



## Dale Oran Howe

January 4, 1944 - June 30, 2017

Dale Oran Howe, 73, resident of Warden, WA passed away on June 30, 2017 at Central Washington Hospital in Wenatchee. He was born to Oran and Ann (Daris) Howe in Portland, Oregon on January 1, 1944. Dale had 2 brothers and 1 sister. He graduated in 1964 from Othello High School in Othello, WA.

Dale married Sharon Opal (Middleton) Howe on October 14, 1967 in George, Washington. They had 2 sons and 1 daughter; Dale Scott, Jason Daniel, and Sonya Jenee. During his life, Dale served in the army, and held various occupations: Mechanic, farmer, and truck driver. Dale was involved in the Automotive Machinist Union, Coulee Baptist Association, and a member of the Warden First Baptist Church. He was active in 4-H with his kids doing horses and steers. Dale loved being on the Internet, Facebook, helping his kids, and watching his grandchildren do various activities and getting hugs from them. He will always be remembered for wearing his famous "Jesus" faith messaged hats.

Dale is survived by wife: Sharon of Warden, his children: Scott (Maria) Howe of Moses Lake, Jason (Kami) Howe of Warden, and Sonya (Eric) Vraives of Ellensburg. His sister: Linda (Frank) Waters of Burbank, sisters-in-law: Suzanne (Daniel) Walker of Ellensburg and Karen Howe of Moses Lake, his grandchildren: Ethan, Amelia, Emmett, Alyssa, Arabella, Hailey, and Makenna; his step-grandchildren: Justin, Aubrey, and Shayne; and numerous

nephews & nieces, and cousins. Dale will be greatly missed by his family, friends, and his church.

He was preceded in death by his parents- Ann & Oran Howe, and brothers: Rodger & Larry Howe.

A burial service and interment will take place at the Sunset Memorial Gardens at a later time.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, July 8, 2017 at the Warden First Baptist Church, 1017 Grant Road, Warden, WA 98837. Luncheon to follow the service.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Gardens

9934 Road U SE  
Warden, WA

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL 8. 11:00 AM (PT)

Warden First Baptist Church  
1017 S. Grant St.  
Warden, WA

# Tribute Wall

FG

“ Sharon, Boyd and I have known you a Dale a long time and we are so sorry for your loss and you are in our thoughts & prayers. May God hold you & family in the palm of his hand. Fran & Boyd Grant

Fran Grant - July 07, 2017 at 10:30 PM

JH

“ John Holland lit a candle in memory of Dale Oran Howe



John Holland - July 07, 2017 at 12:24 PM

JH

*I wish I remained in contact with Dale later on in life. We used to visit my Aunt Anna and Uncle Oran in Othello when we lived in Washington. I remember Dale as a fun loving but gentile 1st cousin. I remember the time we were on one of their horses, Dale in front and I was behind him trying to hold on. Trying was the key word – Dale and the horse when up this incline as I slid off the back. Nothing hurt except maybe my pride. Dale was so sorry for what happened.*

*My deepest condolences to Dale's wife Sharon and the rest of his family. Though I've never met you, you are in my thoughts and prayers. Dale can now rest in peace with his mom, dad, and brothers. Dale, you will be missed.*

*John Holland*

John Holland - July 07, 2017 at 12:25 PM

AG

“ My condolences to you Sharon, your family and Dale's family. I am deeply saddened and send you my prayers.

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**Anna Gonzalez** - July 07, 2017 at 12:10 AM

RH

“ Condolences to Dale's family. When we both worked for Sargent Pump & Irrigation, we built the first Raincat Circle in the Columbia Basin (with some help from John Sargent!). Dale was a wonderful man to work with, and was a fun to be around in high school as well. I remember him as a good person that you could always count on.  
Richard Hanks

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**Richard Hanks** - July 06, 2017 at 03:37 PM

MD

“ Dale and Sharon Howe raised some of the best kids you'll ever know, then in turn they were blessed with some of the greatest grandkids.  
That doesn't happen by accident, and while I did not know Dale I have great respect for him and Sharon because of their outstanding kids. I'm so very sorry that the family is having to face his loss.

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**Mary Lynn Duncan** - July 04, 2017 at 11:18 AM

SH

“ I met Dale because he was married to my cousin and childhood best friend Sharon. Unfortunately we lived in different parts of the country and I only saw him a few times when we traveled to Washington. He was always very down to earth and friendly. When I called them once to say I was coming out to Washington, I remember Dale said, "God Bless" when I said good bye. It struck me as very open and kind for him to end the call this way as I did not know him very well. The last time I saw him was in Colorado and he had a keen mind and interest in the mountains and history of this area. It would have been wonderful for him to come back again but I will always remember his trip to Missouri and Colorado in 2016.

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**Sharen Hall** - July 03, 2017 at 10:18 PM

KH

“ Through the years, I got to know Dale. He's my husband's (David) cousin. When Dale was still driving truck and happened to come through Idaho, he would always stop in Emmett just to check in. We usually took him to dinner. There were lots of fun times at Howe Family Reunions in Emmett, Idaho and Othello, Washington. Heaven is a brighter place with Dale's presence there.

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**Kris Howe** - July 03, 2017 at 07:31 PM