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and days of auld lang syne?
For auld lang syne, my dear,
for auld lang syne,
we'll take a cup of kindness yet,
for auld lang syne.*

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Should auld acquaintance be forgot
and days of auld lang syne?
And here's a hand, my trusty friend,
and gie's a hand o' thine.
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[Marlin Jacob Young \(1947-2008\)](#)



**Deanne Marie Adkinson Anthis
(1947-1986)**

Deanne Adkinson Anthis, 39, formerly of Bellingham, died Monday, April 21, 1986, in Kennewick. She was a graduate of Bellingham High School and attended Western Washington University. She enjoyed square dancing and was also a round dance caller. She was known for her skill in needlework.

Survivors include a daughter, Meghan Powell of the family home in Kennewick; her parents, Dean and Peggy Adkinson of Bellingham; a sister, Cheryl Adkinson of Minneapolis; and grandmother Myrtle Campbell of Bellingham. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Woodlawn Cemetery, with the Rev. Don McClellan officiating. Arrangements are by Jerns & LeVeck Funeral Chapel.



**Virginia Dee Alexander Ross
(1946-1998)**

A graveside service for Virginia Dee Ross, lifelong Bellingham resident, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Greenacres Memorial Park. Mrs. Ross died at home Friday, January 30, 1998. She was 51. Born September 21, 1946, to Emery and Shirley Case Alexander in Bellingham, she was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School. A member of Garden Street Methodist Church and Moose Lodge No. 493, Mrs. Ross enjoyed needlepoint, crocheting, sightseeing and picnics.

She was preceded in death by son Raymond Ross in 1966, granddaughter Nicole Ross in 1994 and her father in 1993. Survivors include her husband, Raymond, sons Allen Ross and Brian Ross, her mother, stepfather Paul Richardson, sister Alys Morgan and brother Lyle Alexander.

Memorials may be made to Mount Baker Kidney Center. Arrangements are by Westford Funeral Home.



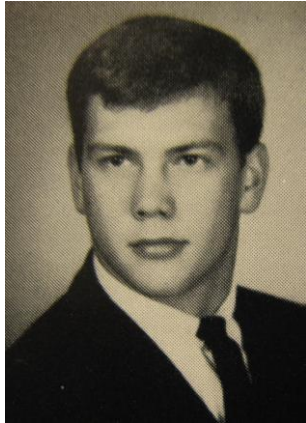
**Marci Yves Baunach Evans
(1947-2011)**

Marci Yves Evans was born on September 20, 1947, in Port Angeles to Maudie and Duncan McKiernan. She passed away at Providence Hospital (Anchorage) on July 15, 2011, far too soon.

Marci spent most of her school years in Bellingham and graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. She married Bill Evans in 1966. Marci worked at the National Bank of Commerce in Seattle for many years before utilizing her artistic talent by changing vocations and working in design centers. Marci moved to Anchorage in May 1984 and worked for years at J & D Interiors. At the time of her death, she was working at SBS Design Center.

Marci was active in her community and served on the board for Music Machine where she became Auntie Marci to the children. For years, she was a member of the Fur Rendezvous board and was involved with the native arts and craft fair. Marci is survived by her father, Duncan McKiernan; her brother, Jay Baunach (Anne), her niece Jaymie, her nephew, Jonathan, and many close friends in Anchorage and

Seattle that were her extended family. She was pre-deceased by her mother and step-father, Maudie and Joseph Baunach. A celebration of Marci's life was held at Kinkaid Park (Anchorage) on July 28 where guests wore purple in her honor. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Music Machine (Anchorage).



**Robert Donald Bell
(1947-2000)**

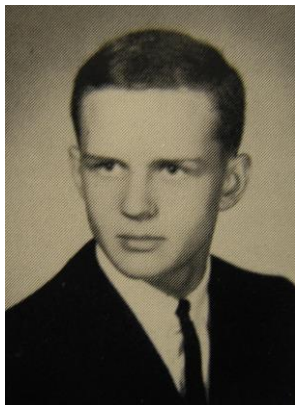
At his request, there will be no services for Robert Donald Bell of Ketchikan, Alaska, formerly of Bellingham. Mr. Bell died of heart failure Monday, March 27, 2000, at his home. He was 53. Born February 23, 1947, to Donald and Irene Bell in Bellingham, he was a Bellingham resident until 1976. Mr. Bell graduated from Bellingham High School and attended Western Washington University for four years. Mr. Bell served as an officer in the U. S. Army from 1968 to 1971. He retired from Ketchikan Pulp Mill. He enjoyed playing handball.

His father died previously. Survivors include daughter Erin Singstad of Ketchikan; mother of Blaine; brothers Jim Bell of Bellingham and Gary Bell of Anchorage, Alaska; sister Diana Rasmusson of Bellingham; four grandchildren; and six nieces and nephews. Arrangements are by Ketchikan Mortuary of Ketchikan.



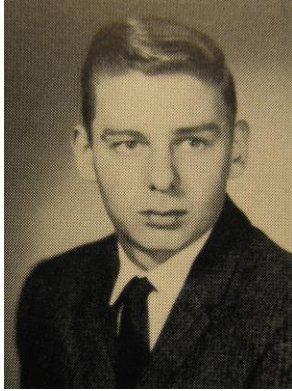
**Merril Dean "Rusty" Blackman
(1947-1974)**

Merril Dean "Rusty" Blackman, age 26, of 2838 Nevada Street, passed away in Anchorage, Alaska. A 20-year resident of this city, Mr. Blackman was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School and served with the U.S. Air Force in Vietnam for 4 years. He was a fireman for the Alaska Railroad. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blackman of Bellingham; one son, David Russell of Spokane; 4 sisters, Mrs. Donna Jo Melland, City; Mrs. Patricia C. Alaniz, San Jose, California, Miss Sheila Mae Blackman, Seattle, Miss Jacque Lynn Blackman, St. Paul, Minnesota; 1 brother, Clemence M. Blackman, City; his grandmother, Mrs. Bess Blackman, El Paso, Texas; grandfather, Olaf Thoreson, Port Orchard, Washington. Memorial services will be conducted by Rev. Donald Clinton, Saturday, October 26, 1974, at 3:30 p.m. at the Jones Funeral Home.



**Gary Alan Boe
(1947-2008)**

January 18, 1947 - December 24, 2008 Au revoir to the best boy. Gary leaves behind his wife Romaine Zanchi of Seattle and sister Marilyn Boe of Everett. Thank you for sharing your final merit. At Gary's request, there will be no service.



**Thomas William Bolin
(1947-1965)**

Thomas William Bolin, 18, of 3600 Meridian, passed away Friday, September 24, 1965. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Bolin; a sister, Miss Christie Bolin; two brothers, John and Jeff Bolin; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Lingbloom; uncles and aunts. Services by Rev. C. Theodore Hegg Monday, September 27, at 1:00 p.m. at Jones Funeral Home. Interment Greenacres.

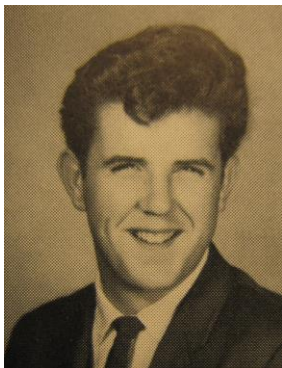


**Anton Thomas Bornstein
(1945-1967)**

Spec. 4 Anton Thomas (Andy) Bornstein, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myer A. Bornstein, 700 Forest Street, has been killed in Vietnam, the family has been notified. He died Friday (May 19, 1967) from grenade fragments while on combat duty in the Central Highlands of Vietnam. He was a member of Company A, 5th Battalion of the 1st Cavalry and had been in Vietnam approximately three weeks.

Specialist Bornstein was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School. He had been in the army since February of 1966.

Besides his parents, surviving relatives are four sisters, Mrs. Joanne Kurtz of Bellingham, Mrs. Janice Stuhr of Yakima, Mrs. Myrna Key of Sacramento, California, and Mrs. Judy Rodriguez of Thermal, California, a brother, Jay of Bellingham; uncles Henry, Charles and Maurice Bornstein, all of Bellingham, and Milton Bornstein of San Francisco; and an aunt, Mrs. Bertha Odell of Bellingham.



**Thomas A. Buatte
(1947-1996)**

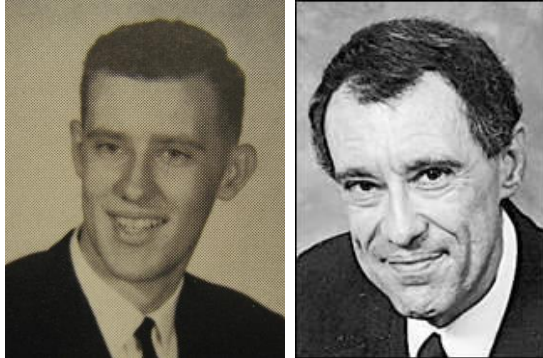
Visitation for Tom Buatte, formerly of Whatcom County, will be from 1 to 9 p.m. Friday at Gillies Funeral Home. A funeral will be at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Greenacres Funeral Home with the Rev. Carl Crouse officiating. Private burial will be in Greenacres Memorial Park.

Mr. Buatte died Sunday, November 24, 1996, in Beaverton, Oregon. He was 49. Born September 5, 1947, in Jacksonville, Texas, he grew up in Whatcom County, graduating from Bellingham High School in 1965. Mr. Buatte worked for many years at what is now Safe-Lite Auto Glass in Bellingham. He moved to the Portland, Oregon, area in April, where he was shop manager for Action Auto Glass. His hobbies included working on and riding motorcycles and restoring old cars. He was a member of the Patriots Motorcycle Club of Bellingham.

Survivors include son Chad Buatte-Wilson of Bellingham; his mother, Billie Janitscheck, and her husband, Ernie, of Bellingham; his father, Ed Buatte of Bellingham; sister Cindy DeMuth of Bellingham; companion Sandi Gudmundson and her daughter, Jessie, of Aloha, Oregon; former wife Donna Buatte of Bellingham

and her children Danell Pederson and Darcy Stremler, both of Whatcom County; six grandchildren; and numerous other relatives.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association, 4414 Woodland Park Avenue North, Seattle, Washington, 98103, or to a favorite charity. Arrangements are by Gillies Funeral Home.



**John Roger Cederlind
(1947-2005)**

John Roger Cederlind passed away at Swedish Hospital in Seattle on June 7, 2005, due to complications of polycystic kidney and liver disease. He was 57. "Roger," as he was known in Bellingham, was the eldest son of longtime residents Dr. and Mrs. Irvin Cederlind. His mother Dorothy passed away last year of similar complications from the same disease.

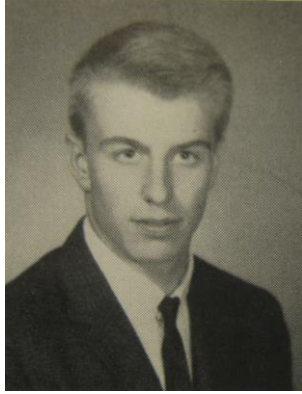
John was born in Portland, Oregon on August 30, 1947. When in first grade there were five Johns, he went by his middle name, Roger. At age 8, the Cederlinds moved to Bellingham in June 1956. Here, he attended Bellingham High School, graduating in 1965. During high school, Roger was active in the Chuckanut chapter of Demolay, where he held the position of Senior Councilor.

After high school, Roger attended Lewis and Clark College in Portland, receiving a BS in History in 1969. During this time, he switched from Roger back to his first name, John, by which he was mostly known outside of the family for the rest of his life. After a few jobs, John returned to school, attending Portland State University where he received two degrees: first, a BS with honors in Accounting in 1976 and, second, a Masters in Business Administration with emphasis on finance in 1983. In 1987, while working as a Controller for Troy's Seafood Markets, John received a job offer in Seattle from Holland America, the cruise ship line, which he accepted. Meanwhile, his kidney disease progressed to the point where he had to go on dialysis briefly in 1989 before receiving a kidney transplant.

John continued to work for Holland America until 1998 when he retired - due to the stress of his compromised health - as Controller of International Payroll Systems. During his time at Holland America, John became a Certified Public Accountant in May 1993 and a Certified Management Accountant in November 1993. Since 2000, John worked for H&R Block until he was hospitalized due to infection this past February. He had been on the list for a liver transplant for three years.

Among his affiliations, John was a member of the Washington Society for Certified Accountants, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Institute of Management Accountants. John liked music, going on sea cruises with his wife Diane and studying history. He also enjoyed gardening, theater and his dog, Murphy.

John Roger is survived by his wife Diane (Wetta), his dad Dr. Irvin Cederlind, now of Sacramento, and his brothers - Jim of Seattle, Gary (wife Cathy, children Ben and Tara) of Sacramento and Tom of Portland. A private family funeral was held with interment at Evergreen-Washelli in Seattle on June 12. Donations may be made in his name to the Northwest Kidney Centers Foundation, P.O. Box 3035, Seattle, WA 98114.



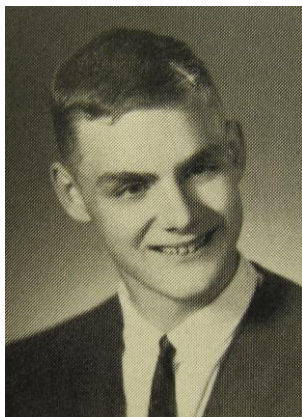
**Gary Allen Crocker
(1947-2002)**

Gary A. Crocker passed away, April 26, 2002, in Colville, Washington, at the age of 55. Gary was born January 20, 1947, in Bellingham, Washington, the son of Roger and Kathryn (Washburn) Crocker.

He attended school and graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He then attended Yakima Junior College on a baseball scholarship, and was scouted by the New York Yankees. In 1966, he joined the National Guard. After guard training he began a plumbing apprenticeship with Local #40 in Bellingham, working there for over nine years. On June 20, 1970, he married Ginny Adams; they moved to Orient, Washington, in 1975 to work on her father's farm. He worked a short time for CBC in Colville before starting Crocker Plumbing in 1977. On July 11, 1992, he married Michele Donovan. Gary was an avid baseball player and fan. He enjoyed restoring his 100-year-old home in Colville. He was always a warm and pleasant person who enjoyed helping his family and friends. He will be greatly missed by all.

Gary is survived by: wife, Michele Crocker, Colville, Washington; three daughters, Amy Haghghi and husband, Dan, Longview, Washington, Jessica Crocker, Port Townsend, Washington, Melissa Crocker, Seattle, Washington; one son, Andy Crocker and wife, Heather, Portland, Oregon; two step sons, Gahan Mullen and wife, Shelley, Palouse, Washington, Jaret Mullen and fiancée, Lindsay Towery, Spokane, Washington; mother, Kay Crocker, Bellingham, Washington; two brothers, David Crocker and wife, Connie, Bellingham, Washington, Rob Crocker and wife, Sandy Bennett, Bellingham, Washington; ex-wife, Ginny Adams, Port Townsend, Washington. He was preceded in death by his father, Roger Crocker.

Rosary services for Gary will be held 7:00pm, Tuesday, April 30, 2002, at Colville Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. Funeral mass will be held 11:00 am on Wednesday, May 1, 2002, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. Reverend Robert McNeese will officiate. Memorial contributions may be made to Mount Carmel Hospital. There will be a Remembrance Gathering between 2:00 pm and 6:00pm, Sunday, May 5, 2002, at the Dave and Connie Crocker residence, 1010 Coronado Ave., Bellingham, Washington, for all who would like to share their memories of Gary. Danekas Funeral Chapel and Crematory, 155 W. First, Colville, Washington, in charge of services and cremation.

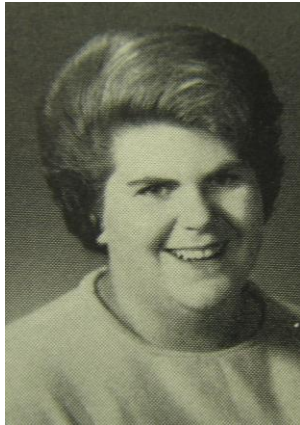


**Gary Russell Cronkhite
(1947-2008)**

Gary Russell Cronkhite passed away November 5, 2008. He was born November 15, 1947, in Bellingham, Washington, to Russell and Wilma Cronkhite. He grew up in Bellingham and was graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. Upon graduation, Gary joined the army and was sent to Fort Devens Army Security Agency Training Center in Massachusetts and then to Fort Dix in New Jersey. He was assigned to a field station in Asmara, Eritrea, as a field specialist and served there during the Vietnam War. After discharge from the army, Gary did his undergraduate work in Washington and Oregon and obtained his MBA at Portland State University. He worked for Xerox, traveling extensively all over the United States providing technical support to their operations. In his last years, he managed gambling casinos

in Washington State.

Gary was pre-deceased by his parents and his brother Greg. He leaves to survive his children Michael, Alexis and Jeffery and his brother Kent Cronkhite.



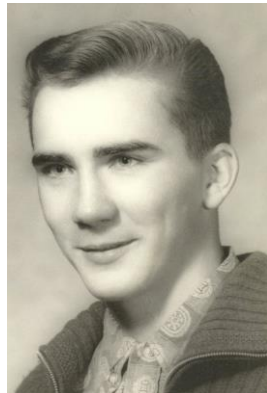
**Vicki Ann Cronkhite
(1947-2000)**

A memorial service for Vicki Ann Cronkhite of Bellingham will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Assembly of God Church in Ferndale. Miss Cronkhite died Monday, December 18, 2000, at St. Joseph Hospital. She was 53.

Born February 20, 1947, to Philip and Phyllis Cronkhite in Everett, she moved to Bellingham when she was 1 year old and lived here the rest of her life. Miss Cronkhite worked as a cosmetologist for 30 years and most recently operated her own station at Hair Panache. Miss Cronkhite was an active member of Assembly of God Church of Ferndale and was a born-again Christian.

Her father died previously. Survivors include her mother and sister Cyndy Cronkhite, both of Cambridgeshire, England; brother Steve Cronkhite of Bellingham; three nieces; and four great-nieces.

Memorials may be made to either Assembly of God Church, 2290 Main Street, Ferndale, Washington, 98248, or the Firs Bible and Missionary Conference, 4605 Cable Street, Bellingham, Washington, 98226. Arrangements are by Westford Funeral Home.



**Blaine G. Dancer
(1947-2011)**

February 1, 1947 - April 27, 2011

Birthplace: Jamestown, North Dakota

Resided in: Bellingham, Washington

Blaine G. Dancer, age 64, passed away from heart surgery complications on

Wednesday, April 27, 2011, at St. Joseph Hospital with his family by his side. The eldest of four children he was born on February 1, 1947, to Conrad and Lela (Sommerfeld) Dancer in Jamestown, North Dakota. He was preceded in death by his parents and wife Sally (Groom).

The family lived in towns across Montana and Eastern Washington before settling in Bellingham. Blaine graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He attended Western Washington University for a short time then went to work for Georgia-Pacific as an operator in the tissue mill. Blaine had many challenges in his struggle to overcome his addictions, but he was able to work his way through them and became a better person. Along the way he reached out to others and was able to help many people achieve their own personal goal of sobriety. He had learned things the hard way and was able to convey to others that he understood; but by combining compassion, support and the importance for everyone to take personal responsibility for their situation he helped them find a better life in recovery. He would have celebrated 10 years of sobriety on May 20, 2011. At the time of his death he was working at a job that he believed in and excelled at. He was an adult protective custody specialist for Detox at St. Joseph Hospital. When he was not at work, helping friends or at a meeting, he loved to write poetry, read, watch drag racing and spend time playing with his dog.

Blaine is survived by three aunts, Eldina Hehn, Phyllis Ibes, both of Jamestown, ND, and Carol (Grant) Baker, of LaMoure, ND; honorary brother, Richard Murray; and three sisters, Cynthia Dancer (Jack) Copeland, Kathy (Dale) Nymeyer, and Tracy (Mike) Wetsch, all of Bellingham. He had four nieces; Jennifer (Michael) Gerbert, Lela Copeland, Jenna and Kari Nymeyer; and a great niece and nephew,

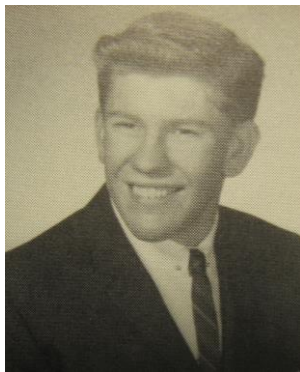
Evelynn and Matthew Gerbert. We are so grateful for the outpouring of love and support through this difficult time. The family also wishes to thank St. Joseph Hospital and the dedicated, compassionate and highly trained nurses, staff and teams of doctors that fought so hard for Blaine. It was a hard fight but none of them ever gave up. In lieu of flowers please make a contribution to the American Heart Association, American Diabetes Association, or your favorite charity. A memorial service is planned later in the month to coincide with his sobriety 'birthday' celebration. Arranged by Moles Family Funeral Homes & Crematory



**Sandra Jean Daughters
(1947-2012)**

Sandy Daughters, age 64 of Bellingham, passed away January 7, 2012. She was born July 1, 1947, in Seattle to Larry and Ruth Daughters. The family subsequently moved to Bellingham and Sandy graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. She moved back to Seattle to attend college and later worked at KOMO and KVI radio stations in their traffic division. Years later she moved to the nice weather in Mesa, Arizona, and continued in the radio business. She relocated back to Bellingham in 1997 to be near her family. In her early years she enjoyed camping, swimming, snow skiing and loved her dogs. More recently, she really enjoyed her weekly outing with her sisters to Starbucks and then out for lunch. She was preceded in death by her mother

Ruth in 1979 and her husband Raymond Soloman in 1994. She is survived by her father Larry Daughters (wife Anne) of Sun City, Arizona, brother Terry Daughters (wife Joeen), sisters Lori Bartleson (husband John) and Debi Cory (husband Jeff), and many loving relatives and friends. She will rest in peace at Evergreen-Washelli in Seattle after a family gathering. The family wishes to thank the staff at Alderwood Park Convalescent Home for all of their compassionate care and assistance they gave Sandy over the last two years.



**Stephen Scott Davis
(1947-2003)**

On May 14, 2003, Stephen Scott Davis was called home by His Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. He was born to Vince and Phyllis (Earnest) Davis in Anacortes, Washington, on March 15, 1947.

He lived his early life in Portland, Oregon, and moved to Bellingham in 1952. Stephen graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and from Whitworth College in Spokane, Washington, in 1969. He married

Jennifer Tanguy on June 20, 1971, and was a loving and devoted husband. They had a beautiful marriage and Stephen could always tell you how many months they had been married (382). Stephen graduated from Western Conservative Baptist Seminary in Portland, Oregon, in 1978 and was ordained as a pastor at First Baptist Church in Lodi, California. He also served in churches in Washington, Idaho, and Nebraska. For the past nine years, he worked at Ferndale Drug and served in volunteer ministries at his local church. He was a good and faithful servant to the Lord and was a kind and caring person. Stephen especially enjoyed helping other people. He was an active member of the Christ the King Community Church in Bellingham and had great pleasure and joy working with children in the AWANA program and serving as a lay shepherd there. His prayers were especially meaningful and you were always aware that he knew to Whom he was talking.

Stephen is survived by his dear and loving wife Jennifer who was his helpmate for nearly 32 years; daughter Stephenie of Ferndale; son Geoffery and wife Michelle of Roswell, Georgia; three grandchildren Bailey, Riley and Cooper of Roswell, Georgia; parents Vince and Phyllis Davis of Bellingham; parents-in-law Walter and Priscilla Tanguy of Bellingham; two brothers Vincent Davis, Jr. of Milwaukee, Oregon, and

Craig and wife Kris Davis of Oregon City, Oregon; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

The family would like to thank Christ the King Community Church for your immeasurable support and prayers and would also like to thank Hospice, who, with their great care allowed us to have Stephen at home surrounded by his family when the Lord called him home. The family suggests memorials be given to Christ the King Community Church, 4173 Meridian St., Bellingham, Washington 98226 or Whatcom County Hospice, 800 E. Chestnut St., Ste. 1-C, Bellingham, Washington 98225. A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2003 at 12:00 p.m. at Christ the King Community Church.



**Barbara Jean Dow Thompson
(1947-1988)**

Haskell Corporation employee Barbara J. Thompson, 41, of 1300 W. Axton Road, Ferndale, died Sunday, October 30, 1988, in a Seattle hospital. She was born January 18, 1947, in Bellingham, and was a lifetime resident of Whatcom County. Mrs. Thompson worked for the Haskell Corporation for 17 years.

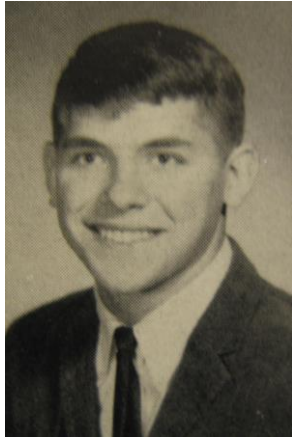
Survivors include her husband, Einar Thompson, and a son, Ted Thompson, both of the family home; parents, Carleton "Dutch" and Vivian Dow of Bellingham; a sister, Wanda Boyd of Bellingham; a brother, Gordon Thompson of Deming; and numerous other relatives.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the New Life Fellowship Church, 810 E. Pole Road, with the Rev. Ronald Slater officiating. Burial will be in Greenacres Memorial Park. Memorials may be made to the Northwest Kidney Foundation, P.O. Box 3000, Seattle, Washington, 98114. Arrangements are by Moles Funeral Home.



**Larry Maxwell Ezell
(1947-1988)**

Larry Ezell of Vancouver passed away in hospital Friday, September 16, 1988. Born July 19, 1947, in Bellingham, Larry is a graduate of the Bellingham High School and a veteran of the Viet Nam War. He is survived by his loving family: mother, Dorothy Sterloff of South Burnaby, B.C.; a sister, Sharon Richardson & husband Tom of Bellingham; also nieces Lori and Janel, also of Bellingham. He will be dearly missed by many relatives and friends. Private family service will be held Thursday, September 22, in Greenacres memorial Park Chapel, Bellingham. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Cancer Society would be gratefully appreciated. Arrangements made through Baywood Memorial Services, Ltd.



**Richard Charles Fackler
(1947-2009)**

Richard Charles Fackler, born in Bellingham on June 20, 1947, passed away unexpectedly Saturday May 23 at age 61 while traveling in Argentina with his wife Roslyn Siegel. Rick graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He attended Linfield College on scholarship for two years, and received a degree in Geology from Western Washington University in 1969.

Rick was a lifelong advocate for parks and trails, and for open space preservation. He spent most of his career as a park planner, acquiring open space lands and building trails in Whatcom and Kitsap counties and the City of Bellingham. One of Rick's strengths was as a mediator. He was sensitive and tactful, and could appreciate the value of both sides of any issue. Using these talents, he repeatedly persuaded people and organizations with disparate interests to come to agreement for the common good. While at Whatcom County Parks, Rick was instrumental in preparing long range plans. He coordinated the award-winning "Nooksack River Plan," which included the entire flood plain for the Nooksack River and its tributaries. The plan was a year-long effort with all local, state and federal agency participation. He was in charge of the county parks Comprehensive Park and Open Space Plan. As a result, the county parks received the highest per capita matching grants in the State of Washington. He spent many months in the field coordinating and physically constructing trails throughout Whatcom County, including Pine and Cedar Lakes. His love for the outdoors and the preservation of our environment was always the guide to his work. Rick's tenure with the City of Bellingham allowed him to continue his environmental dedication.

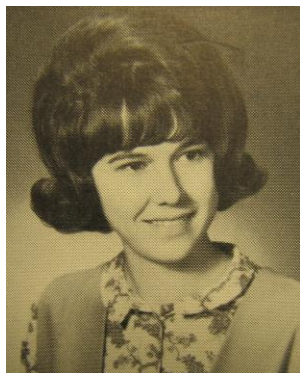
As a long range planner, he was one of the first persons to promote a neighborhood approach to updating the city's comprehensive plan, dividing the city into 21 neighborhoods, allowing full participation of the city's residents. A record 3,000 people were directly involved in the process. The neighborhood approach to planning is used today in many communities throughout the nation. Rick was the point person on the mayor's advisory commission which followed through with neighborhood improvements identified by commission representatives. Without his relentless effort and follow-up with the city's department heads few suggestions would have been implemented.

While in Bellingham, Rick was actively involved in several successful bond and levy campaigns, raising money to purchase open space lands. He was instrumental in the creation and implementation of the Greenways Project. He also served on the board of Whatcom Land Trust for several years. His many years of public service have had a huge positive impact on Whatcom County.

In 1996 Rick moved to Kitsap County to serve as the coordinator of the county's Open Space Program. While working for Kitsap County Parks, he helped acquire more than 4,000 acres of open space land, including two and a half miles of saltwater waterfront, and helped draft the County's Open Space Plan. He retired from Kitsap County Parks in 2003, but continued working part time as a park planning consultant until February 2009. He remained active as a member of the board of directors of Great Peninsula Conservancy and was scheduled to become president of that organization in July.

Rick had a lifelong passion for outdoor recreation (kayaking, hiking, camping, skiing, bicycling, and golf) and was an avid runner for many years. He was a Scout leader for his children and others. Rick enjoyed a wide variety of music and literature. He had a passion for reading and information, and was known to read a book a day. In recent years he became a world traveler at the encouragement of his wife Roslyn. Together they took amazing pictures and he narrated them, remembering in detail their adventures and the unique stories and history of the places they traveled. Rick was full of love for everyone, and because of his kind, gentle and wise nature, it was hard not to love him back. He especially adored his young grandson Macario, scheduling times each week to spend one-on-one time with him, and he was eagerly awaiting the imminent arrival of his second grandson. He was a loving and wise father, playing an important role in the lives of his children.

Rick is preceded in death by his sister Susan Fackler. He is survived by his wife Roslyn Siegel of Seattle, his parents Richard (Eileen) Fackler and Eunice (Gary) Bennett, both of Bellingham, his brother James (Jane) Fackler of Seattle, his sister Anne (Rick) Bowers of Warden, WA, his sister Rainy (Ben) Fackler-Adams, his first wife Ellen Challenger of Seattle, their two children James (Brenda) Fackler and Heidi Fackler, both of Seattle, and Heidi's son Macario de Andrade. A memorial service will be at Moles Funeral Homes Bayview Chapel Saturday, June 20 at 2:00 PM. You may share your thoughts and memories of Rick in the on-line memorial guest book at www.molesfuneralhomes.com Moles Bayview Chapel – Bellingham.



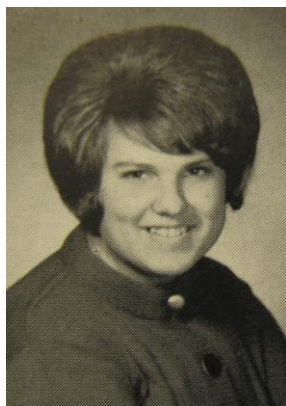
**Sandra Lynn Hinton Fjellman
(1947-2004)**

Sandra Lynn Hinton Fjellman, age 56, passed away on Thursday, July 29, 2004, at St. Joseph Hospital following heart surgery. Sandra was born on September 15, 1947, in Bellingham, Washington, to Alvin and June Hinton. She graduated from Bellingham High School and Travel Central School in Seattle. In 1964, Sandra married Donald Goheen and was a stay-at-home mom until her daughters were in school. After working at Sears for three years, she entered the travel business and was presently employed at Bellingham Travel.

In 1989, Sandra married Scott Fjellman and had several pleasant years with their Harley and biking with their friends.

Sandra was preceded in death by her grandparents, Robert and Margaret Hinton, and her father Alvin Hinton. She is survived by her two daughters: Tracy Christine Goheen of Bellingham and Heather Allison Goheen of Seattle; grandson Baker Hanson of Bellingham; mother June Hinton; three sisters: Susan Wheatley and Lisa Price of Bellingham, and Deborah and husband Fred Price of Ferndale; half-sister Rose Marie Vessels of Evansville, Indiana; numerous nieces and nephews and cousins; special aunt Lillian Brown in Canada; and many other relatives.

A visitation will be held from 5 PM to 9 PM, Tuesday, August 3rd, at Jones|Moles Funeral Home. A Memorial Service will be held at 2:00 PM, Wednesday, August 4, 2004, at Hillcrest Chapel 1400 Larrabee St., Bellingham, with Pastor Frank Talbot officiating.



**Vickie Dianne Gaasland Wistoski
1/19/1947 – 10/18/2010**

Dianne Wistoski, age 63 of Tacoma, passed away October 18, 2010 in Seattle after an extended illness. She was born January 19, 1947 in Bellingham to Arthur & June (Scrimsher) Gaasland. Dianne grew up in Bellingham on farms on Baker Street and Bakerview Road. In her younger years, she was active in her church youth group and church related summer camps. Dianne married Bob Wistoski on April 23, 1977 in Bellingham and they moved to Tacoma where they raised their daughter Kayla.

Dianne started her banking career as a teller at the "Gilda Window" at Bellingham National Bank and later worked in Tacoma with Puget Sound Bank, which became Key Bank. She retired from Key Bank as Operations Control Manager. Dianne touched many lives with her hearty laugh, great sense of humor

and her empathy and caring for others. She will be dearly missed and remembered for the impact she had on the lives of those around her.

Dianne was preceded in death by her parents and her brothers Gary & Larry Gaasland. She is survived by her husband, Bob Wistoski of Tacoma; daughter Kayla Morales (husband Maj. Michael Morales) who are currently stationed in Florida and their children Emma, Peyton, Livia, and McKinley who is due in November; nephew Dean Gaasland (wife Joan) and their children Courtney and Ciarra of Vancouver, WA; cousin Robert Scrimsher (wife Terri) of Sedro Woolley, cousin Dean of Bellingham and many loving relatives, friends and co-workers. Memorials may be made to American Diabetes Assn., PO Box 11454, Alexandria, VA 22312 or online at diabetes.org. A Celebration of Dianne's Life will be held at Westford Funeral Home on Mon., Oct. 25 at 12 Noon, followed by a reception across the street at Westford's Broadway Hall. Burial will follow at Greenacres Cemetery. Pastor Gary Shoemaker will be officiating.



**Alton John Grimes
(1947-2002)**

Beloved friend of many, Alton J. Grimes, age 54, of Bellingham, Washington, passed away on April 27, 2002, after a long battle with lung cancer. He continued to work, to laugh and to inspire all those around him with his humor and his courage. Alton was born on October 9, 1947, in Bellingham, Washington, to Kern and Ellener Grimes of Bellingham.

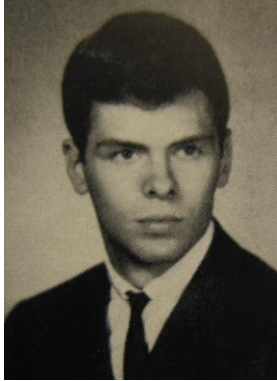
Alton was a graduate of Bellingham High School and Skagit Valley College. In 1974 he received his BA from Western Washington State College, cum laude, and became a Certified Public Accountant. Alton served five years in the U.S. Army Security Agency. He was an outstanding trainee of his company at Fort Ord and attended Fort Devens, Massachusetts, radio code school. He served in North Carolina, Ethiopia, Germany, and Vietnam.

Alton worked as an accountant, and managed an electronic manufacturing business. However, his great love and vocation was for the theatre. He began volunteering at The Bellingham Theatre Guild at age 16 and continued a life-long love of the Guild. He served on the Guild's Board of Directors for many years. He also worked as the technical director at the Queen Juliana Theatre in Lynden, and became the full-time artistic director of the Queen Juliana (Claire vg Thomas Theatre) in 1998. He most recently portrayed C.S. Lewis in Shadowlands in October 2001, and was the co-director and set designer of Annie Get Your Gun, which opens in May.

Alton received numerous awards for acting, directing, and designing, and was also recognized with the Bellingham Mayor's Arts Award in 1996. He received the Lifetime Member Award and the Olga Pattison Award from the Bellingham Theatre Guild.

Alton's work life revolved around his theater life. He believed that life is not something that is 9 to 5, and that we have to have something for the heart and the soul. Alton loved theater because he loved to be able, in some way, to have an effect on people.

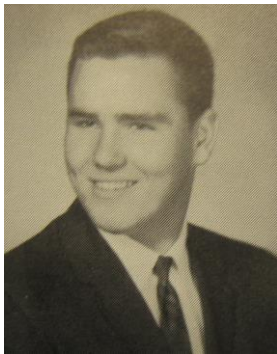
Alton married Teri Pechthalt Cravens in 1993. In addition to his parents and wife, Alton is survived by children Aaron Grimes of Bellingham, Washington, and Jason Grimes and wife Shannon of Syracuse, New York; the children's mother Kathryn Vanderboom Grimes; step-son Scott Cravens of Missoula, Montana; brother Brian Grimes and wife Jan of Mukilteo, Washington; sister Kathryn Langway and husband Frank of Upper Marlboro, Maryland; sister F. Louise Flynn and husband Richard of Renton, Washington; his wife's mother Barbara and step-father Ed Knorr of Anacortes, Washington; brother-in-law Tony Pechthalt and wife Diana, brother in-law Joel Pechthalt, sister-in-law Pati Villhauer and husband Tim, brother-in-law Bill Vanderboom, Jr. and wife Phoebe, all of Bellingham, Washington; and numerous nieces and nephews.



**Gary B. Hankenson
(1947-2013)**

Gary B. Hankenson III died at his home in San Diego after a nearly two year battle with cancer, his wife Halli by his side. Born in Bellingham April 10, 1947, to Gary and Mildred Hankenson, Gary graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. After spending four years in the Navy, stationed in San Diego, he decided to make his home there. He was employed by the State of

California Transportation Agency until his retirement. Gary is survived by his wife Halli, his sisters Lenore (John) Wood and Beverly (Don) Noyes. Also survived by his wife's parents, John and Jerrie Schmidt, his sister-in-law Gayla Misset, and stepchildren Grant McReynolds, Brent Herring and Andrea Emmons and numerous nieces and nephews. At his request, there will be no funeral, but a celebration of his life will be held Sept. 7 at Crown Point in San Diego. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Whatcom County.



**Dennis Michael Hindman
(1947-2008)**

Dennis M. Hindman of Bellingham, Washington, passed away on Tuesday, June 3, 2008. He was 61, born in Bellingham on March 18, 1947, to Lillian (Vaughn) and Everett Hindman. As a youth, Dennis achieved the rank of Eagle Scout and was a page for Frank Atwood in Olympia and for Warren Magnuson in Washington, D.C. Dennis graduated from Bellingham High in 1965. In 1969 he obtained a degree in Economics from WWU and then

earned his law degree from Willamette University in 1972. While in college, Dennis drove heavy equipment for the construction of the North Cascades Highway. He was a proud member of the Trial Lawyers Assoc. for over 30 years and also a member of the B.C. Trial Lawyers Association. Throughout his career, Dennis loved the law and fought hard for his clients. He was also dedicated to performing community service. His hobbies included photography and travelling the world with friends. Dennis is survived by his son Brian Hindman of Beijing, China; brother Ron Hindman of Federal Way; nephew Greg Hindman of Auburn; great-nieces Madisyn and Amber; and cousins Jerry Martin, Glen Hindman, and Barbara Benedict. Services for Dennis will be held at 2:00 PM on Thursday, June 12th, at Moles – Bayview Chapel (Lakeway & Woburn). In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the St. Joseph Hospital's Foundation.



**Diane Lynn Holland Gould
(1948-2004)**

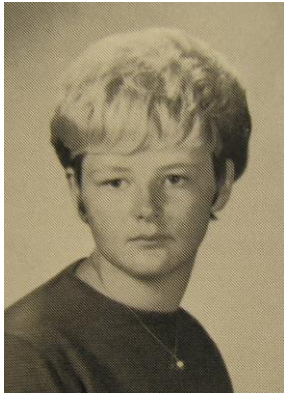
Diane Gould passed away at home on Feb. 26, 2004. She fought cancer for nine years with the same determination and skill that she approached everything else in life. It did not deter her kindness and thoughtfulness in dealing with friends and colleagues, nor the quality and effectiveness of her work. She was born in Spokane in 1948 and lived for many years in Bellingham at the DNR nursery on Guide Meridian where Bellis Fair now stands. Her father,

Richard Holland, was Nursery Superintendent before retiring to Lummi Island with Diane's mother Mary Holland.

Diane spent a year studying in Paris before receiving her degree in French literature at WWU and marrying Gregory G. Gould in 1970. She received her Masters in English at WWU in 1972, taught English for 25 years and was Humanities Chair at Shoreline C.C. in Seattle, with a year of teaching in Australia and travel in 1974.

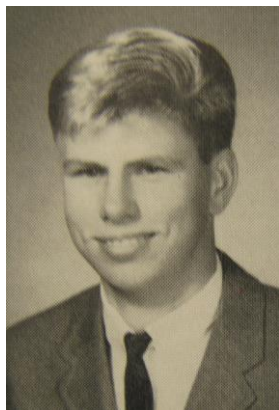
Diane became a founding faculty member of Cascadia C.C. in Bothell, Washington, in 1998, retiring to Lummi Island in 2001. She received many awards and commendations for her work, and is greatly missed by friends, family and colleagues alike. She was very appreciative of her family and friends, and was very proud of the efforts of her two sons. Diane loved to travel, camp, spend time with children and believed that curiosity and knowledge were the best tools to defeat ignorance.

She is survived by her husband Gregory Gould of Lummi Island; sons, Morgan of Portland and Collin of Bellingham; mother, Mary Holland of Bellingham; sisters Kathy (Larry) Nelson of LaConner and Avalee (Glen) Conway of Laurel; brother, Steve (Kathy York) Holland of Pasco, as well as many excellent aunts and uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins around Washington State. She cared greatly for them all. The family will arrange a celebration of her life at a later date.



**Ada Lee Holzauer Beane
(1947-2008)**

Ada Lee Beane, age 60, of Burlington, died January 16, 2008. She was born and raised in Bellingham, daughter of Luke and Bete Holzauer. Ada was a loving wife and mother to her husband Bill Beane and daughter Kristen Beane. She worked as a Human Resources Director for the City of Mount Vernon for ten years. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, January 21, 2008, at Hawthorne Funeral Home Chapel, 1825 E. College Way, Mount Vernon, Washington. A time of visitation will be held before the funeral beginning at 9:00 a.m. on Monday.



**Ronald Clarence Johansen
(1947-201)**

August 26, 1947 - July 4, 2011 Ronald C. Johansen succumbed to cancer early in the morning of July 4 surrounded by his family in his home. Ron was born in Bellingham, Washington, which is where he spent the early years of his life with his mom and three sisters. He was a city boy who spent the summers on the family farms with his cousins. Ron enjoyed riding the backroads on his horse "Sir Rondo the First," playing tennis, and skiing at Mt. Baker. His personal record for cars passed on the way down from the mountain was 77.

Ron graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. After attending college, backpacking through Europe, and bartending in ski-towns, Ron settled down in Lake Oswego, OR, where he met his wife of 35 years, Susan Braun. Time was spent with close friends Tony and Alice Gallo. Activities included wine drinking, water-skiing, and motorcycle riding. In 1978, Ron and Susan moved to Westport, Washington, where they started a family. Ron was an avid fisherman and boater. He fished on and off both commercially and for sport for the majority of his life, although he was best known for being an oyster farmer. Work time was spent on the oyster beds, and his free time was devoted to family and friends at Lake Mayfield. Ron taught his children, Jake and Rita (along with their friends) how to ski on the lake, snow-ski at White Pass, hunt in the woods, and enjoy many other outdoor activities. However, chores always came before playtime, in keeping with the Johansen's strong parenting

style. Ron's authority promoted generosity. Even though he was strict, he shared the best of himself and brought out the best in others. Ron's best years were spent with his friends and family at the Lake. After their kids graduated from High School, Ron and Susan moved back to his home-town area. Ron finished his working life with several interesting occupations including installing epoxy aggregate flooring, working on oil tankers in the Pacific Ocean, and driving truck on the North Slope of Alaska.

Ron leaves behind his wife Susan, his son Jake, his daughter Rita, his granddaughter Scarlett, and his three sisters, Barb, Julie, and Bev. Ron's wishes were to be cremated. A private family gathering will held at a later date. A special thanks to Moles Good Steward Funerals for their support and professionalism. Donations may be made to: <https://www.cancer.org/involved/donate/donateonlinenew/index>



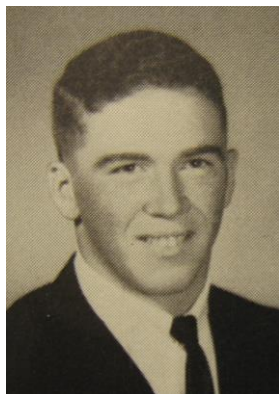
**Linda Katherine Laing Mee
(1947-2005)**

Linda Katherine Mee, age 58, was called home to her Savior on October 11, 2005, after a courageous six month battle with cancer. She was a loving wife, supportive mother, caring grandmother, and loyal friend who will be deeply missed by many people.

Throughout her life, Linda was enthusiastically involved in many activities. She was a receptionist in a dental office for 15 years, a boutique owner, an avid bargain shopper, and a "mom" to many in her roles as high school youth group leader, preschool teacher, and foster parent. Her passion for life was an inspiration to all those around her and her unconditional love for her family and friends was unprecedented. She was a woman of great compassion always putting the wellbeing of others before her own needs. Linda will be remembered for her loving spirit, energetic personality, positive attitude, contagious laugh and unrelenting faith in the Lord.

She is survived by her husband, Ron Mee, of Bellingham; daughter Jeryn Zehnder of Sumas; daughter Stephanie Page of Bellingham; son Ryan Mee and wife Lisa of Bellingham; son Tony Velasco and wife Rana of Lynden; father Jack Laing of Bellingham; brother Jack Laing and wife Debbie of Bellingham; nine grandchildren; two nephews; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins of Canada. She was preceded in death by her mother, Katherine Laing.

A memorial service will be held on October 22, 2005, at 2:30 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, corner of Texas and Dean in Bellingham. Memorials may be made to Whatcom Hospice in Linda's name.

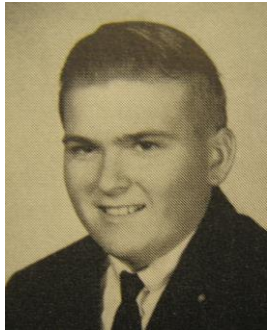


**Larry Michael Linville
(1947-2008)**

9/2/1947 - 9/2/2008 Longtime Bellingham resident Larry Linville passed away in Moses Lake, Washington, on Tuesday, September 2, 2008, while playing golf with friends. Larry was born September 2, 1947, in Bellingham to Lester and Louise (Marvich) Linville. He graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He attended Mesa Junior College in Grand Junction, Colorado, before graduating from Arizona State University. Larry played centerfield for the ASU Sun Devils and was a member of the 1968 College World

Series Team. In 1968 he was drafted in the first round by the Chicago White Sox and played professionally for four years.

As founder and former owner of Prostock Athletic Supply in Bellingham, Larry was a generous supporter of youth athletics. Larry was an avid golfer and a dedicated family man. He will be remembered by many for his integrity, honesty, loyalty and his service to the community. Larry and Joann have lived in Yuma, Arizona since 2001. Larry was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife Joann, children Sean Linville and his daughters Hailey and Malia of Bellingham, Christopher Linville of Bellingham, Julie Bensel (Chris) and their son Jackson of Portland, and Jill Kranc of Portland, sisters Lois (Jim) Boudousquie of Blaine, Lynda (Denny) Florence Bellingham, and numerous other relatives. Memorials may be made to the Larry Linville Scholarship Fund c/o Arizona Western College Foundation, 281 W. 24th St. #132, Yuma, AZ 85364. A Celebration of Larry's Life with reception will be held at Bellingham Golf & Country Club on Monday, Sept 8th at 11 AM. You may view photos of Larry and share memories with the family at www.westfordfuneralhome.com.



**Ronald Lee Martin
(1947-1998)**

A graveside service for Ronald Lee Martin, lifelong resident, will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Greenacres Memorial Park with military honors by America Legion Post No. 7 Firing Squad. A reception will follow at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

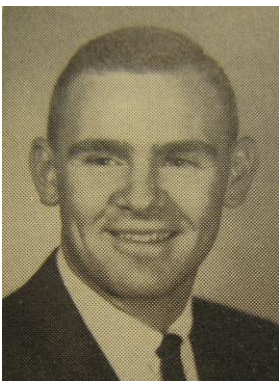
Mr. Martin died Tuesday, April 14, 1998, at St. Joseph Hospital. He was 50. Born October 25, 1947, to Earl and Marie "Mia" Lee Martin in Bellingham, he graduated from

Bellingham High School in 1965. He served in the U. S. Navy Sea Bees from 1966 to 1968 in Vietnam. He married Karla Brokaw on February 5, 1972, in Bellingham.

Mr. Martin worked at Builders Alliance, formerly Bellingham Sash and Door, for nine years and at Uniflite Boat Works for 20 years. He served as president of Sons of Norway and American Legion Post No. 7. He enjoyed woodworking projects, gardening, fishing, and traveling in the Northwest.

Mr. Martin's father died in 1980. Survivors include his wife of Bellingham, his mother of Bellingham, a niece, a nephew and an aunt.

Memorials may be made to Myelodysplastic Syndrome (MDS) Foundation, P. O. Box 477, Crosswicks, New Jersey, 08515; Puget Sound Blood Center, 1125 E. Sunset Drive, Bellingham, Washington, 98226; or St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 2117 Walnut Street, Bellingham, Washington, 98225. Arrangements are by Westford Funeral Home.



**Joseph Leroy Missiaen
(1946-1986)**

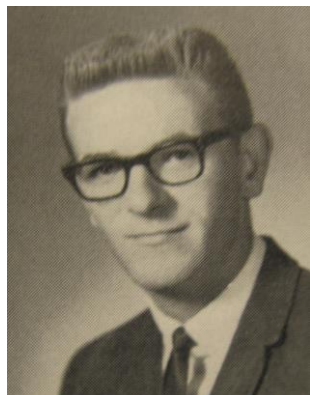
Prayer services for Joseph Missiaen, 40, 2100 Birch Circle, will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Jerns & LeVeck Funeral Chapel. A Mass of Christian Burial will be said at 11 a.m. Friday at Assumption Catholic Church, with the Rev. John Madigan as celebrant.

Mr. Missiaen died Sunday, October 26, 1986, at a Seattle Hospital. He was born August 4, 1946, in Bellingham and had lived here all of his life.

He was a member of the Assumption Catholic Church and the Bellingham Yacht Club. He had been an employee of Intalco Aluminum Corporation.

Survivors include his wife Florance of the family home; two daughters, Debra and Becky Missiaen of Bellingham; his parents, George and Margaret Missiaen of Bellingham; and two sisters, Sharon Klapper of New York and Pam Duling of Ferndale.

Memorials may be made to the University Cancer Center, University Hospital, 1959 N. E. Pacific, Seattle, Washington 98195, or to the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, 1124 Columbia Street, Seattle, Washington 98104. Arrangements are by Jerns & LeVeck Funeral Home.



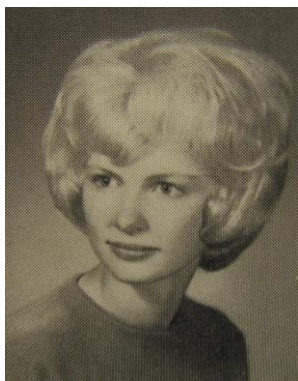
**James Kenneth Mitchell
(1946-1980)**

James Kenneth Mitchell, 34, foreman for Ershigs Inc., died Tuesday, July 15, 1980, in a Bellingham hospital.

Mitchell, 878 Parkwood Way, Ferndale, was a lifetime resident of Whatcom County. He graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and was married to Bonnie Pen on June 12, 1965, in Lynden. He was a member of the plastics division of the Sheet Metal Workers Union, president of Rathbone Water Association, and a member of the Delta Fire Department.

He is survived by his wife, a daughter and son, father and stepmother, father-in-law, and two sisters. He was preceded in death by his mother.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, July 18, 1980, in Nooksack Cemetery. Arrangements are by Gillies Funeral Home.



**Helen Marcia Moir Liepart
(1947-2006)**

Helen M. Moir Liepart of Bellingham died on March 23, 2006, after a long and courageous battle with cancer. She was 58 years old.

Helen was born June 1, 1947, in Bellingham to Harold and Alice Moir. She graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. Afterwards, she began working in the credit department at Sears and later established a career at Seattle First

Bank in Bellingham. In 1976, Helen and her three children moved to the Seattle area where she enjoyed careers as a real estate agent and general contractor. During this time, she built several houses, including an award winning home on the Street of Dreams. Helen married George H. Liepart, Jr., in September of 1987 and moved back to Bellingham, where they opened an office supply store. She later owned and operated Northwestern Mortgage. Helen never let her cancer get in the way of doing all those things she enjoyed, including traveling to Europe, renovating and remodeling homes, working in her garden, and spending time with her grandchildren. Although her body succumbed to cancer, her spirit never did.

Helen was preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Alice Moir, her two sisters, Betty Kemp and Mary Lou Moir, and her favorite puppy, Jake. She is survived by her husband, George Liepart Jr.; her children, Bridgette (Ron) Hoppe, Shannon Harrell, and Christopher (Caren) Howard; her stepchildren, George (Lisbet) Liepart III of California, and Kathy Galbraith of Ferndale; and her sisters, Marilyn Coughran of Grand Junction and Lillian Moir of Birch Bay. Helen will also be greatly missed by her lifelong friend, Karen Hulford, her 12 grandchildren, her nephew, and numerous cousins.

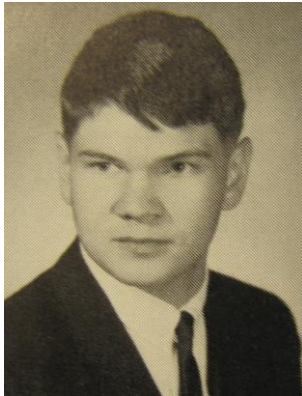
In celebration of her life, an open house will be held Sunday, April 2, 2006, from 2 pm until 5 pm at the Liepart home, located on the third floor of 511 E. Magnolia in Bellingham. Memorial gifts may be made in her honor to cancer-related charities.



**Diane Louise Moran
(1947-1969)**

Diane Louise Moran, age 21, of 1101 Roland Street, passed away Sunday, July 27, 1969, following an auto accident. Miss Moran was a lifetime resident of this community, a member of the Women's Credit Union, Captain of Rainbow Drill Team and a graduate of the 1965 Bellingham High School Class. She was the bookkeeper at Luke & Crews Inc. Survivors are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Moran; one brother, Larry Moran all at home; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Blanche Moran, and maternal

grandparents, Walter and Edith Hinds, all of this city; three uncles, Calvin Moran, Sedro Woolley; Clifford Moran and Walter S. Hinds of this city; two aunts, Mrs. Marion Blevins, Oak Harbor, Washington; Mrs. Audrey J. Pederson, City.



**Adrian Kenneth Mower
(1947-1996)**

Adrian Kenneth Mower of Custer died Wednesday, August 14, 1996. He was 49.

Arrangements are pending at Jerns-McKinney Funeral Chapel. (No further information is available.)



**Denise Murdock Holden
(1947-2003)**

Denise Murdock Holden, age 56, Warrensburg, Missouri, passed away on Friday, November 21, 2003. at her home, surrounded by her family.

She was born on September 9, 1947, in Anacortes to Mamie and Bob Murdock. Preceded in death by her mother Mamie. Raised by Don and Eleanor Urquhart in Bellingham, Washington.

On January 4, 1969, Denise and Richard "Rick" Holden were married in Bellingham, Washington.

Denise was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School, received a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Education from Western Washington University in 1969. The family moved to Warrensburg in 1980. Denise received a Masters in Education degree from Central Missouri State University in 1990. Denise was a fifth grade teacher at Sterling Elementary in Warrensburg for the past thirteen years.

Denise's love of teaching carried over to the Grover Park Baptist Church of Warrensburg where she was a member over 20 years. She taught Sunday School over twenty years. If the mementos surrounding Denise in her home are any testimony, she was loved by her many students as much as she loved and

cared them. Denise made every child feel special. She searched for a strength or positive aspect in each child and focused on it.

Survivors include her husband Rick Holden, Warrensburg; daughter Mrs. Andre (Julie) Pontin, Gold Coast, Australia; two sons: Jeff and Greg Holden of the family home; four sisters: Sue Jarrett, Blaine, Washington; her twin sister, Treese Acrea, Bedford, Texas; Donnalea Fullaway, Bellingham, Washington; and Jo Sutherlin, Pauma Valley, California; and her mother Eleanor Urquhart, Bellingham, Washington.

Funeral services were held 2:00 pm Tuesday, November 25, 2003 at the Grover Park Baptist Church. The Reverend Doug Schildknecht officiated. Burial was at the Warrensburg Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Pall bearers were Roy Acrea, Kyle Black, Greg Holden, Jeff Holden, Andy Hull, Lee Nenstiel, Andre Pontin, and Joseph Swanson. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Grover Park Baptist Church, Grover Park Baptist Church, 409 N. Mitchell, Warrensburg, MO, 64093. Without the support and aid from the Grover Park Baptist Church, Denise's battle with liver cancer would have been unbearable. They provided the family (and extended family there to help care for Denise) with meals for three solid months, never missing a breakfast or dinner.



**James Allen Nevins
(1947-1999)**

Funeral services for James Allen Nevins, 52, of Seattle, formerly of Bellingham, will begin at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Northwest Drive Chapel, 5800 Northwest Drive, with Bishop Charles Usery officiating. Dedication and burial will follow at Greenacres Memorial Park. Viewing will be from noon to 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the chapel.

Mr. Nevins died Saturday, August 7, 1999, at Providence Hospital in Seattle.

He was born January 5, 1947, at Whatcom County Hospital in Bellingham to Gilbert and Donna (Martinsen) Nevins. He attended Sunnyland Elementary, Whatcom Jr. High School and graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He also attended Western Washington University and the University of Washington.

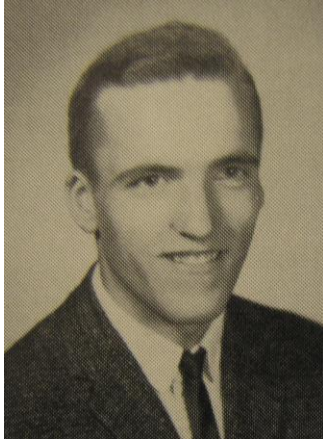
Mr. Nevins was a member of the LDS church and graduated from a seminary course. He was later an ordained Elder of the "Melchizedek Priesthood" and served as a full-time missionary for the church in Kansas and Missouri in 1972-1973.

He enjoyed reading and writing poetry and had several poems published. He also enjoyed music and singing and had sung with the Mormon Tabernacle Choir. Other hobbies included playing chess and genealogy. Mr. Nevins had researched 1,000 or more family and ancestral names.

He lived and worked in Seattle as an adult, retiring from a job as a Seattle School District maintenance worker a few years ago because of disabilities. He married Ruth Willett December 12, 1980, in Seattle. The couple is now divorced.

Mr. Nevins is survived by sons Justin and Brandon Nevins of Seattle; mother Donna Martinsen Davis of Whatcom County; brother Michael Nevins of Kendall; sisters Carol Simmons and Jo Ann Heay of Kendall; two uncles and one aunt; and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Osteo Genesis Imperfecta Foundation Inc., 5005 W. Laurel Street, Tampa, Florida, 33607, or to any Latter-day Saints Church Missionary Fund.



**Ray Noble
(1947-1986)**

Ray Nobel, the 38-year old heart patient whose friends and family had been trying to raise money for heart transplant surgery, died Sunday, March 23, 1986, at St. Luke's Hospital.

Mr. Noble, 6229 Cascade Drive, Ferndale, died of heart failure, a sister-in-law, Jean Noble, said.

He had been hospitalized through most of March, she said. A state agency had agreed to finance the operation and he was near the top of the list of eligible heart recipients. But his health had deteriorated steadily during the last two months and he was in and out of the hospital, requiring hospitalization again on Friday, she said. He had learned of his heart disorder about 1½ years ago, and family and friends began a campaign last April to help raise money for the surgery, said his twin brother, Roy. At the time of his death, about \$9,000 had been donated to his surgery fund by local friends, relatives and concerned strangers. That money will be sent to the Heart Transplant Fund at the University of Washington.

Mr. Noble was born April 29, 1947, in Bellingham and lived here all his life. He had worked for some time as a groundskeeper for the Bellingham Golf and Country Club and had many friends, according to his brother. He liked to play softball, to bowl and golf. He was also a competitive amateur pool player and a trout fisherman. He was a member of Garden Street United Methodist Church. He graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965.

He is survived by daughter, Kiffin Noble; son, Jason Noble; mother, Helen Noble, all of City; brother Neely Noble of City and Roy Noble of Ferndale; 2 aunts, Clara Moser of City and Betty Morgan of Corvallis, Oregon. The family suggest memorials to Ray Noble Heart Fund, c/o Northwestern Commercial Bank, Magnolia and Commercial, City 98225 or Heart Transplant Fund, Dept. of Surgery, c/o Dr. Peter McKeown B.B. 431, University of Washington Hospital, 959 N. E. Pacific, Seattle, 98195.

Funeral services will be Thursday, March 27, 1986, at 10 a.m. at Garden Street Methodist Church with Rev. Roger K. Johnson officiating. Burial will be in Enterprise Cemetery.



**Mark Norman Olsen
(1947-2002)**

Mark Norman Olsen of Bellingham passed away Sunday, May 5, 2002, as a result of a motor vehicle accident. He was born March 3, 1947, in Seattle to Norman and Agnes (Hansen) Olsen.

Mark was the founder and operator of Olsen Auto Body. An avid researcher of Bellingham history, Mark was a member of the Whatcom Historical Society. He was also a member of Auto Body Craftsmen Association and the Bellingham Athletic Club. Mark was an active

person who enjoyed motorcycle riding, world travel, water sports, skiing, golf, and never missed a good movie.

Mark is survived by his wife, Tonee of Bellingham; sister, Carol and husband Jerry Chilcote of Acme; in-laws, Bernadine and William Morris, Stephen and Keith Korman; and numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Whatcom Museum of History and Art, 121 Prospect, Bellingham, WA 98225. Memorial service Saturday, May 11, 2002, at 10:00 AM at Jones | Moles Funeral Home. You may share your thoughts and memories of Mark in the memorial guest book.



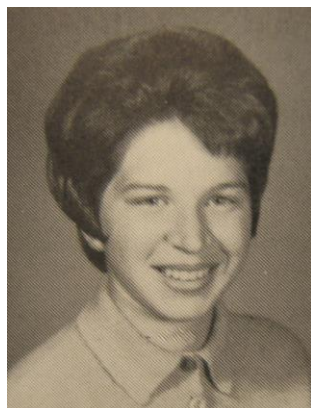
**Robert Allan Patterson
(1947-2001)**

Mr. Bob "Pat" Patterson of Okachobee, Fla., formerly of Bellingham, died Friday, May 18, 2001. He was 53.

Born July 3, 1947, to Bill and Kaye Patterson, he grew up in Bellingham. Following graduation from Bellingham High School, he served in the U.S. Navy for four years. Mr. Patterson married Sue Benson. He had worked in the auto body repair and painting business for the past 25 years.

His father and brother, Skip Patrick, died previously. Survivors include his wife of 26 years, of Okachobee; daughter Tammy Patterson of Oak Harbor; mother, sister Jackie Kehoe and brother Don Patterson, all of Bellingham; two grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Memorials may be made to either Hospice of Palm Beach County Inc., 5300 E. Ave., West Palm Beach, FL 33407 or American Cancer Society by calling (800) 227-2345.



**Janet Marie Perry Intveld
(1947-2007)**

Janet Marie Intveld, age 59 of Bellingham, joined her Lord and Savior April 21, 2007, after her battle with cancer. She was born May 29, 1947, to Ted and June Perry. Janet was a graduate of Bellingham High School in 1965 and married Stephen Intveld on February 20, 1971. She was preceded in death by her mother, June Perry. She is survived by her husband Stephen Intveld; father Ted Perry; brothers Richard and Ron Perry; daughter Tress Hewitt; sons Josh, Zach, and Andrew Intveld; grandchildren Theta and Logan Hewitt. She retired from Hagen Corporate Office in 2006. Janet was a devoted member of Anchor of Hope Fellowship. She enjoyed reading, gardening, and caring for her family. She enjoyed traveling to spend time

with her grandchildren. Janet found joy in serving those around her. During her illness, she drew strength from her faith in her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and is now in His presence.

A memorial Celebration of Janet's life will be held on Thursday, April 26, at 1:00 p.m. at Rome Community Bible Church, 2720 Mt. Baker Highway, with Pastor Larry Larsen officiating. Graveside Committal will follow at Bayview City Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Anchor of Hope Fellowship, P.O. Box 2219, Ferndale, WA 98248. You may view photos and share memories with the family at www.westfordfuneralhome.com.



**Dennis Ward Rawls
(1946-2012)**

Dennis "Denny" Ward Rawls passed away suddenly on the evening of November 9th 2012. Denny suffered a massive heart attack. Surrounded by many of his loved ones he passed peacefully at PeaceHealth St. Joseph Medical Center.

Denny was born on the Ides of March in 1946 to Genevieve and Albert Rawls in Bellingham, Washington, where he spent his entire life. He graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and served in the U.S. Marine Corp Reserves.

Denny had a great love for the outdoors and especially water sports, warm summer days and anywhere he could enjoy palm trees swaying in the breeze. On Lake Whatcom, Samish or Chelan you would find him cutting the water on his air chair, a slalom ski or taking a group of kids or friends for a spin on the tube. In the past few years he looked forward to crabbing with his brother Mike; every trip was an adventure. If he wasn't on the water you would probably find him working on or cruising around in one of his many special classic cars to the great tunes of the 50's or 60's. Denny had a great appreciation for the antique automobiles.

Denny worked in sales most of his life, for many years at Fraser Chevrolet which became Framac, Mt. Baker Motors, Hinton and Blade Chevrolet. After sales in the automotive industry he moved on to selling mobile and manufactured homes for Prestige Manufacturing and then Oak Creek Homes.

He is survived by all his children, Kristi Manning (Mike Mccloughlin), Jenni Giambrone (Russ), Korena and Kody Rawls; his grandchildren Keiley Reiter (Max), Joey and Kaitlyn Giambrone; his wife Marian Rawls (Lind) and former wife Carolyn Rawls (Ashburn); his siblings, J Hope Burse (Richard), Mike Rawls (Linda), Ron Rawls (Cindy) and Kathi Lamont (Gordy) all of Bellingham; as well as numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and many wonderful friends. Denny was looking forward to becoming a great-grandfather in February. Denny was preceded in death by his mothers Genevieve (Foltz), Dorothe (Chichester) and his father Albert Rawls.

Although Denny struggled for many years with Type 2 Diabetes, losing his sight was the most difficult for him to cope with. Despite his challenges he was always willing to help a friend or family member wherever possible. The family would like to thank Diane Blair for the care and companionship she provided in his final months.

A graveside service with reception following will be held Tuesday, December 4, at 1 PM, at Moles Greenacres Memorial Park. Please share memories online at www.farewelltributes.com



**Michael Edward Regnier
(1947-1987)**

Michael E. Regnier, 40, of 2814 Wilson Street, died Friday, February 20, 1987, at his home. He had been fatally shot, police said.

Mr. Regnier had been employed by Western Washington University in the roofing maintenance department for the past 10 years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, having served for four years, and was a member of the American Legion Albert J. Hamilton Post No. 7.

Mr. Regnier's survivors include a son, Brian; a daughter, Kimberly; their mother Linda, all of Bellingham; his mother, Audrey Ferguson of Bellingham; five brothers, James of Ferndale, Robert of Bellingham, Richard of Surrey, B.C., Thomas of Custer and Danny of Everett; five sisters, Annette Cummins of Burlington, Lillian Edwards of Ferndale, Dorothy Jorgenson and Barbara Regnier, both of Everett, and Kathy Robinson of Independence, Missouri; an aunt, Margaret Einerwoud of Ferndale, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are pending at the Westford funeral Home.



**Laretta Jean Russell Orcutt
(1947-1998)**

Laretta Russell Orcutt passed away November 29, 1998.

She was born February 10, 1947, and went to school in Bellingham. She graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. She worked as a nurse's aide and as a caregiver.

Her parents preceded her in death. She is survived by her husband, Donald A. Orcutt of Sedro Woolley; two sons, Randall Schouten and Dale Orcutt; a daughter, Laurinda Schouten Jackson; and grandchildren.



**Randall Lynn Schuett
(1947-2009)**

Randy L. Schuett, age 61, passed away on Thursday, May 7, 2009, in Bellingham. He was born September 19, 1947, in Bellingham where he lived his entire life.

Randy graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965, and from WWU in 1989 with a Bachelor of Science degree. Randy worked in the logging and construction business for 15 years, and then returned to WWU to complete his degree in Urban Development.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Shelby and Dolores Schuett; older brother Jerry, and CHIP. Randy is survived by his daughter, Mandy (Tim) Mills, grandson Lucas Scott Mills; granddaughter Payton Shelby Mills; brother Wayne (Jeanie) Schuett; great aunt Davida Schuett; surrogate daughter Mallory Jameson; and numerous nieces and nephews. He is also survived by his golden boys, Oak and Cedar. Randy was a devoted father and grandfather, known as "Papa Fuzzy Top." He went to every one of Mandy's softball and basketball games. He was a softball coach, and a die-hard Cougar fan. Randy had many lifelong friends.

His memorial service will be Saturday, May 16, 2009, at 3:00 PM at Moles Bayview Chapel in Bellingham with reception to follow. You may share your thoughts and memories of Randy in the on-line memorial guest book at www.molesfuneralhomes.com.



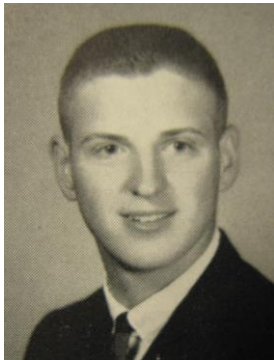
**John Seholm
(1946-1981)**

John Seholm, 34, 184 E. Smith Road, died Sunday, May 17, 1981, in Seattle following an illness.

He was born December 9, 1946, in Bellingham, and worked as a shipwright at Uniflite Inc. He was married in November 1965 in Idaho. He was a member of Silver Beach Community Church and was an avid bowler and fisherman.

He is survived by his wife, Georgia; a son, Jay, at home; and a daughter, Tami, at home; two brothers, David of Olympia and Steven of Bellingham; three sisters, Krislin Allen of Bellingham, Mrs. Paul (Linda) Nelson of

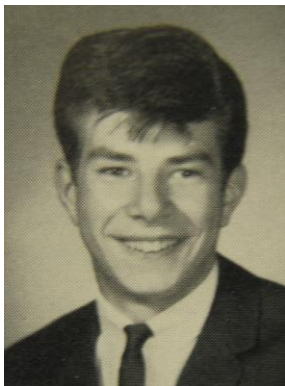
Bellingham, and Mary Seholm of Bellingham; his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Eaver & Nellie Seholm of Bellingham. Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Veroske, Jerns and LeVeck Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Bayview Cemetery.



**Alan Dale Shintaffer
(1947-1981)**

Alan Shintaffer, 33, of 1215 37th Street, died Friday, April 3, 1981. He was born October 3, 1947, in Bellingham and was a life resident here. He was vice president of Sound Beverage, president of Samish Retriever Club for three years, and local co-chairman of Ducks Unlimited. He was also a member of the Teamsters Union.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shintaffer of Bellingham, two brothers, John Shintaffer of Bellingham and Dean Shintaffer of Ferndale; his paternal grandmother Mrs. Elaine Shintaffer; maternal grandfather, Emil Sunbback. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, April 9, at 2:30 p.m. in the Chapel of the Westford Funeral Home with Rev. Leonard Ericksen officiating. Memorials may be made to the Samish Retriever Club, 4796 Northwest Road, Bellingham, or to Ducks Unlimited, 814 Dupont Street.



**Danny Lee Smith
(1947-2006)**

Danny Lee Smith passed away in Bellingham on December 13, 2006. He was 59, born November 28, 1947 in Bellingham to Charles and Beatrice Smith.

Danny was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School. He served from 1968-1969 in Vietnam with the 101st Airborne, and was awarded a Bronze Star for Valor. He took a summer job at Georgia Pacific, and 33 years later retired.

He then joined Richey's Auto Body for the career he really loved. A life well lived with no regrets, Dan did everything with care and love. Watching the kids was his favorite thing to do. He loved his leisure time, especially with family and friends. Dan enjoyed vacation and road trips but his favorite spot was home.

Dan was preceded in death by his father Charles Smith; grandparents; and in-laws, Jim and June Doncaster. He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Sue; sons, Dan and wife Lori, Pete and wife Veronica, Joe and wife Dawn; grandchildren, Carson, Jake, Brady, Tessa, Kashia, David, Kristine, Ashleigh, Jordin, Averie; mother Beatrice Smith; sisters, Bunny and husband Jim Scott, Linda and husband Mike Hook; brother Chuck Smith; sister-in-law Judy Hopkins and her family; the best neighbors and playmates, Keith and Susan Bakker; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. He will also be missed by Martha and the many unnamed critters inhabiting the backyard. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Kidstown International, 119 N. Commercial #165, Bellingham, WA 98225.

A memorial service will be held Wednesday, December 20, at 11:00 AM, at Moles Bayview Chapel in Bellingham. You may share your thoughts and memories of Dan in the memorial guestbook at www.molesfuneralhome.com. Moles Greenacres Funeral Home, Cemetery and On-site Crematory.



**Kay Lorraine Stark Alvord
(1947-1976)**

Kay Alvord, formerly Kay Stark of Bellingham, was killed in an auto accident in California on Thursday, February 5, 1976. Kay was born June 28, 1947. She had moved to Rogue River, Oregon in August 1975. She leaves to survive three daughters, Jennifer, Jodi and Jana; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Stark of Palm Springs, California; sister, Jean Moore of Rogue River, Oregon; brothers, Bill Stark of Vancouver, Washington, Jerry of Talent, Oregon, and Kenneth of Soldotna, Alaska; uncles, Al Bethke of Bellingham and Herman Rasmussen of Minneapolis, Minnesota. Services are to be held.



**Janielle Dee Stedman Hoffer
(1947-2011)**

Janielle D. Hoffer, born September 29, 1947, in Bellingham Washington to John and A. Patricia Stedman lost her brief battle with lung cancer on February 17, 2011, at the age of 63.

Jan was a proud American Legion Auxiliary member, who enjoyed traveling around the country to different events and going on road trips with friends and family. She was especially proud of her 9 grandchildren.



Preceded in death by her mother and father, she leaves to survive her, her loving husband of 33 years, Ken Hoffer; sister, Marin Olson of Brewster; treasured mother-in-law, Shirley Hoffer; sisters-in-law, Nancy (Ron) Lewis and Elaine (Val) Klube of Raymond, Washington; sons, Tom (Tammy) Tomtan of Rochester, Washington, and Bobby (Fiance Carolyn) Hoffer of Bellingham; daughters, Kristy (Walter) Roque, and Danielle (Kevin) Rigidor of Bellingham; grandchildren, Travis, Trent, and Brianna Tomtan, Dillen, McKenzie, and Landon Roque, Gregory and Chase Little, and Jaiden Bundy; dear friends, Sherri Kipling and Sheila Tomtan; as well as many other friends and relatives.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Legion, Post 7; or Laurendeau Foundation. Visitation is scheduled for Tuesday, 2-22-11 from 10AM-1:00 PM with a celebration of life to follow at 1:00 PM at Moles-Greenacres Funeral Home. You may share your thoughts and memories of Jan in the online guest book at www.molesfuneralhomes.com Moles-Greenacres Funeral Home, Memorial Park and On-site Crematory.



**Sarah Ann Stone Johnston
(1947-2004)**

Sarah Ann Johnston, of Lynden, passed away peacefully at her home on Thursday, May 27, 2004. She was 56.

Memorial funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, June 5, at 2:00 pm in North County Christ the King Church, 123 North 17th Street, Lynden with Pastor Kim Ryan officiating. A fellowship luncheon will be held at the church following the service.

The daughter of Macrae and Elidia (Rudd) Stone, Sarah was born in Bellingham on August 10, 1947. She graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and received her Practical Nursing Degree from Bellingham Vo-Tech in 1970. Sarah was employed as an LPN for various health care facilities in the county and was last employed at the Olympic Treatment Center in Bellingham. As a single mother, Sarah raised her four children and devoted her life to helping her family. She volunteered her time to many organizations, loved spending time with her grandchildren, and also enjoyed ceramics, sewing, cross stitch, beading and had a great love for animals. She was also a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and attended North County Christ the King Church.

Sarah is survived by her children, Scott and JoAnne Johnston and their son Logan; Jennifer and Christopher Mullin and their children Anthony, Talisha and Ricky; Peter and Nicole Johnston and their children Petey, Macki and Wyatt; Julie and Monty Lagerwey and their children Kelsey, Riley and Morgan; James and Theresa Greenwood and their daughter Heidi; step-mother Frances Stone and brother Tom and Lola Stone.

Memorials may be made to the Alternative Humane Society of Whatcom County, P.O. Box 2321, Bellingham 98227 or to the American Diabetes Association, 2805 Colby Ave., Everett 98201. Services are under the care of Gillies Funeral Home & Cremation Service of Lynden.

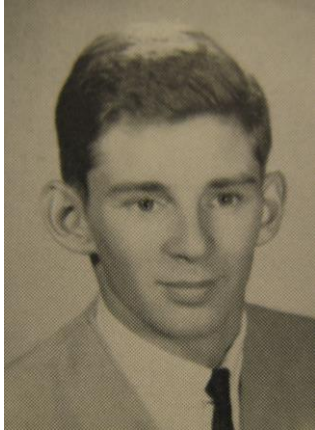


**Gordon Eugene Swendt
(1947-1970)**

ATR, U.S.N. Gordon Eugene Swendt, 2320 Queen Street, age 22, passed away in Yokohama, Japan, Tuesday, October 20, 1970. He was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School and was serving with the Navy.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Swendt, Jr.; a brother, David; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Swendt, Sr., City, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ellersick in Oregon.

Services will be conducted by Rev. Ted Goodwin Tuesday, October 27 at 10:30 A.M. at Jones Funeral Home. Interment will follow in Bay View Cemetery with full Military Honors.



**William Andrew Tomaras
(1947-1994)**

William Andrew (Bill) Tomaras Jr. of Everett died Wednesday, March 2, 1994, of kidney cancer. He was 46.

Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Bremerton. Friends and family are taking the 10:30 a.m. Seattle-Bremerton Ferry. For directions, call (206) 743-6320.

Born July 1, 1947, to William A. "Bill" and Dorothy "Dolly" Tomaras Sr. in Champaign, Illinois, the family moved twice before settling in Bellingham in 1961. A 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School, Mr. Tomaras was active in student leadership, wrestling and photography.

After two years in the U. S. Army, he worked at Russ Cliff Photography in Bellingham. He moved to Everett in 1971, where he was a photographer for Pete Kinch and Pringle-Marchand/Olin Mills. He later worked nine years for GTE and nine years for Boeing Company.

Survivors include his wife, Shari, of the family home; sons Andy Tomaras and Kenny Tomaras, both of Edmonds; daughter Tara of the family home; brothers Gus Tomaras of Port Orchard and Randy Tomaras of Mill Creek; and his parents of Port Orchard.



**Keith Douglas Trafton
(1947-2011)**

Aug 4, 1947 - Sept 13, 2011 was born in Bellingham to Robert and Connie Trafton. He is survived by brothers Bruce, Richard, and his son Kris. Memorial at the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), 625 N State St. Sunday, Sept. 18, 2011 at 2PM. (No more information available.)



**James Edward Trott
(1947-2004)**

James Edward Trott, age 57, passed away after a brief illness on Tuesday, May 4, 2004, and is now in Heaven. He was born in Bellingham on Jan. 30, 1947, to Margaret (Peggy) Trott and the late Lee Trott. He was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School, served six years in the Army National Guard and was the owner of Jim's Restaurant Repair Service.

He is survived by his wife Patsy (Larsen) of the family home; mother, Peggy Trott; sons Ryan and Monte Trott; stepmother Helen Trott; brothers, Rick (Joyce) Trott of Charlotte, NC, Tim (Jacki) Trott, Dave (Kris) Trott, and Steve (Cindy) Trott; sisters Marya Welch

and Jean Trott; sister-in-law Diane Cook; brother-in-law Randy (Rose) Larsen, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Please send memorials to Whatcom Hospice, 600 Chestnut, Bellingham, Washington 98225. Jim will continue to be loved and missed very much. A private family service will be held Sunday, May 9, 2004.



**Larry Alan Tuor
(1947-2010)**

Larry A. Tuor, age 62 of Bellingham passed away on Thursday, January 21, 2010. He was born on January 27, 1947 in Bellingham to Leslie and Dorothea (Toms) Tuor. Larry graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and attended Western Washington University, where he earned two Bachelors degrees in Political Science and English. Larry married Judy Gebo in April of 1972. He had a passion for architecture and worked in the building industry for most of his life in residential and commercial construction. Larry had been a volunteer fireman and enjoyed poetry, cooking, and fishing. He was an avid reader and history buff, and loved collecting vintage items. Larry's favorite times were those he spent with his family.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and is survived by his wife, Judy Tuor; son, Toby (Tasha) Tuor; daughter, Brandee (Ryan) Roy; sister, Linda Earley; grandsons, Jackson Roy and Niko Tuor; and his dog, Penardo. A celebration of Larry's life will be held on Saturday, February 6, 2010 at 10:00 AM at Moles-Greenacres Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Whatcom County Search and Rescue; 1041 W. Smith Rd., Bellingham, WA 98225 You may share your memories of Larry in the online guest book at www.molesfuneralhomes.com Moles-Greenacres Funeral Home, Memorial Park and On-site Crematory.



**Dianne L. Van Buren
(1947-2007)**

Dianne L. Van Buren passed away on Sunday, September 2, 2007, in Seattle. She was 60, born October 1, 1947, in Bellingham, to Russell K. and Inez (Swanson) Van Buren. She attended Bellingham High School, and later on graduated from the University of Washington. She worked for Deloitte Touche and the Vineum Company during her later years. She leaves her parents, and a brother, Russell Clayton and wife Penny Van Buren.

A memorial service will be held Thursday, September 13, at 1:30, at Grace Baptist Fellowship in Lynden, with Pastor Delaine Bailey officiating.



**Donald Kise Willis
(1947-2005)**

Donald Kise Willis, 57, son of the late Kise and Effie Willis, beloved husband of Kathy, and proud father of Shannon and Kerry, died on Saturday, October 15, 2005, surrounded by family and friends.

Donald was born in Black Springs, AR, graduated from Bellingham High School and, at age 17, enlisted into the U.S. Navy. Later, he proudly served as an officer in the U.S. Air Force. After retiring from the Air Force, Donald worked 12 years for the Federal Aviation Administration in Washington, D.C.

Don was preceded in death by his father, mother and sister, Shirley. Vibrant, loving and kind, Don faced his battle with cancer as everything in his life, with unmatched faith, courage, and dignity.

Don is survived by his devoted wife, Kathy; two daughters, Shannon and Kerry, of Virginia; a sister, Jeanette Harris, of Moses Lake, WA; a sister Joan Owens, of Bellingham, WA; and many beloved extended family members and friends. The memory of all his goodness soothes the pain of this loss. Funeral services were held in Woodbridge, VA.



**Beth Delora Willson Oostra
(1947-2000)**

A celebration of life for Beth D. Oostra begins at 10 a.m. Saturday at American Legion Post No. 7, 1688 W. Bakerview Road, with Bishop Butch Erickson officiating. Mrs. Oostra died Tuesday, December 26, 2000, in Bellingham. She was 53. Born February 28, 1947, to Russell Allison and Lauradell (Stuart) Willson in Webster City, Iowa, she lived in Bellingham for 42 years, graduating from Bellingham High School in 1965.

Mrs. Oostra worked at Merchants Supply and as a bartender at American Legion post. A member of the post, she enjoyed bingo, fishing and camping, history and the Seattle Mariners and Seahawks.

Her mother died in 1992. Survivors include her son, Jacob Allen Oostra; daughter Nancy Slesk; three grandchildren; her father of Webster City; and sisters Audrey Allen and Carolyn Nelson, both of Bellingham, and Sally Wagner of DeLano, California.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Whatcom Hospice, 600 Birchwood, Bellingham, Washington, 98225. Arrangements are by Jones-Moles Funeral Home.



**Susan Winterburn Shoemaker
(1947-2011)**

Susan Shoemaker passed away August 20, 2011, at home with her family. She was a lifetime resident of Whatcom County, born September 29, 1947, in Bellingham to Florence and William "Bud" Winterburn.

Susan graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and later graduated from Western Washington University. On November 3, 1972 she married Richard Shoemaker. Sue and Rick have lived in

Custer for the last 38 years. Sue was very active in St. Joseph's Catholic Church as a 5th grade religious education teacher. Sue loved arts and crafts and started quilting a few years ago, gifting several quilts to family and friends. She also loved walking with Rick and the dogs and taking photos of nature, especially the eagles at Semiahmoo. Sue enjoyed spending time with her grandkids: Veronica, Trevor & Morgan. Sue had a great love for animals including her horses and donkeys.

Sue is greatly missed by her husband, Richard Shoemaker and her two children Kenneth Shoemaker & Stacey (Darren) Jones, as well as three grandchildren and sister: Sharon Calabrese and brothers: William Winterburn, Steve (Pat) Winterburn and Doug (Karen) Winterburn and numerous nieces and nephews.

A Vigil Service will be held on Friday, August 26th at 7pm at Westford Funeral Home in Bellingham. Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, August 27th at 11am at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Ferndale, followed by a reception in the church hall. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Whatcom Hospice, PeaceHealth St. Joseph Cancer Center or St. Joseph's Youth Group. Our family wishes to give thanks to the Hospice care nurses and to the nurses at the infusion center for their loving and special care. We also want to thank our friends for all the support they gave to Rick & Sue during her illness. You may view photos and share memories with the family at www.westfordfuneralhome.com Westford Family Funeral Home & Cremation Broadway at Eldridge.



**Dale Allan Pitts
(1947-1987)**

(No information available.)

**Marlin Jacob Young
(1947-2008)**

Marlin Jacob Young died Sunday, April 13, 2008. Born January 7, 1947, in Bellingham, Washington, to Doyle and Violet Young. After graduating from Bellingham High, he met his wife Carol Dooyen while attending Bellingham Votech. He was drafted and served in the Vietnam War. Marlin and Carol made their home in Bellingham, WA until 1988 when they moved to Olympia, WA. Marlin was most recently employed by Amcor as a Line Mechanic. He died peacefully at home surrounded by his family after fighting a short battle with lung cancer. He will be missed by his wife Carol, Daughter Marla Anderson and husband Steven, Daughter Rosemaree Webb and husband Nigel, son Richard Young and three grandchildren Benjamin Anderson, Katelynn Anderson and Cecelia Webb. Other survivors include sister Alvina Wheeler and brother Marvin Young. Preceded in death by his parents, brothers Don and Marion Young, sisters Dorothy Swan and Violet Fair. Memorial services will be held 2:00 P.M. Thursday at Woodlawn Funeral home in Lacey WA. Graveside services 1:00 P.M. Friday at Greenacres in Ferndale WA.



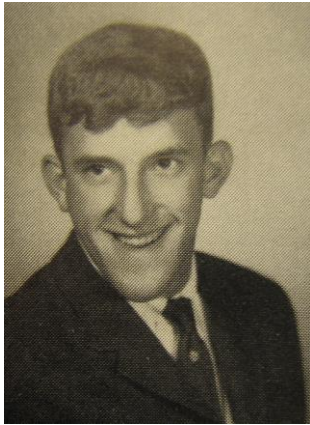
**Joseph Warren Taylor
(1947-2010)**

Joseph Warren Taylor, born Jan. 8, 1947 passed away suddenly in Bellingham on Feb 22, 2010. He served his country in the US Army in Fort Hood, Texas where he received the National Defense Service Medal and 1st class gunner and sharpshooter designation. He was first and foremost a fisherman. He fished for over forty five years in Southeast, AK and Puget Sound. He moved from Bellingham to Petersburg, AK in 1989. He retired in 2005 from fishing. He is survived by his partner of many years Mary Hall and her children. His children David and Alice; grandchildren Clarice and Natalie, sisters Joan, June, Carol; cousins Dan, Ron, Peggy, Jerry, Judy and their families. He was a very kind and gentle man who will be greatly missed by many. Memorial service for family and friends will be held on Saturday, March 20th, from 3-6 pm at Bloedel Donovan's Small Pavillion. All are welcome.



**Linda Louise Dougherty
(1946-2008)**

Linda L. Dougherty passed away July 30, 1998. She was born to Dorothea and Dale Dougherty May 8, 1946, in Bellingham, Washington, and lived here most of her life. She was graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965 and went on to study at Shaw Business College. She then studied art at Western which culminated in a one-woman show in Bellingham in 1972 and a three-year exhibition in Portland. She owned and operated a houseplant nursery for seven years. In 1990, she started a secretarial and resume service in her new home in Skagit County which she continued to operate until her death. Linda was a strong person whose positive attitude did not let her disabilities from contracting polio at a young age stop her from achieving her goals. She was an avid pet enthusiast, caring for canaries, ducks and dogs, and she enjoyed her weekly dance outings. She was preceded in death by her mother and father. Linda was survived by one brother, Tim Dougherty and his wife Debbie, of Ferndale.



**John Robert Wibbens
(1947-2008)**

John passed away at his home in Bow on Tuesday, September 9, 2008, surrounded by his family, after losing a courageous battle with non-Hodgkin Lymphoma and HLH.

He is survived by his loving wife, Sandy; his mother Fern; son Mike and wife Holly; daughter Heather Burgess and husband Dixon; two brothers Rick and wife Judy; Allen and wife Tracy; two sisters Rayna Moe and husband Bob; Janet Chamberlain and husband Dave; one step-son

Andy Wahlgren; two step-daughters Laura Best and husband Mark; Cari Olin and husband Blake; and mother-in-law Darlene Hammond. His grandchildren are Abby, Kira, Taylor, Haven, Jaxon, Riley, Lirissa, Noah, Malin, James and Eliana. His numerous nephews, nieces, cousins and many co-workers and friends will forever miss John. He was preceded in death by his father, Ray.

John was born in Bellingham, Washington, on February 28, 1947, and graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He was a volunteer and assistant fire chief with the Lake Samish Fire Department for many years and a member of Boy Scout Troop 22, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation and the NRA. He shared his love of the outdoors by teaching the Whatcom and Skagit County 6th Grade Conservation Tours.

John worked in the timber industry throughout his life, starting with Georgia Pacific, and established Bayview Timber Consulting in 1995.

His love for his grandchildren and family, fishing, hunting, camping, farming and travel will live in our warm memories.

A celebration of John's life will be held at 4 pm on Monday, September 15 at Camp Lutherwood on Lake Samish. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in John's memory to the Skagit Hospice, CaringBridge.com or Camp Lutherwood.



**Karen Mary Tack Goldman
(1947-2014)**

Karen M. Tack-Goldman passed away February 8, 2014, in Derwood, Maryland. Beloved wife of Stephen S. Goldman. Loving mother of Matthew Michael Goldman. Sister of Brian F. Tack and Kristen Ely. Services and inurnment will be private. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made in her name to the Foundation for the CurePSP, or www.psp.org.



**William Allen
(1947-2015)**

Bill Allen went home to be with his Lord and Savior on February 24, 2015, almost to the day of his birth 68 years earlier on February 20, 1947. He was the oldest of eight children born to Margaret and Sidney Allen in Bellingham, WA. A proud American citizen, he served his country in the Navy with a tour of duty in Viet Nam on the USS Askari. He graduated from Bellingham High School and after the service, attended Skagit Valley Junior College for several quarters. Bill is survived by his three sons, Brandon (Jaemi), Bryce, and Brodie; three grandchildren, Gavin, Finley Jane, and Corban; five sisters and two brothers, Susan (Art), Linda (Ted), Candy (Ron), Debbie (Gene), Jon (Patti), Sandy (Roger), and David; and many nieces and nephews. Thanks to his dad, Bill knew the correct way to paint a house inside and out, and he was good at fixing up old houses despite their lack of square corners. He will long be remembered as the guy who loved animals, babies, mega cups of black coffee, and shootin' the breeze with friends. He will be missed by both family and friends. Memorial services for Bill will be held Tuesday, March 3, at 1:00 PM, at Redeemer Church, 211 North Shore Drive, Bellingham. You may share with Bill's family in the online guest book at www.molesfarewelltributes.com.



**Rogelio Menchaca Garcia
(1946-2012)**

Roger M. Garcia passed away unexpectedly at his home on Sunday, June 24, 2012. He was 66, born April 8, 1946 in San Antonio, TX, the second oldest son of Gregorio and Maria (Menchaca) Garcia. Roger was a graduate of Bellingham High School. He loved to play golf and enjoyed going to Twisp with Larry, his close and personal friend of many years. Roger retired from Intalco Refinery, having worked there for 35 years. Roger was a kind and gentle man who would do anything to help you. He was a man who always put others first. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him. The family would like to thank Roger's favorite niece Laura for all the rides from here to there and everywhere. "We all love you and miss you Roger."

Roger was preceded in death by his parents; nieces, Kari Lantz, and Adrian Dawn Garcia. He is survived by his sisters, Grace Bob, Rosie Bouker, Mary Parr, Patty Garcia; brothers, Greg Garcia, Tony Garcia, Oscar Garcia, Everett Garcia, Ernest Garcia; nieces and nephews, Laura, Cecila, Debbie, Kelly, Lisa, Greg, Cindy, Stacy, Adele, Andrea, Leandra, Tashina, Benjamin, and J.R. A memorial mass will be held Monday, July 16, at 11 AM, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Ferndale. Please share memories of Roger online at www.farewelltributes.com Moles Farewell Tributes Greenacres Memorial Park

**George Edward Sundean
(1945-2013)**

George was born on December 29, 1945, and passed away on Tuesday, April 2, 2013. George was a resident of Custer, Washington. (No further information available.)



**Lynda Jean Weber Ferry
(1947-2015)**

Lynda Jean Weber Ferry, age 67, of Bellingham, passed away in Bellingham Saturday, March 28, 2015. She was born July 11, 1947, in White Salmon, Washington, to parents Eldon A. and Clara M. (Martin) Weber. Survived by son, Travis Ferry; grandson Skyler Ferry; siblings, Connie Giger, Kathy Weber, Pat Betts, Dave Maness, and numerous other family members. A graveside inurnment service will be held at Bayview Cemetery, Thursday April 9, 2015, 10:30 AM, followed by a Celebration of Life Open House at

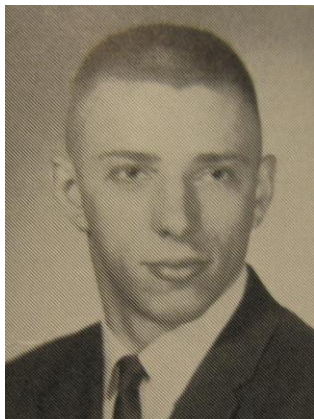
the Squalicum Boathouse, 2600 N. Harbor Loop Drive, Bellingham, WA 98225 from 12:00 Noon - 3:00 PM. Please share your thoughts and memories on-line at www.sigsfuneralservices.com.



**Christine Ann Eggert
(1947-2015)**

Christine A. Eggert went to be with her Lord and Savior on June 20, 2015. She was born in Bellingham on April 20, 1947. Christine was affiliated with several International Unions. Her cats were the love of her life. Christine is survived by her mother Arlene Eggert, sister Leslie Jones, brothers Chuck and Bill Eggert, numerous nieces nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. She is preceded in death by her father Marven K. Eggert. An informal Celebration of Life will be held on

Wednesday July 1, 2015, 2:00pm at Moles Farewell Tributes - Greenacres, 5700 Northwest Dr., Ferndale. Memorial may be made to Whatcom Humane Society. Please share your memories of Christine at www.molesfarewelltributes.com.



**William Linwood Eastman
(1946-2000)**

A memorial service for William L. Eastman Jr. of Bellingham will be at 2 p.m. today (March 3, 2000) at Custer Gospel Assembly.

Mr. Eastman died of cancer Wednesday, March 1, 2000, at Alderwood Park Convalescent Center. He was 53.

Born September 15, 1946, to Marjorie and William L. Eastman, Sr., in Bellingham, he was a lifetime Bellingham resident and a Bellingham High School graduate. On August 13, 1975, he married Alice Lopez in Bellingham.

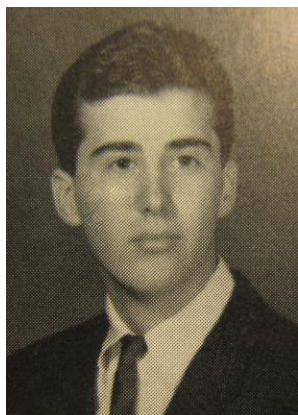
Mr. Eastman worked as a heavy-equipment operator at Alcoa Intalco Works, formerly Intalco Aluminum Corp., for 33 years.

Mr. Eastman was a member of Seattle Gospel Assembly and Bellingham Pipe Band. He also was a member and officer of Marietta Fire Department for Fire District No. 8.

His hobbies included camping, woodworking, building computers and traveling.

Survivors include his wife, of the family home; daughters Lisa M. Thompson of Bellingham, Tena Lynn Eastman of Ferndale and Bekki A. Ashe of Lynden; stepdaughters Maria I. Armstrong of Bellingham, Anita A. Hinojosa of Yakima and Rosita Martinez of Spokane; stepsons Israel O. Hinojosa of Seattle, Jose L. Salazer of Yakima and Angel M. Hinojosa of Las Vegas; sisters Lynne E. Marrow and Kathy Houston, both of Bellingham; brother Patrick T. Eastman of Bellingham; 15 grandchildren, including Samuel Bowman, who was raised as his son; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 2447, Bellingham, WA 98227.



**David Edward Brewster
(1947-2015)**

David Edward Brewster was born September 19, 1947 in Waverly, Iowa, the Son of Lawrence and Margaret Brewster. He graduated from Bellingham High School in 1965. He served two years of active duty in Vietnam followed by attendance at Western Washington University, where he graduated in 1973.

Dave had a long and productive career with Georgia-Pacific's Building Products Division, where he also served on several industry committees and Boards. He was highly thought of by his company and associates in the industry. He retired from G-P in Atlanta, GA after 35 years of distinguish service.

Dave was an active musician all his life, from having his own band in his youth to being a member of his church choir. Dave was a outstanding photographer, a world traveler, a dedicated ALTA tennis player, and an active member of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

He was a loving husband, father. uncle and grandfather. He is survived by his Wife Patricia, Two Children, daughter Jennifer Brewster Coughlin (husband, Steve Coughlin) and their children, Thomas and David Coughlin. And, his son Michael Brewster (wife, Kristen Brewster) and their children Caroline and Cassidy Brewster. He is also survived by his sister Carol Garguile (husband Dominic Garguile) and Brother Steve Brewster, both of Bellingham, WA. A celebration of Dave's life will be held at 11 am on Wednesday, August 12th at St. Ann's Catholic Church, 4909 Roswell Rd. Marietta, GA. The Family has

requested in lieu of flowers that contributions be made in memory of Dave Brewster, to the MS 150, BikeMSNorthwest, 192 Nickerson St. #100. Seattle, WA 98109. Published in The Atlanta Journal-Constitution on Aug. 9, 2015.



**Thomas Bradley Peterson
(1947-2015)**

Thomas B. Peterson, 68, of Bellingham, passed away August 14, 2015.

I was born December 1, 1947, in Bellingham, Washington, to father Clyde Peterson, mother Lucy (Meyenburg) Peterson, sisters Frances (Carpenter) Peterson and Alice (Imel) Peterson now deceased and brother Michael Peterson.

I am a lifelong resident of Bellingham. After high school I joined the Navy serving 3 years, one of

which was in Vietnam, and I spent a year of duty at the Kodiak Navy Station in Alaska where I met my future wife and the beginning of the best 45 years of my life together with Theresa Ann (O'Neal) Peterson. Together we were so blessed to have 3 sons, Norman and wife Kristin, daughters, Bailey and Riley; Bradley and wife Megan, daughter, Rebekah; Stephen and wife MaryJo, and daughters, Maren and Anneliese, have made such success of themselves that a father could not be more proud.

I have held several jobs consecutively: carpenter with Local #756, long time member of the Fire District #10 as a volunteer serving as Chief and EMT., Navy 3 years, and the Army National Guard 21 years receiving the Bronze Star and The State of Washington Legion of Merit award.

My most satisfying profession was my tour in Iraq. My job was running a maintenance unit to recover, repair, and put back in service vehicles as fast as possible. This job, soldiers taking care of soldiers, was the best job I ever had. My success in maintenance goes back to my father, Clyde, who never told my brother and me that we couldn't do something. Just put it back together when we're done. Dad passed so many skills down to me and mostly my brother. One thing dad did tell me not to do was touch his brand new double blade axe. I was about 8 years old and nearly cut off my right little toe. Dad saw it happen but never said a word as he saw Mic help me hobble to the house and must have figured a lesson learned. As kids, a great deal of our time was spent clearing the land, burning stumps, picking rocks, cleaning the barn, making hay, running machinery, and hard work, but I wouldn't trade my life for anyone else's.

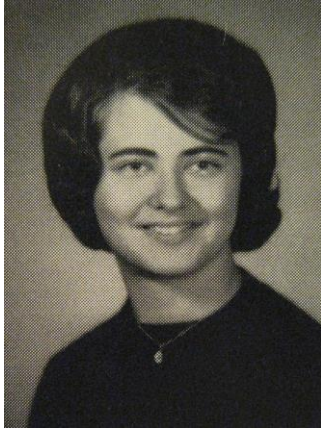
I have been so blessed with so much support from family and support from Trinity and Grace Lutheran Churches, and the many friends, over the past 2 years that I cannot begin to properly express my gratitude.

The Memorial Service will be held Tuesday, August 25th at 11:00am at Trinity Lutheran Church in Bellingham. Memorials are preferred to : Cancer Center Trials - Peacehealth St. Joseph Medical Center, c/o Carol Brumet, 3301 Squalicum Pkwy, Bellingham, WA 98225.

Have Faith and Belief and I will see you again.

Thank you.

Tom



**Janet Ann Coil
(1947-2007)**

Janet was born September 17, 1947, in Spokane, the daughter of Gene and Marian Coil. She passed away October 3, 2007, in Spokane. She was a 1965 graduate of Bellingham High School and received her BA in communications from Eastern Washington University in 1975. Before her long bout with cancer, she was an underwriter and supervisor in the insurance business in the Sacramento, CA area. She is survived by her

parents; brother John Coil; sisters Linda (George) Hushman, Patty Coil, Carol Coil, Kathleen (Dave) Haberl and Mary (Jeff) Cooper; aunts, uncles and numerous nephews and nieces. She had many friends and was devoted to loving and serving God. Her varied interests included sports, reading and music. Funeral services will be Saturday, October 6, 2007, at 11 am at Hennessey Smith Funeral Home with committal to follow at Holy Cross Cemetery, 7200 N. Wall Street, Spokane, Washington.