



Dennis L. Hanson

June 3, 1945 - September 2, 2012

Longtime Moses Lake resident, Dennis Hanson was called to heaven on Sunday morning, Sept. 2nd. He was a born in Minnesota and moved to eastern Washington in 1972. Dennis truly loved the people, culture, and natural surroundings of the Columbia Basin. Born in 1945 to Burton and Isabelle Hanson, Dennis grew up on a farm near the rural town of Lake Benton, Minnesota. He attended SDSU in Brookings, SD, and earned a BS in Agricultural Business. He entered the U.S. Army during the height of the Vietnam War, and was stationed in Turkey and West Germany. During that time, he and his high-school sweetheart, Muriel Lange, were married. After his military service, Dennis moved to Washington and worked as an agricultural and commercial loan officer, servicing many local farmers and businesses in our area.

Dennis was an honorable, patriotic, God-loving man. He was a tender father and grandfather and a trusted friend. He enjoyed spending time with his family, playing and watching sports, hiking, family road trips, taking pictures, and creating beautiful Christmas light displays. He leaves behind Muriel, his wife of 44 years, two daughters and their families: Erin and Chad Huff, Shawn and Scott West. Grandchildren Nicole and Dominick Heroux, Addison and Ian Huff, Trevor and Brooke West will miss him. He is also survived by his sister, Arlene Lage, and his twin brother, Dale Hanson and their families.

The Lutheran Faith has been a lifelong mainstay in Dennis' life. He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, in Moses Lake Washington. In lieu of

flowers, contributions to the church or the American Heart Association are greatly appreciated. A memorial service will be held Saturday, September 8th, at 4 PM at Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Previous Events

Service

SEP 8. 4:00 PM (PT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
1020 S. A Street
Moses Lake, WA

Tribute Wall



“ We had the opportunity and good fortune to work with Dennis as a customer when he was in Coulee City. So sorry to hear about your loss. Our heartfelt sympathy for the family. Gordon & Marge##imported-begin##Gordon and Marge Steinmetz##imported-end##

September 11, 2012 at 06:25 PM



“ Dear Muriel, Shawn, Erin and family, I am so sad about Dennis. I love you and am here to help in whatever way I can. Blessings, dorie##imported-begin##Dorie Staiger##imported-end##

September 08, 2012 at 10:52 AM



“ Our thoughts are with the entire family during this time of loss. Gnr & Bonnie##imported-begin##Gene & Bonnie Polhamus##imported-end##

September 07, 2012 at 04:42 PM



“ Muriel, Please accept my deepest and sincere condolences. Dennis was a very good man with whom I enjoyed working with very much. I know that he will be missed.##imported-begin##Max Webb##imported-end##

September 07, 2012 at 01:58 PM



“ Muriel and family, I was so sorry to hear of Dennis passing. Dennis was such a kind, helpful and wonderful man. I worked with him at both Security Pacific and WTB. He was a good and caring friend. You are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Sharon Leesburg##imported-end##

September 07, 2012 at 11:29 AM



“ Muriel, Shawn & Erin ~ I am truly sorry to hear about Dennis' passing. Please know that you and your families are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. My deepest condolences. ~Deborah##imported-begin##Deborah Arizmendi##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 10:31 PM



“ Hi folks,
Priscilla and I were so surprised to hear the news of Dennis' death. How hard this must be for all of you. We have so many great memories of special times with your family. May God's comfort and strength be with you in the days to come. When death does its worst that is when our God does His best! Our love, Pastor Kevan and Priscilla Smith##imported-begin##Kevan Smith##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 05:46 PM



“ Looking at whats important in life, Dennis had his priorities right with God and family on top of the list. What a lesson to teach. Wish we could be present to celebrate his life . We are scheduled to to be in Cheney with our Grand son and wife for a shower for their expected child They are in ceminary and will be here for Saturday only.##imported-begin##Harvey & Gayle Erickson##imported-end##

September 06, 2012 at 01:10 AM



“ Muriel,
We are so sad to hear of Dennis' passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Nancy##imported-begin##Nancy Rooney##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 07:41 PM



“ Dear Muriel I was so schocked to her about Denny I'm so sorry he was a very good man my prayers are for you and the kids I know what a hard time this is for you Linda & Norm##imported-begin##Linda benson##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 06:43 PM



“ Muriel, Shawn and Erin: I am so saddened by the passing of Dennis. He was an amazing man and will be missed by many. You are all in my prayers. May God watch over and protect you all.
Teri##imported-begin##Teri Oliver##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 06:24 PM



“ *Muriel and family
Many thoughts and deepest sympathy to you and your family at this time. We were truly saddened to hear of the passing of Dennis. May all your memories bring peace to your heart.##imported-begin##John and Eileen Lawrence##imported-end##*

September 05, 2012 at 05:20 PM



“ *Muriel and family, Barb and I were shocked and saddened to hear of Dennis's passing. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family during this time of sadness. Dennis will be missed but will always be remembered. God Bless.##imported-begin##Tom and Barb Keilman##imported-end##*

September 05, 2012 at 05:11 PM



“ *To Erin and Family,
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Although I did not know Dennis personally, I consider Erin as one of my dearest friends. Over the years she has talked so lovingly and compassionately of her father and I could always sense that he held a special place in her heart. I know Erin missed her dad because he lived miles away in Washington, but now from heaven he'll get to look down upon her and her family daily to witness what we in Colorado all know...she is a caring neighbor, wonderful friend, and devoted mother. What a gift and legacy Dennis left here on earth for generations to come! Great work Dad! May the Lord give you peace and comfort. God Bless.##imported-begin##Lauren Geypens##imported-end##*

September 05, 2012 at 04:42 PM



“ Our thoughts are with you. Dennis was truly one of the "good guys" in our community and world and he will be missed.##imported-begin##Tom and Jill Heath##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 02:45 PM



“ Muriel, Shawn, & Erin, I am so sorry to hear about Dennis. I will always remember how kind he was and the good times we shared at the 4th of July neighborhood parties. My prayers are with all of you.

Betty Arizmendi

College Station, Tx##imported-begin##Betty Arizmendi##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 11:08 AM



“ Muriel, Shawn and Erin Our thoughts are with you. Oh may the memories I have as a child living just across the road from the twins. Then having Denny married my college roommate. Even though we lost contact for a few years, since we have been traveling we have had the opportunity to visit you in Washington and get reacquainted and so thankful that we saw you last summer. You have our deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Donna and Travis Bierman##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 12:42 AM



“ Our deepest condolences. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless!##imported-begin##Teri Braun##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 11:09 PM



“ Muriel Shawn & Erin, a great father and gentleman has passed. Dennis was a great man and will be missed by many. Prayers for all of you. Bob Jr.##imported-begin##Bob Trask Jr.##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 10:17 PM



“ We are truly sorry for the sudden loss of Mr Hanson, Erin and Chad always talked fondly of him. We only met him once, just after Ian was born but could tell quickly how kind he was. While I'm sure his sudden passing brings sorrow to the family, I know you are finding comfort in your faith and knowing that he has gone to meet his maker and feel pain and fear no more. Erin and Chad - Let us know if we can do anything, you are in our thoughts!##imported-begin##Christy and Mark Yeaman##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 10:11 PM



“ Muriel and girls, Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you as you say goodbye to Denny. I have so many great memories growing up with him, Dale and Arlene. I remember (many years ago!) Curt, Dale and Denny going to a LBHS basketball game and after the game, the twins came up to our house and brought me a box of popcorn! And as the one of the younger cousins, the boys would let me follow them around out on the farm. There will always be memories of Denny. I pray that you are feeling God's loving arms around you in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Lloyd and Mona Schrader##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 12:33 PM



“ Muriel, Shawn and Erin,
Its so hard to find the right words to
share at this difficult time. Please
know we are praying for you that God
will give you the peace that passes all
understanding and along with your wonderful memories carry you
through.
Please let us know if we can do anything
to help. God Bless and Protect Chuck and Martha###imported-
begin##Chuck and Martha Cox##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 12:33 AM



“ Muriel, Shawn, and Erin --
We were surprised and very saddened to have received this news.
Know that many many of us are thinking of you and keeping you in
our prayers, that you may be lifted up and find comfort in His peace.
Debbie###imported-begin##Lou and Debbie Hesse##imported-
end##

September 03, 2012 at 02:24 PM



“ Muriel, Erin, and family - I'm sorry to hear of Dennis' passing. God
be with you during this time and in the days to come. Peace be with
you. Wendy###imported-begin##Wendy##imported-end##

September 02, 2012 at 06:15 PM