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As a life-long active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Stephen served in that organization as a ward clerk, in a district presidency (Maracaibo, Venezuela),

president of a Seventies quorum, in 3 Elders quorum presidencies, and in numerous other positions.

Stephen's wife Elizabeth, his parents, a brother (John K. Wood), and 2 sisters (Zella W. Thatcher and Virginia Wood) preceded him in death. His survivors include 2 sisters (Patricia W. Nielson and Maxine W. Campbell), 3 children (Katherine Wood Brown, John G. Wood, and Marian Wood Pickerd), 12 grandchildren, and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Provo, Utah, and interment was at the City Cemetery, Logan,

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