



Dennis Alan Steffensen

March 30, 1947 - November 23, 2014

Dennis Alan Steffensen was born to Arthur Steffensen and Mary Jean Steffensen on March 30, 1947. He passed away after a courageous battle on November 23, 2014 at the age of 67.

A lifelong resident of Fresno County, Dennis was raised in Easton and attended Washington Union High School. Upon completion of high school, he attended Stanford University where he obtained his bachelors degree. Dennis worked for many years as an IT Tech for Bee Sweet Citrus. He was a devoted member of the Sunnyside Property Owners Association where he was currently serving as Treasurer. Dennis was also a member of the Sunnyside County Club, the Sierra Club, the Master Gardeners Club and an avid San Francisco Giants fan. His charisma and friendship in these organizations will forever be missed and remembered.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Mary Jean Steffensen.

Dennis is survived by his loving wife, Nancy Santellano Steffensen of Fresno; his children Mika Reynolds and her husband Tom of Cape Elizabeth, Maine, Robin Steffensen of Sacramento, John Hernandez of Fresno, and Michael Hernandez of Orange County. He also leaves his brother, Dwight Steffensen and his wife Arlene of Cambria. Dennis will also be missed by his best friend, his beloved dog "Bonnie."

A Celebration of Dennis' Life will be held at Sunnyside Country Club,
Saturday, November 29, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made in Dennis' honor to the Sierra
Club, 85 Second Street, Second Floor, San Francisco, CA 94104.

Tribute Wall



“ *Chapel Of The Light created a Tribute Video in memory of Dennis Alan Steffensen*



Chapel Of The Light Funeral Home and Mausoleum - November 26, 2014 at 06:52 PM



“ *Dennis Alan Steffensen*

September 15, 2022 at 09:34 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Dennis Alan Steffensen.*



November 28, 2014 at 05:59 PM



“ *I remember his smile and his devotion to everything he was working with. Visited his beautiful home and garden in 2008 with my family from Denmark - what great hospitality! Dennis will always stay in my heart. Love Britta Andersen, Denmark*

Britta Andersen - November 28, 2014 at 03:28 PM

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“ *Dear Steffensen Family,
Please accept my sincere condolences for your recent loss. I was surprised and saddened to read of Dennis' passing in today's Bee. Unfortunately, as an adult I didn't get to see or know Den as much as I would have liked and I realize the loss is mine. But growing up our families spent so much time together that I have always felt connected to both Dennis and Dwight--more like we were related. I was the youngest and Dennis, Dwight, and Arlene were all kinder and more patient with me than I probably deserved. I idolized Den and Dwight and always thought of them as the older brothers I wished I'd had. Most of my best early memories include being with the Steffensens in Yosemite and Santa Cruz, eating Chinese food on Saturday nights, or spending time at their home on Cedar Avenue in Oleander. I especially appreciate the long and close relationship our parents shared and know how important that friendship always was to both of my parents.
Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you.
Sincerely,
Robbin D. Rowe*

Robbin D. Rowe - November 28, 2014 at 02:56 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Dennis Alan Steffensen.*



November 26, 2014 at 01:03 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Dennis Alan Steffensen.*



November 26, 2014 at 12:58 PM



“ *Dear Nancy and Family,*

On behalf of the Executive Officers, Board of Directors and members of the Sunnyside Property Owners Association, we would like to express our most sincere sympathies on the passing of our beloved treasurer, Dennis Steffensen. We are grateful for all he as done for our association and our Sunnyside community. May the memories you have of Dennis console you during your time of grief. Thank you for sharing Dennis with us.

*With our deepest sympathies,
Michael J. Rabara, President
Sunnyside Property Owners Association*

Michael J Rabara - November 24, 2014 at 03:50 PM