

## Larry Nelson Dales

March 1, 1935 - November 23, 2019

Services for Larry Nelson Dales, 84, of Lawrenceburg, will be held 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Frankfort. Bishop Jens Fugal will officiate. Burial will follow in Lawrenceburg Cemetery where VFW Post #4075 will conduct military honors. Visitation will be held Tuesday 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the church.

Larry died Saturday at his home surrounded by his family. A native of East Liverpool, OH, he taught K-12 at Breckinridge Training School, and ended his career as professor at Morehead State University where he taught photojournalism, desktop publishing, mass communications and photography. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force serving as an Airmen first class. Larry was a leader of the Boy Scouts of America and member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Frankfort. He enjoyed antique cars, photography, and reading. He designed and built his own car modeled from a 1930's type vehicle. Larry was a humble man who knew "a little about everything" and loved everybody.

He was the son of the late Anna Elizabeth Ralston and Wilbert Clifford Dales. He was preceded by brothers John and Richard Dales and a sister Barbara Dales.

Survivors include his wife Doris Loraine Dales; daughter Jill Evelyn (William) Cheak; son Larry Nelson Dales, II, all of Lawrenceburg, son, Kevin Clarence (Candy) Dales, Wallingford, KY; brother, William Ralston Dales, TX; sister Martha Herrick, FL; eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be family members Kegan Clarence Dales, Connor Thomas Dales, Grayson Bailey Dales, Kevin Clarence Dales, Larry Nelson Dales, II and William Carroll Cheak. Honorary bearers will be Dr. Anthony Marano, Clarence Wiles, Bishop Jens Fugal, Darrell Blackburn, Ellie Grace Dales, Sheraden Leigh Dales, Sydney Evelyn Dales, John Dalton Lewis and Wesley Blake Lewis.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bluegrass Care Navigators. LeCompte Johnson Taylor Funeral Home is handling arrangements. You may share memories and leave condolences at [ljtfuneralhome.com](http://ljtfuneralhome.com) .

# Cemetery Details

## Lawrenceburg Cemetery

1031 Bond & Lillard Rd  
Lawrenceburg, KY 40342  
<http://www.lawrenceburgky.org/Cemetery.html>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **26**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints  
101 Bogie Lee Avenue  
Frankfort, KY 40601

## Funeral Services

NOV **27**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints  
101 Bogie Lee Avenue  
Frankfort, KY 40601

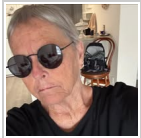
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Peter Hanrahan - July 07, 2023 at 11:23 AM



“ Larry made a home for students like me in his art room and dark room at Breck. Photography class in my senior year has stayed with me as a friend these many years since. I owe all of that to Larry. I was fortunate to work in high school administration in curriculum and managed to keep the visual arts department viable because of the enlightening work in the visual arts that Larry taught to us in our K-12 experience. He was a talented and gifted teacher.

Troy Wells - December 02, 2019 at 03:45 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Larry Nelson Dales.



November 26, 2019 at 10:21 AM

SG

“ Stephen, Susan, Hayley and Stephanie Gibson purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Larry Nelson Dales.



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**Stephen, Susan, Hayley and Stephanie Gibson** - November 26, 2019 at 08:34 AM

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**Susan Mckinney** - November 25, 2019 at 09:29 PM

FW

“ Mr. Dales was my art and photography teacher at Breck. Many fond memories there.

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**Freddy White** - November 25, 2019 at 03:51 PM

JS

“ I loved this in dear Larry's obituary:  
Larry was a humble man who knew “a little about everything” and loved everybody.  
I always enjoyed his priesthood lessons and his class participation.  
He always treated me with such brotherly kindness. I am thankful that we are friends.

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**Jim Swain** - November 25, 2019 at 02:49 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Nelson Dales.*



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November 25, 2019 at 01:48 PM



“ *Larry and family were my neighbors in faculty housing on Wilson Avenue when we moved to Morehead, KY in 1967. He was a favorite teacher of all four boys. This humble, sweet soul will be fondly remembered and sadly missed.*

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**Jeanne Osborne** - November 25, 2019 at 09:40 AM



“ *Marisa and I share our heartfelt sorrow in the passing of a great educator and man 🙏*



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**Ray & Marisa White** - November 24, 2019 at 08:37 PM

BM

“ Larry was my 12th grade homeroom and art teacher at Breckinridge Training School. He was very kind to a new girl who had just transferred from Henry Clay High School, Lexington. In art class I was very happy to have such an accomplished mentor. He also aided me in getting my senior picture in the yearbook which had been meant for Henry Clay. Then the most amazing part of my journey with Larry occurred when my daughter married Larry's son, Kevin. Many blessings have been received because of this humble man. I thank God for Larry and his family. Barbara Marsh

Barbara Marsh - November 24, 2019 at 07:50 PM

KC

Mr. Dale's was a wonderful art teacher. He had certain phrases he said to us so many times. "A little dab ul do yah" and "Draw what you see, not what you know." I teach theatre now and do my own scene painting thanks to Mr. Dale's. He was a kind man.

Katherine Janette Simon Cobb - November 25, 2019 at 02:08 PM

TD

“ Tim And Tawni Donahue lit a candle in memory of Larry Nelson Dales



Tim and Tawni Donahue - November 24, 2019 at 07:46 PM