

Raymond Horace Stewart

1850-1950 Centennial Biography

Raymond Horace Stewart was born April 19, 1905, in Lehi, Utah. As a boy he spent his vacations from school helping his father on the farm and doing construction work. During his school days he developed a very low bass voice and with the help of Abe Anderson and his wife, he enjoyed singing throughout the state. He was also a member of the Lehi Silver Band.

As the call of the Church he filled a mission. During this time, he spent seven months as a guide in the Arizona Temple prior to the dedication at which he was privileged to sing.

At the completion of his mission, he took up farming. October 10, 1928, he was married in the Salt Lake Temple to Phoebe Alice Sabey who was born October 6, 1906.

They have been blessed with six children, Paul Raymond, born March 19, 1940, who passed away in 1942; Lela, born November 17, 1933; Boyd Sabey, born August 6, 1935; Carl Loyd born October 10, 1937; Kay born March 12, 1942, and Lee Ray, born February 6, 1946.

After working in most of the organizations of the ward and stake, seven years as Ward Clerk and three years in the Bishopric, he was set apart as a High Councilman in 1944.

In 1940, he purchased the Lehi Cereal Mill. The Mill business grew to a large operation and in 1946, he organized the Stewart Lumber and Hardware which also thrived very successfully. He sold out in 1950 and at present he is engaged in constructing and building.