

## Mr. Dennis Dale Dowell

August 25, 1944 - January 17, 2015

Dennis Dowell of rural Black Diamond, Alberta passed away at his home on January 17, 2015 at the age of 70 years. Dennis is survived by his children Jay A. (Jo Ann) Dowell, Rayne Dowell and Dan S. Dowell; grandchildren Jolee Dowell, Jesse Dowell, Tiana Dowell and Tanner Dowell; sister Verla Dowell, and brother Gary Dowell. Dennis was predeceased by his parents John (Dick) and Kate (Betty) Dowell.

Dennis was born in Edmonton, Alberta where he grew up and later moved to Calgary and then to his final residence in the rural foothills area. He worked as an Accountant for Texaco, Amoco, and Esso. He then retired spending time helping neighbours, driving gravel truck and enjoying his horses, dogs and the odd wild animal that he would take in. In Dennis' younger years he was an avid downhill skier, and enjoyed being a lifeguard at the Banff Hot Springs. Later in life he enjoyed watching all wildlife on his acreage. His favourite past time was enjoying conversation with family and friends.

A Celebration of Life was held at the Flare 'n' Derrick Community Hall (223 Main Street NE) in Turner Valley on Sunday, January 25th, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

Memorial Donations can be made to the Alberta SPCA, 10806 – 124 Street NW Edmonton, AB T5M 0H3 (http://www.albertaspca.org).

To send condolences and view Dennis' Tribute Page please visit http://www.lylereeves.com. Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River 403.652.4242.

## **Events**

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JAN Celebration of Life Service 02:00PM

Flare 'n' Derrick

223 Main Street NE, Turner Valley, AB, CA, T0L 2A0

## Comments



Thank you so much everyone and sharing and helping with very special day for us.

Sincerely Jay Dowell

Jay Dowell - January 25, 2015 at 06:31 PM



**66** Dear Jay, Robin, Danny and Families

It is always a very sad day when we lose people who are dear in our lives. May happy memories console you at this time and in the future. Please accept our heartfelt condolences. We have another angel in heaven to look over you and your families.

God Bless,

Sincerely,

Linda Lutz and Vern Pennington

Linda Lutz - January 25, 2015 at 10:42 AM



Dennis was the best landlord. When I asked if I could have a dog he didn't hestitate to say yes. My dog stole his heart and was my faithful companion for fifteen years. Thank you Dennis for that gift. I know wherever you are your infectious laugh and fun loving nature will make it a better place.

Eileen Mercer, Calgary

eileen mercer - January 24, 2015 at 11:45 AM



What a fun guy to be with. Your laughter will be sadly missed. Goodbye dear friend, till we meet again.

Ken Pruden - Edmonton



ken pruden - January 23, 2015 at 03:54 PM



66 My condolences to the family. I have so many fond memories of Dennis-his gentle, kind nature and infectious laugh will be missed, but not forgotten. Rest in peace my friend

Gena Piluk

Calgary

Gena Piluk - January 23, 2015 at 12:59 PM



From the time we met at the PSC and being roomies with the great guys at the "Consulate" we have been good friends. We have travelled together on many ski and camping trips along with your faithful companion "Paddy". You are gone good buddy but will never be forgotten. Rest in peace until we meet again.

Phil & Darlene Coram BHC AZ / SC SK

Phil Coram - January 20, 2015 at 03:52 PM



66 Sure found some good pics of you guys. Will look forward to getting a bunch of you out for a memorial bbq and do the slide show for you guys. I'm sure you will all enjoy. I know I have going through them.

Jay - January 21, 2015 at 06:14 PM



I remember what a great parent Dennis was and how well he loved his children. He was an inspiration to me as a single parent. Although I haven't seen Dennis since a party at Ola's a few years ago, and he had been ill at the time, he was still smiling and laughing...his great big wonderful laugh. I will always remember him as a giving person with a big heart and the capacity for sharing his love of life. I'm sure you're still laughing with Angels and we all still love you Dennis.

Pamela Knott

Pamela Knott - January 20, 2015 at 01:52 PM



I will miss my friend's love of life and cowboy spirit. How he would drag you along in any venture he was going on and how you loved doing it. Those adventures are forever in my memories of Denny. We shared a love of horses and dogs and I will forever remember him with one or the other the dogs as close to him as they could get and the horses greeting him with a soft nicker. Love you my friend .... Kate

Kate Currey - January 20, 2015 at 09:18 AM



We will miss our dear friend with the infectious laugh and gentle soul. May there be deep powder and numerous horses and dogs follow you forever......

Linda B and Ricardo

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Linda - January 19, 2015 at 11:29 AM



I will never forget your zest for life, your wonderful smile and contagious laugh. Your absence has left a huge void in the lives of everyone that had the pleasure of knowing you. You were loved and will be missed.

Judie Joseph & Family Salt Lake City, Utah

Judie Joseph - January 20, 2015 at 07:13 PM



I will miss Uncle Denny dearly he was a a very jovial and kind spirited person. He had an interesting sense of humor and when our family would visit we would always have a great time playing dominoes, or just shooting the shit for hours, he would always have a slab of meat he would cook on the barbecue, and it was a wonderful time to visit with extended family. He brought a lot of people together and he was very hospitable to all. I enjoyed the times he would spend with us and feeding the horses and enjoying his majestic view of the mountains. Damn, I will dearly miss you Uncle til we meet again, love you always, Surrey, Chris, Savannah, Ken, Rob and dogs Singer and Kipper

Surrey Dowell - January 23, 2015 at 09:23 PM