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My great grandpa Herb

This is my great grandpa's story. His name is Herbert Henry Nakken He was born in Salt Lake City UTAH november 27, 1933. His nickname is red because when he did running he was so fast his coach called him red. Herbert is the youngest child out of 2 kids him and his older brother John. When he was a kid he had a pet goat and squirrel.

Me and herbert both play sports and are very athletic and fast. His dad didn't know he was on the high school football team until he read about him in the newspaper. He played on the varsity team as a sophomore. He played at the "U" and signed for the LA Rams. When he played football he was so fast knowone could catch him or tackle him. Then he was the owner of Parkway Montor in Cedar City UTAH.

I have never met Herbert but my mom has he was sick the last 10 years of his life and when he was diagnosed with COPD he had to be on oxygen. He couldn't do the things he loves like fishing, working, and being outdoors. But he learned what really mattered was his family and his love for Jesus. He was always interested in how we were doing and wanted to know all about our sports and anything we were doing. He loved to say the prewer

when we would go over for dinner. They were the longest perwers
ever but it was because he was so thankful for his family and
everything he had. He died august 7, 2005. I love my grandpa so
so much. He is the most greatest person I know. Even Though I
have never met him I know that I will see him again some day.