariz. to Warren Dart Judd and Olive Brooksby. He married Lenna Mae Hinton on March 4, 1950. Albin loved farming and hard work.

**Clare Adams Atkin, '58**, passed away March 17, 2006, at age 75, in Payson, Utah, after a brief illness. He was born November 7, 1930, in St. George, Utah, to Richard Henry and Mary Adams Atkin. He graduated from the CSU, and spent most of his life teaching in Clark County School District, Las Vegas, Nevada. He was a veteran of the Korean War.

**A.D. Findlay, '59**, was born on November 23, 1938, in Kanab, Utah and passed away on April 9, 2006, in Fresno, Calif. A.D. was known for his candid wit and fun-loving nature. He was a devoted husband, a loving father and a caring and playful grandfather.

**Craig Gardener Sorensen, '61**, died April 18, 2006. Craig was born on August 6, 1938, to Keith and Tess Sorensen. He married Jolene Yardley on December 28, 1961. He was a civil engineer in construction management.

**Errol M. Orton, '68** passed away June 8, 2006, in Cedar City after a long battle with cancer, at age 64. Errol was born July 25, 1941, in Cedar City to Claude and Ruby Mortensen Orton. He grew up in Parowan, Utah, where he was a friend to everyone. He married Brenda Berrett. The couple first resided in Cedar City while Errol completed his degree at CSU. They were blessed with three sons and a daughter.

**Leland (Val) Jean Haws, '78** passed away June 2, 2006, at age 62. He was born August 20, 1943, in Richfield, Utah, to Leland and Golda Haws, and grew up in Boulder, Utah. He married Ann Griffin on December 7, 1973. Val graduated from SUU. One of Val's many qualities was showing appreciation and care for others; he was a strong man with a gentle heart.

**John Roland Fivas, '94**, passed away at age 55 after fighting a long battle with multiple illnesses. He was born September 9, 1950, in Salt Lake City to John Roland Fivas, Sr. and Clair Amelia Hansen. John enjoyed the outdoors and devoting time to his grandkids. His family will remember his happy, robust laugh.

**Troya Dawn Workman Smith Mecham, '96**, passed away on January 31, 2006. Troya was born on November 13, 1952, in Torrance, Calif., to Price R. and Marlene G. Workman. Before fulfilling her dream of becoming an English and reading teacher, Troya worked for The Spectrum newspaper. She graduated cum laude with a master's degree as a reading specialist in 2001 from SUU. She taught for nine years. Troya was married to Ted Rex Mecham in 2003. Troya loved the outdoors and photography. She had quite an artistic flare and loved to write poetry.

**David Christopher Anderson** was born January 16, 1984, and passed away May 7, 2006, after a motorcycle accident. David was born in Fullerton, Calif. and graduated with honors from Troy High School. At the time of his death, he was attending SUU. David pursued outdoor activities such as rock climbing, dirt biking, snowboarding, surfing, mountain biking, playing rugby, and many other sports.

**Glen Dale Anderson** was born in Manti, Utah, on January 4, 1931, to Edward and Constance Anderson. One of the world's largest jokesters, Glen passed away on March 31, 2006. He married Jeane Eyre in Cedar City on June 9, 1960.

**Matye Don Ingram**, age 19, daughter of Rhet LaMour and Patye Gai Woodward Ingram, passed away suddenly May 25, 2006, in Cedar City where she was attending SUU. Matye was born December 14, 1986, in Nephi, Utah, and was always on the go since then. She was a dancer, a tumbler, a cheerleader, and a member of the Juab High School Drill Team. She graduated from high school May 2005 and had completed her first year at SUU.

**Tokiko F. Stuckey** passed away on May 22, 2006, in Cedar City. She was born September 20, 1933, in Hiroshima, Japan. As a child, she survived the bombing of Hiroshima. She later met and married Robert Stuckey. The couple raised four children. "Koko," as her friends called her, was very kind, generous and loving—a sweet lady with a good sense of humor.

**Cloyd R. Sudweeks, age 76**, passed away April 6, 2006. He was born May 23, 1929, in Tropic, Utah, to Ralph and Ada Barton Sudweeks. Cloyd spent three years in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He had a love for the horses he had through his life; his favorite thing to do was ride with his friends.

**Mayrell Maurice Tietjen, "Toker," 82**, passed away March 31, 2006. He was born January 8, 1924, in Kanab, Utah, to David Mayrell Tietjen and Emma Jane Johnson. His mother's nurse, an Indian woman at the hospital, nicknamed him "Toker" because he had so much thick, black hair. He married Anna Neilson on May 3, 1944. Maurice served his country during WWII for four years. Afterward, he and Anna raised their five children in California. He later became a housebuilder in St. George, Utah.

## FACULTYSTAFFFRIENDS

**LaRue Leavitt Higbee, '65**, passed away at age 91, at her home on April 3, 2006. She was born March 3, 1915, in Santa Clara, Utah, to Lorenzo Calvin and Susetta Hafen Leavitt. On July 3, 1938, she married Clyde Franklin Higbee. LaRue was a Reference Librarian at SUSC until her retirement in 1980.

LaRue loved to play bridge, travel, watch the Jazz, quilt, knit, crochet and spend time with her family.

**James Warren McDonald, age 82**, passed away at home on April 24, 2006. James was born August 25, 1923, in Long Beach, Calif. He went to college at Fullerton State College and enlisted in the U.S. Army during WWII. He was accepted at University of Southern California School of Dentistry and graduated in June 1950. Jim loved skiing and taught the sport to kids Brian Head Ski Resort. He enjoyed being an adoptive grandpa to many children in Cedar City.

**Larry L. Reitz, 55**, passed away February 25, 2006, in Circleville, Utah. He was born June 2, 1950, in Twin Falls, Idaho. He married Glenda Louise Blackwell on July 17, 1971. Larry served in the Circleville Fire Department and was Fire Chief for 24 years. The greatest joys in his life were his wife, children and grandkids. He loved to dutch oven cook and sit on his front porch.

**Roy William Simmons** died at his home on May 9, 2006. Born in Portland, Ore., on January 24, 1916, he was adopted by Henry Clay and Annie Mudd Simmons. After his mother's death at age eight, and with his father in poor health, he came to Salt Lake City, where he was raised by a family friend, Blanche Davies Reese. He married Elizabeth Ellison on October 28, 1938. As a great friend to the University, Roy received honorary doctorate degrees from SUU.

**Ethel Whitney Slack, age 92**, passed away January 4, 2006, in Toquerville, Utah. She was born January 19, 1913, in Parowan, Utah, to Samuel J. and Winnifred Benson Whitney. Ethel married Morgan B. Slack April 5, 1933. Ethel was a wonderful cook, and she put her talents to work for 10 years at CSU in Food Services. Some of her favorite pastimes were gardening, quilting, and crocheting. Ethel was a loving, nurturing, kind, happy, and soft-spoken woman whose family was always the center of her life.