



Douglas N Kagele

October 5, 1954 - May 6, 2018

After what seemed like a much too short of a battle with lung cancer, it seems cancer was the victor and took Doug to his next journey on May 6th 2018. I was born in Ritzville Washington as Douglas Norman Kagele. Which sometimes would make my mother mad if anyone called me Doug. "His name is DOUGLAS" She would inform! I was the middle of 6 kids growing up on a wheat and cattle farm perched high on a hill in Adams County. On clear days we could see Mt Rainer. What great times my siblings and I had goofing around on the farm until we were old enough to get put to work. I managed to graduate from high school in 1973 and enrolled in Yakima Valley Community College, it was there where I met Shannon Zink, who turned out to be the love of my life for 42 years. We were married in 1976 and had many good times together enjoying the same activities. We were truly blessed with two wonderful children during those years. Dustin was born in 1980 and Shayla was born in 1982. I taught them cool things around the farm and gave them rides on farm equipment, it was fun!

In 1988 we moved to Ephrata and I started working as the only mechanic for Consolidated Disposal. A garbage truck shouldn't be much different than a combine right? They are a privately owned company who treated me well, and I worked there for 29 years. We started with about 8 pieces of equipment and have over 40 pieces of equipment and 3 mechanics now.

Please try not to be sad for long. Hopefully I gave each of you a smile at some point in our lives and you will think of that moment and move on smiling. I feel I had a pretty good life I am ready for whatever God has in his plan for me.

Survived by wife Shannon, son Dustin and his wife Betsy, daughter Shayla and her husband Matt Millen, Grandchildren of Brinlee & Rhett Kagele, Aiden and Kinley Millen, and A new un-named boy at the moment. Sisters Madeline, Alice, Julie, and Faye. Mother in law Gloria Moxley and many Nieces and Nephews.

Doug Wrote his own Obituary 2 weeks before loosing his battle to cancer.

Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m., Monday, May 14, 2018 at the Moses Lake Presbyterian Church, 1142 W. Ivy, Moses Lake. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Assured Hospice, 1417 South Pioneer Way, Moses Lake, WA 98837

Previous Events

Service

MAY 14. 2:00 PM (PT)

Moses Lake Presbyterian Church
1142 W. Ivy
Moses Lake, WA

Tribute Wall

KR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Kyra Richards - May 16, 2018 at 12:45 AM

KZ

“ Shannon and family I'm so sorry for your lost. I was fortunate enough to work with Doug for three years and truly enjoyed just hanging out with him and Rusty at lunchtime and cracking jokes amongst the three of us. He had such a dry, quick wit that made me laugh and always put me in a good mood. He was an excellent human being with a kind soul and will be missed by us all. You are in my thoughts and prayers. God bless you.
-Kyle Zeigler

Kyle Zeigler - May 15, 2018 at 03:01 PM

JM

“ Shannon and family, sorry for you loss: Doug was a good father, friend and neighbor: He is pain free and in eternal life: The Melcher's

Jeff Melcher - May 14, 2018 at 06:47 PM

GB

“ Prayers for Shannon Kagele and Family.

Gene Bradham - May 12, 2018 at 08:52 PM

RG

“ Dear Shannon and family, so very sorry for your loss. Doug was a great guy and fought a hard battle. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Ronna and Gary

ronna galbreath - May 10, 2018 at 10:05 PM

JG

“ So very sorry to hear of Doug's passing. He was a classmate for 12 years. Had lots of fun with Doug in High School, especially when he was an escort for the Ritzville Float, which I was one, and we went to Penticton Canada. Shannon and family, keep your memories close. Jadine

Jadine Grams - May 10, 2018 at 04:38 PM

MM

“ Shannon and family, We are so sorry for your loss. Mike worked with Doug at CDSI for 20 years. Doug was always a very uplifting and positive person, and it was a joy to go to work and have him as a fellow employee. God be with you and your family. You are all in our prayers, Mike & Joyce Mulliken

Mike and Joyce Mulliken - May 10, 2018 at 03:43 PM

SB

“ I was so saddened to hear of Doug's passing. We went to high school together and went to the senior prom together. He always made me laugh. My heart goes out to you and your family. Shellie Kennedy Barrack

Shellie Barrack - May 10, 2018 at 01:31 PM

NB

“ Shannon - My heart breaks for you and your family. I am so sorry to hear of Doug's passing. I am praying That God will hold you close and guide you through this process of grief. He was a great guy and will be missed by many.

Nancy Baker

Nancy Baker - May 09, 2018 at 12:21 AM

KS

“ Shannon I am so sorry for your loss. God bless you and your family.
Kris Schwisow

Kris Schwisow - May 08, 2018 at 11:36 PM

DP

“ Shannon, I am so sorry to hear about Doug. My thoughts and prayers for you and your family. May God wrap you tightly in His arms of comfort. I love you.

Diane Pefley-Crawford

Diane L. Pefley-Crawford - May 08, 2018 at 10:54 PM



“ Shannon,

I am so sorry to hear about Douglas. My thoughts and prayers for you and your family.

Karen Hand

Karen Hand - May 08, 2018 at 07:36 PM



“ *Karen Hand lit a candle in memory of Douglas N Kagele*



Karen Hand - May 08, 2018 at 07:34 PM

CF

“ *For Shannon & Family,*

I was so very sorry to hear that Doug has passed away....Cancer is such a dreadful disease! Doug fought his battle with so much courage & determination, & was truly an inspiration to us all! I hope it is some comfort that he doesn't have to struggle or suffer anymore, but is at peace now. I know you will miss him very much.....we are keeping you in our thoughts & prayers!



*Jean Copley
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Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation - May 08, 2018 at 04:02 PM

LD

“ I have known Doug since 1988 when he went to work for Consolidated Disposal in Ephrata. Doug was the kind of person you just enjoyed being around. He was always positive and had a smile on his face. We enjoyed talking about working on the refuse equipment that he was tasked with maintaining, but the conversation would eventually lead to cars and/or hot rods. I am very sorry that Doug has passed. I will miss him greatly.

Larry Damm

Larry Damm - May 08, 2018 at 12:49 PM