

Charity

There is only one Law which governs the Celestial Kingdom, and obedience to which earns us residence therein: That is the Law of Charity, which is the pure love of Christ.

“...And whoso is found possessed of it at the Last Day, it shall be well with him.”

Charity is the Law which governs our attitude towards our fellows. The total, all-consuming desire for their welfare and Eternal Happiness is the prerogative and qualification of the residents of the Celestial Kingdom. There is no other reason for the existence of a Celestial Kingdom, except the governing, educating and providing for the happiness and joy of our Loved Ones, and our posterity, both Here and Hereafter.

The Towel

At first glance, one looks at a kitchen towel and thinks, “Wow, a towel. I needed a new one.” Or “Wow, a towel.” The old ones are getting stained and worn out. But have you ever stopped to think that for years, even thousands of years, the towel has not just been used in the kitchen, but for a variety of reasons?

Take, for example, the mother who wipes the tears of a little child to soothe the physical and emotional hurt; the physician who binds the wound of a bleeding patient; the woman in her home wiping her hands as she moves from task to task; the weary traveler who wipes his sweaty brow. Some other examples would be the manager of a boxer who “throws in the towel” to save the life of his protege or the young man wiping grease off his hands as he fixes the old jalopy.

Notwithstanding all of the above examples, perhaps the most significant use of the towel was almost two thousand years ago, when our loving brother took an ordinary towel in His hands and dried the feet of His disciples only hours before His crucifixion. Sure the towel is a handy item with a myriad of uses, but it also has deep symbolic meaning when seen in the hands of the Savior, doing a work of kindness for His fellow men.

So take this towel, knowing it is given with love, and do works of goodness with it, as the savior worked goodness with His so many years ago.



In Loving Memory of



Eric Cottam Dalton

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Pallbearers

Troy Dalton	Daniel Halliday
Mark Ordakowski	Benjamin Little
Cameron Ordakowski	Andy Chipman
Conlan Ordakowski	Johnny Pak

Honorary Pallbearers

Devin Halliday	Westley Ordakowski
Garrett Halliday	Oliver Little
Brian Talbert	Quincy Little
Mathew Ordakowski	Elias Chipman
Mark Halliday	

Interment

Larkin Sunset Gardens
1950 East 10600 South, Sandy, Utah

Dedicatory Prayer Mark Ordakowski (Son-in-law)

Funeral Services

Tuesday, June 17, 2025 at 11:00 a.m.
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Chapel
825 Hawks Drive, Mapleton, Utah

Conducting Bishop Jason Murray
Family Prayer Coreli Ordakowski (Daughter)
Organist Garth Allred
Chorister Kristen Little (Granddaughter)

Opening Hymn #193

“I Stand All Amazed”

Invocation Andy Chipman (Grandson)
Life Sketch Erica Pak (Granddaughter)
Musical Number By Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren

“Gethsemane”

Accompanist: Roxanna Chipman (Granddaughter)

Speaker Shareen Halliday (Daughter)
Speaker Doug Dalton (Brother)
Musical Number By Congregation

“I Am a Child of God”

Accompanist: Roxanna Chipman (Granddaughter)

Speaker Cameron Ordakowski (Grandson)
Closing Remarks Bishop Jason Murray
Closing Hymn #219

“Because I Have Been Given Much”

Benediction Benjamin Little (Grandson)