

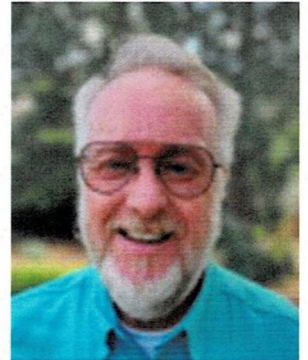


UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY

Welcome wonderful Elder Questers!

It's my pleasure and honor to represent you as your new President for the next two years. I follow several eminent leaders who grew Elder Quest into an organization that I am proud to lead today. Many thanks to all our Board members who collaborated to set such a high benchmark for our future endeavors.

It's my intention to make Elder Quest an ongoing source of hope, inspiration and learning for seniors. To accomplish this, we have added new Board members who have selflessly volunteered to help Elder Quest become a unifying force for elders in our community. Please look for our ongoing emails and Facebook posts (Elder Quest - Utah County) to keep you updated on our coming events.



**Classes begin September 12th.** For our fall semester, our Director of Education, Gwen Anderson, has curated an exciting selection of classes for members that emphasizes our 2022-2023 motto of Live, Laugh, Learn — with no homework! We encourage you to visit every class to explore the varied topics guaranteed to pique your eclectic interests. Additional information may be found on our updated Fall Calendar.

Classes, lectures and many of our events will again be available on Zoom for those 2022—2023 members who are unable to attend in person. Our Technology Director, Gerhard Ruf, and his assistants will make your learning experience easy. Prior to each semester, our Technology team will send an introductory email to all 2022—2023 members with specific Zoom links for classes, luncheons, and other events. If you are unable to attend classes in person at our Provo Recreation Center classroom and miss one or more of your classes simply contact [elderquestonline@gmail.com](mailto:elderquestonline@gmail.com) with your request for the link to the YouTube recording.

Our first luncheon will be held on **Wednesday, September 14, at noon.** At that time we will introduce you to our Fall classes and instructors. As so many members have requested, **we're now offering online registration for membership and lunches at <https://www.bit.ly/elderquest>.** When you visit that site you will find an EQ registration, classes, luncheons and a secure payment section. Please register early! UVU has generously shared a portion of their website with us and you may notice some of their classes with our section. If you have questions, contact UVU at **801-863-8012**. Yes, you may still pay for luncheons when you arrive at the UVU Culinary Arts building. Our Treasurer, Nancy Jefferies, will be ready to greet you and will happily accept your cash or check (no credit or debit cards) as payment for lunches.

As Henry Ford said, "Anyone who keeps learning stays young." This is what Elder Quest is all about so please invite your friends and relatives to join Elder Quest with you!

Wishing you all the best!

David A. Wilson  
Elder Quest President 2022—2024

## Hitchcock: The Flourishing Fifties

Monday 10:00 — 11:00

Judith and Leonard Tourney



“An Alfred Hitchcock film becomes more fascinating the more one watches other Hitchcock films; each of his works is a deep conversation with the rest.” (Edward White, “The Twelve Lives of Alfred Hitchcock”)

This semester we will continue our study of Hitchcock’s middle period as he moves into the more expansive themes and bigger budgets of American film making. We’ll examine the following blockbusters:

- ◆ Strangers on a Train
- ◆ Stage Fright
- ◆ Dial M for Murder
- ◆ Rear Window
- ◆ Vertigo
- ◆ North by Northwest
- ◆ To Catch a Thief
- ◆ I Confess



We may have time for an episode or two of the television series “Alfred Hitchcock Presents”. We promise we’ll bypass “Psycho”!

## Congo Adventures

Monday 1:00 — 2:00

Bruce Young



In this class you will learn about the recent adventures my wife and I had in one of the most beautiful countries on earth — the DR-Congo. You will also learn of the history of their wonderful people, their challenges, and their magnificent possibilities.

We taught English to adults and youth and worked with albinos who face particularly hard challenges in Africa. We attended a celebration of the International Day of Albinism at Don Bosco, in Mbuji-Mayi, where we were living. While in Mbuji-Mayi we also shot a short film (which we'll show in class) presenting an imaginative story that focuses on issues of healing and reconciliation and celebrates our love of the Congolese people.

In the capital, Kinshasa, we were judges at an international film festival and got acquainted with filmmakers from the DR-Congo and other countries. Besides seeing old friends in Kinshasa, we made new ones, including members of the Lumumba family, who carry on the heritage of Patrice Lumumba, the first Prime Minister of the independent Congo, described by Malcolm X as "the greatest black man who ever walked the African continent."

9/12 — Introduction to the DR-Congo

9/19 — Our mission: Why Mbuji-Mayi?

9/26 — Blessings, challenges, remarkable experiences

10/3 — Our work with Abbé Veron in Lodja, Mbuji-Mayi, and Kinshasa

10/10 — Don Bosco & the International Day of Albinism

10/17 — Our short film (“Special Conference”) and more adventures

10/24 — Gédéon and his experiences

10/31 — FICKIN: The International Film Festival in Kinshasa

11/7 — Patrice Lumumba (first Prime Minister of the independent Congo), his family and his legacy

11/14 — Conclusion: The DR-Congo and its future.

### *An invitation*

Come to our first Luncheon

Wednesday, 9/14 NOON

UVU Culinary Arts Institute Cafe

661 Timpanogos Pkwy, Orem

Register/pay online at

<https://www.bit.ly/elderquest> OR

RSVP (minimum 1 week prior to event):

Nancy Jefferies, Elder Quest Treasurer

(801) 822-2326 Call/Text



**Great Reads  
Monday  
2:30 — 3:30  
Judy Istook  
Ernest Istook**

We've curated a memorable selection for you this semester. You will enjoy these classes more if you read each book *before* it is discussed; but even if you don't, we believe you will appreciate the discussions.

Please come to each class prepared to share a passage, thought or insight from that week's book which you find interesting, inspiring or simply well-written. Your input will spark good discussions!

Judy will focus on books that inspire, such as Michael Wilcox' *10 Great Souls I Want to Meet in Heaven* and his *Fire in the Bones*, and *Light From Many Lamps* by Lillian Eichler Watson. Plus *The Mark of a Giant* by Ted Stewart.

Ernest will counter with lessons we should learn about the dark side, including true stories told in *Bad Blood: Secrets and Lies in a Silicon Valley Startup* by John Carreyrou, and *It's Insanity: The Bizarre Story of a Bipolar Megalomaniac's Insane Plan for Total World Domination* by Matthew B. Cox. Then to add a sci-fi touch, we'll read the story of how colonists on the Moon revolt against the Earth—by throwing rocks: Robert A. Heinlein's *The Moon Is A Harsh Mistress*. We will have a guest presenter for the class on *These Is My Words* by Nancy E. Turner.

Our last class of the semester will be titled Books That Made A Difference to You and will be led by Judy and Ernest Istook. This is for you, our class members, to tell about books that made a difference in your lives. Although we are not dismissive of books of faith and religion, this segment is intended for class members to share secular works that made a difference to you.

*Check your Elder Quest emails for additional information on the book for each class.*

**The World and I  
Thursday  
10:00 — 11:30  
Brad Daw**



This fall we will be reviewing events from around the world and discussing what that means to us. There is always plenty going on around the world to discuss. From the war in Ukraine, to momentous Supreme Court decisions to elections coming this Fall, we will explore topics in our state, our country and around the globe.

In every class I teach your input will be of great value. If there are events you would like to discuss please let me know. Our class discussions will always be a group discussion. I am looking forward to learning from you and presenting ideas I have run across.

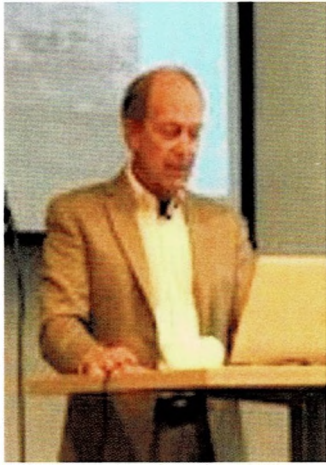
I have been a state legislator for 14 years and have served in various capacities in the Republican party. I hope my background will be of value as we tackle the issues of the day.

**Enjoying Shakespeare  
Thursday 2:30 — 3:30  
Dave Johnson**



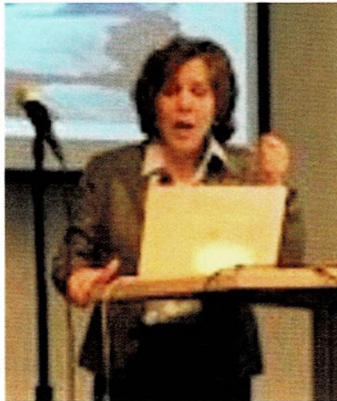
Dave will be presenting an interesting choice of plays for his 2022-2023 season.

- *A Midsummer Night's Dream* — A complex story of love, sleep, dreaming, magical potions, and mythical creatures.
- *Timon of Athens* — Reflects the power of money to create or destroy social stability. Until the last twenty years or so, few scholars gave this much attention, and it was seldom performed.
- *Coriolanus* — A Roman warrior whose disproportionate "pathological" pride plays an essential role in his heroism.
- There will be a comedy added but as to which one? It's a mystery!



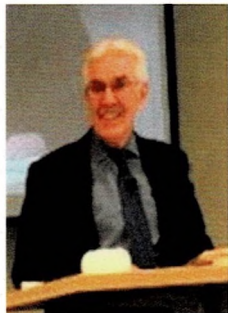
**21st Century China**  
**Tuesday 10:00 — 11:00**  
**Robert Griffiths**

Utah leads the nation in the percentage of elementary school students that are in Chinese language immersion programs, reflecting the local interest in future business and cultural interaction with China. Yet, recently the U.S. Secretary of State proclaimed that “China is the only country with both the intent to reshape the international order and, increasingly, the economic, diplomatic, military, and technological power to do it.” In our class this semester, we will seek to understand China and how changes in recent years have affected our views of the Middle Kingdom.



**Cultural Geography — Russia**  
**Tuesday 11:00 — 12:00**  
**Jeannie Griffiths**

With Russia and Ukraine constantly in the news, this turned out to be the perfect time for us to learn about Russia. We will look at the history, culture, language, religion and politics of the world’s largest country. You’ll see how Russia’s geography has greatly influenced the way it treats their neighbors, including Ukraine. The two countries have a unique bond that goes back 1300 years. And no patriotic Russian is going to forget that!



**Sam Clemens, Mark Twain,**  
**and America: America’s Most**  
**Distinctive Writer**  
**Tuesday 1:00 — 2:00**  
**Neal Lambert**

The person we know as *Mark Twain* first gained his reputation as a literary funny man and entertaining lecturer. But under the influence of his wife and daughters, his original recognition as a comedian developed into a writer who, by the genius of his own sensitivities, held up a reflection of our society that shows us not just who we are, but also, by implication, what we can and should be; not just as Americans, but as human beings.

Rather than a thorough reading of one book, we will be looking at samples from most of his major writings, beginning with his first travel books, then dip into some of his best known works (e.g. Tom Sawyer, Huckleberry Finn) and closing with some of the tragic implications of his last novels and shorter pieces.



**Music for the Ages**  
**Thursday 1:00 — 2:00**  
**Wayne Musgrave**

A wide-ranging musical montage on the life and career of Wayne Musgrave, composer, songwriter, master black belt in three styles, & musician extraordinaire.



Wayne will entertain and educate you through the use of multiple musical genres, spiced up with creative stories about his life in the music industry, as well as his use of music therapy with seniors and IHC Behavioral Medicine and Sciences Department. Prepare to be amazed! Wayne’s videos on Facebook at Elder Quest— Utah County!





**The Wit and Wisdom of Will—  
Rogers, not Shakespeare!  
Tuesday 2:30 — 3:30  
Nancy Allen**

Why Will Rogers? Why not!

A remarkable man, he was a comic, an entertainer, a roper, a sage, a writer, a Cherokee/cowboy mix from Indian Territory. Through his words and video clips we will get to know Will and what made him the beloved voice of the people of this country during the turbulent twenties and thirties.

His father, disappointed by Will's career in show business, said it was obvious he would never amount to anything. Will became the highest paid entertainer on Broadway, the number one leading man in Hollywood despite knowing his acting limitations, a sought after speaker, a best-selling author, had daily and weekly New York Times' columns and with a national syndicate, produced weekly radio broadcasts, and was known and loved by all Americans from farmers to presidents. With his downhome drawl and slow grin he spoke profound wisdom couched in humor that will never get old.

**Hollywood Calls** "I hold the distinction of being the ugliest man in pictures."

**Friends Everywhere** "I never met a man I didn't like."

**Politics in the USA** "I don't make jokes, I just watch the Government and report the facts and I have never found it necessary to exaggerate."

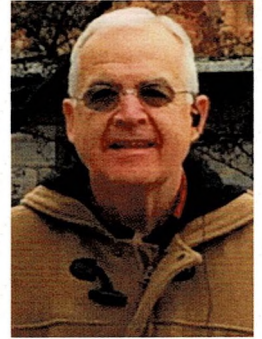
**Ambassador of Good Will** "Diplomats are as essential to starting a war as Soldiers are for finishing it."

**Voice of the People** "Well, all I know is what I read in the papers."

**On Death: Including Will's** "If you live life right, death is a joke to you, so far as fear is concerned."

**Timeless Truths: Will Rogers today!** "What little humor I've got always pertains to now."

**Cases & Legal Issues  
Of Relevance Part II  
Wednesday 10:00 — 11:00  
Alex Ludlow**



If you enjoyed fictionalized legal television dramas such as Suits, Better Call Saul, Boston Legal, How to Get Away With Murder, Perry Mason, The Good Wife, etc. you will enjoy our Elder Quest version of reality law. It's not romanticized fiction but gritty real-life.

This Fall's class is a continuation of our very popular Spring semester class. You will become familiar with many additional legal issues and how they relate to us all. Alex Ludlow understands the reality of laws, their intended effects and the unintended consequences on all of us.

Whether historical or contemporary, the law has in the past, and continues in the present, to explore and examine issues which are important to us as individuals, and collectively as a community and nation.

In this course, we will study and discuss some of the cases and issues which have shaped our society as well as those with which we grapple today. Alexander Ludlow graduated from the J. Reuben Clark Law School at BYU. Following graduation, he was commissioned as a JAG officer in the US Navy. After active duty and Reserve service, he retired as a Commander. He practiced law in Southeastern Connecticut and served as an adjunct faculty member teaching Business Law. After returning to Utah Valley, he became a prosecutor for the Utah County Attorney's Office.

"Law is an imperfect profession in which success can rarely be achieved without some sacrifice of principle. Thus all practicing lawyers — and most others in the profession — will necessarily be imperfect, especially in the eyes of young idealists. There is no perfect justice, just as there is no absolute in ethics. But there is perfect injustice, and we know it when we see it." — Alan Dershowitz



Joan Hahn

## Something for Everyone!!!

### Elder Quest's Extended Trips for 2022

"The World Is a Book and Those Who Do Not Travel Read Only One Page" St. Augustine



### November 8-12, 2022 Christmas in Branson, MO

So far we have about 20 people traveling with us and we are all excited to see 5-7 shows, 5 shows if you include an Afternoon & Evening at Silver Dollar City with record-breaking coasters and festival entertainment at the 1880's Ozark Theme Park, experiencing the shows, attractions, cave, Christmas Parade and over 1.5 million twinkling lights. Seven shows if you do not do this.

The price includes your flight, parking in Orem and transportation to the airport, 7 shows, hotel, 2 meals a day, Scenic Train Ride into Arkansas, guided tour of the Branson Area, and Gratuity for Motorcoach Driver. You must sign up by **Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>** by calling **Travel Passport 801-423-1081**.

Prices vary starting at \$1,599.00 per person.

We are looking at another cruise overseas, if we can get a stellar price on one, perhaps the Danube River this time. Stay tuned for more information and more travel experiences!

‘The groups that travel together, stay together for years. Friendships are formed & lives enriched & changed.’

For more information and prices, please go to: **bucketlisttrips.citymax.com**, or call Joan or Carla, Travel Passport, 800-677-4750 or 801-423-1081. We will also be happy to email or snail mail flyers on any trips you wish to look at more closely. Both Joan & Carla will be traveling with you on all these trips. We promise fun, informative times with a lot of laughter and joyous remembrances.



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### Potpourri Lecture Series 11:30 — 12:30














- September 21 — Claire Field Peterson — Demise Desires
- October 5 — Dr Randall Kelly — Oddities in the ER
- October 19 — Deon Ruf — Lemons to Lemonade
- November 2 — Pat Schneiter — They Gave Us Golden Moments
- November 16 — Lawrence Blonquist — Classical Music





# UVU ELDER QUEST

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
<p><b>10:00 — 11:30</b>  <b>ALFRED HITCHCOCK</b>            Judith/Leonard Tourney</p> 	<p><b>10:00 — 11:00</b>  <b>CHINA</b>            Robert Griffiths</p>  <p><b>11:00 — 12:00</b>  <b>RUSSIA</b>            Jeannie Griffiths</p>	<p><b>10:00 — 11:00</b>  <b>CASE LAW</b>            Alex Ludlow</p>  <p><b>11:30—12:30</b>            Due to popular demand our Potpourri Lecture Series has expanded to the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.</p> <p>Sept 21            Oct 5            Oct 19            Nov 2            Nov 16</p> 	<p><b>let's do lunch</b></p> <p><b>12 NOON</b>            Sept. 14            Oct. 12            Nov. 9            Dec 14</p> <p>UVU Culinary Arts Building            Canyon Park Center            661 Timpanogos Pkwy, Orem</p> <p>Sign up online for classes and luncheons. Questions? Call UVU. 801-863-8012</p> <p>OR            Minimum of 1 week prior to luncheon RSVP:            Nancy Jefferies            Cell /Text (801) 822-2326            njefferies7@gmail.com</p>	<p><b>10:00 — 11:30</b>  <b>The World &amp; I</b>            Brad Daw</p>  <p><b>1:00 — 2:00</b>  <b>MUSIC FOR THE AGES</b>            Wayne Musgrave</p>  <p><b>2:30 — 3:30</b>  <b>ENJOYING SHAKESPEARE</b>            Dave Johnson</p> 	 <p><b>2:00</b>  <b>FRIDAY FLICKS MOVIES</b>  <b>Open to all!</b>  <b>Not restricted to membership or semesters.</b>            Grace Berrett            Orem Library Media Room (TBA)</p> 
<p><b>1:00—2:00</b>  <b>CONGO ADVENTURES</b>            Bruce Young</p> 	<p><b>1:00 — 2:00</b>  <b>MARK TWAIN</b>            Neal Lambert</p> 				
<p><b>2:30—3:30</b>  <b>GREAT READS</b>            Judy/Ernest Istook</p> 	<p><b>2:30 — 3:30</b>  <b>WILL ROGERS</b>            Nancy Allen</p> 				

FALL CLASS CALENDAR 9/12/22 — 11/17/22

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Contact us today for more information on how you can join classes in person or via Zoom!  
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