



Alan S. Lyle

July 26, 1916 - April 29, 2014

Alan S. Lyle passed away peacefully in Vancouver, WA, on April 29, 2014 at the age of 97. He lived in Vancouver for over 28 years. Al was born in Walkerville, Montana, on July 26, 1916, the younger of two sons of William and Elizabeth Bickham Lyle. He married his sweetheart, Marie Dyer, in October, 1940. They were married for over 67 years when she passed away in February, 2008. From 1942 through 1960 he worked as a machinist for the Anaconda Mining Company in Butte, Montana. During that time he repaired and built mining machinery for both underground and surface use. Although he worked in the main machine shop he spent time inside various mines including the Orphan Girl, Anselmo, Belmont and Kelly. In 1961 he joined the University of California at Berkeley where he worked as a machinist in the prototype lab. He retired from U.C. Berkeley in 1985. He loved hiking, camping, fishing and driving his CJ5 Jeep over rough terrain. His children remember many camping and fishing trips throughout Montana. These memories include hanging on for dear life as he drove the Jeep up what seemed like vertical inclines. Al was active in the Nehalem ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints wherein he served in various positions over the years. He is survived by his sons, Jim and Don, and daughters, Sherrie and Penny, together with 16 grandchildren and 28 great grandchildren. He will be deeply missed by all.

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Evergreen Memorial Gardens - July 03, 2025 at 09:59 PM

JR

“ I have such wonderful memories of Alan & Marie and your family when we were all in Pleasant Hill 1st Ward. You all are in my thoughts and prayers at this time. My love to each of you. JoAnne Rhodes and family

JoAnne Rhodes - May 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ How quickly time has gone by. We have fond memories of your family while you lived in Pleasant Hill. Our thoughts and prayers are with you!!! Brother & Sister Nave

Bob & Darlene Nave - May 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ We had such a wonderful visit with Al last fall. It was so special, and he was absolutely wonderful and vibrant! We were looking forward to visiting him again this summer. Sherrie, you are blessed with the most wonderful parents! They have always been so sweet and caring and I am so blessed to have known you all these years. Blessings of love and comfort to you all Sherrie. love, Gail and Ty

Gail and Ty Forsberg - May 06, 2014 at 12:00 AM

ZN

“ Dear Jim, Sherry, Don & Penny & families, we were so sorry to hear that Alan has died. I have many fond memories of being with your family on the farm and in Montana and family picnics & gatherings. Both Alan and Marie are very dear people. You are in our hearts, thoughts and prayers. Love to each of you. Zeta & Jerry Nelson

Zeta Nelson - May 05, 2014 at 12:00 AM