



Jarrel "Jerry" Anderson

December 1, 1948 - May 1, 2013

Jarrel B. Anderson, 64, passed away on May 1, 2013 at his home after a year-long battle with cancer. He was born in Ft. Worth, Texas on December 1, 1948 to J.B. and Billie Anderson.

After graduating from Quincy High School in 1967, Jarrel attended Automation Institute Technology of America in Seattle. He served in the U.S. Navy, Naval Reserve, and attended Spokane Community College. Jarrel worked as a Deputy Sheriff for Grant County from February 1976 until he retired in February 1996. During this time he also volunteered as an EMT with the Ephrata Ambulance Service. He also worked for QCL, Samaritan Ambulance and Grant Transit Authority.

For several years Jarrel served on the Grant County Disability Board and Ephrata Civil Service Commission.

He was a member of the American Legion Post 28 and Ephrata Masonic Lodge #665.

Jarrel loved fishing, RVing, geochaching, metal detecting, playing games, having coffee with "the guys" at Wanda's, and spending time with his friends and family. He was especially happy to have had the opportunity to travel to Oklahoma to visit family and spend time in the south with his sister and brother-in-law for a couple of winters.

Jarrel is survived by his wife Pattie of Ephrata; son Jason (Katie) Anderson of Avondale, Arizona; daughter Kylie (Samuel) Dart; granddaughter Pyper Dart all of Moses Lake; mother Billie of Ephrata, sister Linda (Ron) Burns of

Ephrata; sister-in-law and brother-in-law Carlene and Mike O'Konek of Moses Lake and several nieces and nephews.

Jarrel was preceded in death by his father J.B., and brother, Alan Paul.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, May 11, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. at the Community Church of Ephrata, 54 K St. S.E.

Previous Events

Service

MAY 11. 11:00 AM (PT)

Community Church of Ephrata
54 K Street SE
Ephrata, WA

Tribute Wall



“ Linda, Ron and all the family, I'm so sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. It was an honor to work with him even the few times I did when I was on Grant Co. SAR but more than that, it was an honor to have known him. He was certainly one of the "good guys"!##imported-begin##Tom Wells##imported-end##

May 09, 2013 at 07:43 PM



“ We are very sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Jeff and Emily Ketchel##imported-end##

May 09, 2013 at 02:46 PM



“ Jerry was one of my best friends over the years. Many a story over coffee in Ephrata. He will be missed. We are thinking of the family and send our heart-filled deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Bill and Charlotte Wiester##imported-end##

May 07, 2013 at 11:43 AM



“ My late husband Dale Baltzell worked for Moses Lake PD for 33 years and of course worked with Jerry. Dale enjoyed working with Jerry. I know grief well..if I can be of help as you lean into your grief, I am here. Know God is with your family altho sometimes you wonder where. Don't let anyone tell how to grief or how long. Remember to breath. Saying prayers for God strength##imported-begin##Kim Baltzell##imported-end##

May 06, 2013 at 10:31 PM



“ I am shocked and saddened to hear that Jerry had passed away. He always had a smile and kind things to say to complete strangers on his Transit bus. He will be missed by many. My prayers to his family.

Lisa##imported-begin##Lisa James##imported-end##

May 06, 2013 at 07:25 PM



“ Pattie and family, I was shocked to see Jerry's obituary. Jerry was such a good man and will be missed by the entire community. I am so sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Dawn Viebrock##imported-end##

May 06, 2013 at 05:33 PM



“ Pattie, Jason & Kylie, and all the rest of the family. Jerry was a great friend and enjoyed living to the best! He cherished the times Kylie that you came home from college to go fishing with him! He thought the world of all the family and was a "great trooper". He will be greatly missed!##imported-begin##Rita Mayrant##imported-end##

May 06, 2013 at 03:58 PM



“ I always enjoyed working with Jerry
I was with the Moses Lake Police Dept.
My sincere sympathy to your family.##imported-begin##Evelyn
Brown##imported-end##

May 06, 2013 at 01:08 PM



“ I have such fond memories of working with Jerry at the sheriff's office. I loved his mild southern drawl, his laughter and wonderful sense of humor. He was truly one of good guys. My condolences to your family.##imported-begin##Marsha Hart (Crawford)##imported-end##

May 05, 2013 at 12:54 PM



“ So sad. Will miss having coffee with him during the week and on week ends.
Jerry and I worked together for twenty years. He was a great partner
Have a few good stories about him. He could really do some funny things.
I was able to keep track of the growing of his granddaughter as any new picture he was able to take he would share with me. The best to his family. LEY##imported-begin##Laary Yount##imported-end##

May 05, 2013 at 11:43 AM



“ Dearest Patti, Jason, Kylie and the rest of the family,
Not only was I saddened but shocked to hear of Jerry's passing.
Many, many wonderful memories of all of us visiting and enjoying the time together. Many nights, Patti, you and I drinking coffee while the guys were working, the kids playing. I miss all of you and will miss Jerry. Please know that you are all in my thoughts and heart.
Love you guys,
Brenda##imported-begin##Brenda Jones##imported-end##

May 04, 2013 at 04:49 PM



“ JERRY IS AND ALWAYS WILL BE MY BEST FRIEND! THOUGH HIS BODY IS GONE, HE WILL ALWAYS LIVE IN MY HEART AND MIND.

“BILLIE”, YOU RAISED A GREAT SON, A GOOD MAN AND A BEST FRIEND FOR ME. THANK YOU!

“LINDA”, HE WAS SO THRILLED TO BE ABLE TO SNOWBIRD WITH YOU AND RON. HIS BIGGEST FEAR WAS "BOREDOM"!

“PATTIE”, I CAN'T COUNT THE TIMES OVER THE PAST YEARS THAT HE SAID TO ME “GOD, I LOVE THAT WOMAN, I AM SO BLESSED AND LUCKY TO HAVE HER”. I AGREE.

“JASON”, YOUR DAD IS SO VERY PROUD OF YOU IN THE LIFE CHOICES YOU MADE AND THAT HE LOVES YOU VERY MUCH.

“KYLIE”, HIS SWEETIE, HE LOVES YOU SO, SO MUCH AND IS EXTREMELY HAPPY WITH THE LIFE YOU'VE MADE. AND ABSOLUTELY THRILED WITH A BEAUTIFULLY SPIRITED GRAND DAUGHTER.

THANK YOU FOR LETTING ME BE MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY, LOVE YOU ALL!

DAVE##imported-begin##Dave Arnold##imported-end##

May 04, 2013 at 10:10 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you Patti and the family at this time. Jerry was a great person, he will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Lesley Gunderson##imported-end##

May 03, 2013 at 09:12 PM



“ sorry to hear about Jerry was enjoyable to work at GTA with.
prayers with all##imported-begin##Darla Haworth##imported-end##

May 03, 2013 at 03:27 PM



“ please know you are in my thoughts and prayers...my late husband
kenny and i always enjoyed his visits as did kenny working with
him...he actually knew where royal city is...we always laughed at
how young he looked and that continued for many years...his easy
smile will be truly missed ❤️ ##imported-begin##becky wilkins
carter##imported-end##

May 02, 2013 at 08:39 PM