

Norman L. Butler, Jr.

In 1955, Norman L. Butler, Jr. was born in Cortez, CO to Norman and Lorna Butler. He grew up on the family farm on Summit Ridge with his two sisters, in the house he still resides in. His father farmed and worked for several of the local sawmills. Norman Jr. attended schools in Cortez and Dolores, graduating from Dolores High. When not at school, he was working on the farm.

From 1974 to 1992, Norman Jr. worked for Ponderosa Timber, as saw filer and millwright. During that time, he married and started a family with three children. In 1993, he started up his own business, Lone Cone Lumber, manufacturing house log kits. Farming was still a huge part of his life and hours not spent working with lumber were spent working the farm. Because of the recession and the decline, Norman Jr. took the position of millwright at Aspen Wallwood, in 2004. Currently, he holds the position as millwright and mechanic for Aspen Wallwood, as well as Aspen Wood Products.

Norman Jr. is a member of the Cortez SDA church and has been the school board chairman for Cortez Adventist Christian School for over 24 years. He has been on the Summit Reservoir and Irrigation Company board for more than 28 years and for fifteen years he has served as president.

Norman Jr. is currently serving on the EEA Board and would appreciate your continued support.