

## Jerrold A. Ballard 1940 - 2003

A courageous man died on May 24, 2003 after an arduous battle with cancer.

He was born on Feb. 14, 1940 in Seattle, served in the US Navy as a Fireman and Yeoman from 1959-1963. He later joined Boeing working in the 707, 727, 737, 747, 757, 767 and 777 programs, finally working as Resident Manager in China and then in Japan before retiring to Winthrop, WA. After a brief retirement, he joined Neuvant Aerospace in 1996 as an Inspector before fully retiring.

His greatest loves were his family, traveling, fishing and gardening.

He was preceded in death by brother, George and followed by mother, Dorothy.

Jerry leaves behind his loving wife Jody, siblings Caroline and Shirley, children Maria and Jerry Jr, grandchildren Amber, Brittany, Ronny, Cassandra and great grandson Jerry III among other loved relatives.

Funeral services will be held at noon, Saturday, May 31, 2003 at Calvary Baptist Church, 1119 Hwy 20 South, Twisp.

A family gathering will be held at a later date to honor his life. He was loved and will be greatly missed.

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