



## Carl Matthew Jensen

July 16, 1953 - July 7, 2024

Carl Matthew Jensen was born to Ralph and Eunice Jensen in Riverside California on July 16th 1953 and spent most of his childhood growing up in northern Idaho as older brother to Steve, Mark, and John. He once mowed the lawn for Bing Crosby, a fact that he was proud of. He served his country in Vietnam from 1971-1972 where he was a sniper and infantry man.

After his time there he met his first wife Lola Jones and they were married in Salt Lake City on September 19th 1975. They had 6 babies and raised 4 children losing 2 during their marriage. After a divorce in 2007, Carl met his second wife Linda. A woman he loved dearly but ended up losing to cancer in March of 2015. Carl spent his life working as Post commander for the American Legion in Pasco Washington.

He loved his children: Fidelia Dawn Wallace, Alexander Moroni Jensen, Carl Matthew Jensen Jr, and Marie Michelle Binford. He also had 5 grandchildren: Adam James Fretwell, Briana Lynn Wallace, Kylee Ann Jensen, Chad Ryan Binford II, and Sophia Grace Binford, who all miss him dearly and wish they had more time with him.

His family is unsure of a memorial for him at this time, but plans are in the making. We ask for time and understanding during this difficult situation and thank everyone for their thoughts, prayers, and support. If you have any

memories you'd like to share, please reach out to his youngest daughter who can be reached at [Marie.binford@yahoo.com](mailto:Marie.binford@yahoo.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My thoughts & prayers are with the family. Grateful for his life and service to our country.*

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**Patricia Byers** - July 25, 2024 at 12:18 PM

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*Carl you and your family are in my prayers.*

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