

Deputy Dutson is a valued and professional member of the Utah County Sheriff's Office. He has been with the County for over 11 years. He personifies hard work, professionalism, and integrity. He is highly respected by peers and other law enforcement agencies and citizens alike.

Garrett is one of those people who has a "can do" and "will do" attitude. He brings unmatched pride and integrity to the job and he treats people with the utmost respect, regardless of the situation he encounters them in.

Due to the efforts of Deputy Dutson, many people have a greater trust for law enforcement, in this day and age that is becoming increasingly rare. Garrett is currently the school resource officer for all 8 elementary schools in the Eagle Mountain Area. He teaches the NOVA program to all 6th graders – 24 classes, 800 students, spending 14 weeks in each class. This program was put together to teach children life skills that will prepare them to be good citizens of the community. He has spent countless hours on this program. The 6th grade students adore Deputy Dutson, and many have shared that his lessons have been both memorable and life changing. He also works to mentor troubled youth and helping the school's staff with students who have been labeled "problem children". There have been many times when the school has been unable to handle a certain child, and Deputy Dutson works his "magic" and calms the situation.

Garrett believes that by being an active part of the Eagle Mountain Community it helps to bridge the gap between the community and law enforcement. Garrett helps to organize many community events because he believes that crime can be decreased by proactive community policing, and more interaction with the community.

Garrett and his wife have chosen to live life happy and serve others. They are remarkable together allowing each other to affect many lives around them for the positive. Garrett cares about his coworkers and works tirelessly to raise the bar. He brings positive ideas and changes to help his coworkers achieve their goals, and better serve the citizens of Utah County.

We are all proud to nominate Deputy Garrett Dutson as Employee of the Month!

Eagle Mountain Team

Chief McDowell, Sergeant Daniel Thomas, & The Eagle Mountain Team

Lieutenant Eldon Packer – Judicial

Lieutenant Tom Hodgson - Patrol