



Jack Earl Burns

May 1, 1929 - June 29, 2014

Jack Earl Burns, 85, passed away on Sunday June 29, 2014 at home surrounded by his family. A celebration of Jack's life will be held at the Moses Lake High School Theatre on Saturday, July 5th at 1 pm. Please sign the online guestbook or leave a note for the family at www.kayserschapel.com Arrangements are in care of Kayser's Chapel & Crematory.

Jack was born May 1st, 1929 in Taylor, Washington to Edward and Lillian Burns.

At age 16, he met his wife-to-be, Henrietta ("Neke") Dolleman, in the brickyard in Taylor. Taylor is now Cedar River Watershed. Jack went to school in Taylor and Hobart, graduating from TaHoMa High School in 1947. He married Neke in Issaquah, Washington on July 22, 1950, at the Roadside Chapel. They lived in the Seattle area for 7 years. He served in the Washington National Guard and worked in several truck-driving jobs, including hauling milk for Taylor Transportation. He was hired by Safeway Stores, Inc. in 1956 and they transferred him to Moses Lake in 1957. He retired in 1992 after driving truck for Safeway for 36 years. Jack was a great husband and father and was known for his honesty, integrity, loyalty and his sense of humor. He was a member of the Light and Life Free Methodist Church for many years and was actively involved in the startup of Journey Church here in Moses Lake.

Jack is survived by his wife, Neke; 2 daughters, Dixie (Cary) Basel and

Patricia (Stephen) McBee and his son Ed (Judy) Burns and his son-in-law, Lonnie Beaumont. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Nancy Beaumont (2008). Jack and Neke have 8 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandson and many other loving family members.

Tribute Wall

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“ I know of Jack from my Dad Henry Zarate Sr. He always talked of him and there Safeway dayz...I'm truly sorry for your loss. It was hard for me to lose my Dad also but now they can hang out and continue on with those Safeway stories.



Kathy Zarate Badley - July 18, 2014 at 02:39 AM

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“ I am so sorry to hear of Jack's passing My condolences to all of you.
Ken Schnirring

Ken Schnirring - July 08, 2014 at 04:26 PM

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“ Dear Neke and the whole family,
We only just learned of Jack's death, and are so sorry for your loss. We will always remember his teasing and smile, and are so grateful that Angie brought the two of you for lunch so I could see he and Neke once again. As Patty said (when she delivered a cake at the Grainery some months ago) - you guys are like family, and Dave and I truly feel that way. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all. I have been down in bed with bronchitis these past several days, so will be unable to attend today, but want you to know how much our hearts are there with you.
Dave & Harriet Weber

Harriet - July 04, 2014 at 11:15 AM