It may be one of the hardest days to come by,
When you have to say the final goodbye.
The memories we forever created
And the memories we forever shared
Will last a lifetime within your thoughts.
You may not be able to hold my hand any longer,
And you may not be able to hear my voice any more
Always know that as you are forever in my heart,
I will forever be in yours.
As I say my final goodbye.

Anonymous

On behalf of the Hall family we would like to thank the Manning -Wheatley Funeral Home for their services.
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In Loving Memory



Wendell Jay Hall

December 5, 1936 - October 2, 2026

Beloved Husband,, Father, & Grandfather

Wendell Jay Hall, of Pocatello, Idaho, passed away on October 2, 2026, after a lingering illness. Jay was born and raised in Ogden, Utah, to his loving parents, Olie Hall and Nellie Stoddard. Jay attended Weber College, where he excelled as a football player.

He served an honorable mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the New England States Mission. Following his mission, Jay proudly served his country as a member of the United States Marine Corps and was a Vietnam Veteran.

Jay married Jana Kempter, and together they were blessed with five children: Jelayne,Janelle, Jenna, Wells Jayson, and Weston Jared. In 1995, Jay married Ora Mae Hyde, with whom he shared a loving partnership.

Jay had a passion for life and a variety of hobbies that brought him joy. He was an avid ham radio operator, a pioneer in home computing, and enjoyed reloading ammunition for handguns and rifles. He loved hunting, fishing, gardening, photography, crafting beautiful picture frames, family history, and later in life learned how to play the organ.

Jay is survived by his brother, Lewis Hall (Judy); his wife, Ora Mae Hall; his children, Jelayne, Jenna, Wells Jayson, and Weston Jared; and several grandchildren who will cherish his memory. He is preceded in death by his parents, Olie and Nellie Hall; his siblings, Roger Hall, Shauna Oglesby, and Lawanna Wright; and his beloved daughter, Janelle Riddick.Jay's legacy of service, love, and dedication to his family and faith will be remembered by all who knew him.

Services

11:00 am Thursday October 7, 2026
LDS Caldwell Park Building Pocatello Idaho 83201

Officiating		Bishop Livermore
Family Prayer		Eric Richardson
Organist		Margo Ellis
Chorister		Becky Payne
Opening Hymn	*Because I have been given much*	# 219
Invocation		Lorri Martin
Life Sketch		Jayson Kempter
Musical number	*In the Garden*	
Soloist		Becky Payne
Pianist		Sayde Dailami
Memories		Juanita Clark
Memories		Catherine Dunbar

Sharing short Memories

Closing Remarks		Patriarch Eldon Payne
Closing Hymn	*God Be With You Till We Meet Again*	#15
Benediction		William Cervantes

Pallbearers

Jayson Kempter	Eric Richardson
Shaun Clark	Cason Dunbar
Devin Richardson	Migel Cervantes
William Cervantes	Trevor Richardson

Mountain View Cemetery

Grave Dedication	Eric Richardson
Military Rites	Pocatello Veterans Honor Guard

Compassionate Service Provided by Bonneville Park Ward Relief Society