



Carl A. Stutz

March 19, 1925 - June 23, 2018

CARL ALBERT STUTZ March 19, 1925 ~ June 23, 2018 Carl Albert Stutz, 93, passed away June 23, 2018. He was born March 19, 1925, in Vancouver, WA to Herman Stutz and Estella David Stutz. The Stutz and David families were both early homesteaders in East Clark County. Carl spent his whole life living in the Vancouver area. He graduated from Vancouver High in 1943. Carl went into the Army Air Force June 1943. He served in WWII in the 7th Air Force as a radio operator/gunner on a B-24 and completed 26 missions in the Pacific. In 1947, Carl married Lynn (Evelyn) Robinson. Carl and Lynn decided to move out to the Hazel Dell area. They had two children, Cathy and Mikel. They spent their life in various homes in the Stutz Road area, making lifelong friends with many other neighborhood families. Carl was happy to stay in his home till his passing. He was married to Lynn till her passing in 2008. Carl spent 35 years working for the Railroad in the Vancouver yard. He retired in 1982. He was busy in retirement joining and volunteering for many military clubs. Carl was proud in his efforts to bring a B-24 to local airports. He looked forward to his monthly luncheons with the "class of 43" classmates. Carl walked every day on the Salmon Creek Trail for over 25 years and so enjoyed the friendships he made on the path. He also loved driving his 72 GMC Sprint to the park and back through the neighborhood at the same time every day. Carl is survived by his daughter, Cathy (Fred Goodwin); granddaughter, Ashley; great-grandchildren, Lex and Lucy; three nieces, Connie Clifford, Ann Gaylord and Leah Nelson. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lynn; son,

Mike; sister, Marie Thom; granddaughter, Katie; and his brothers-in-law, Howard and Forrest Robinson. We will remember his humor, strong work ethics, loyalty, stories and love of hats. Carl often said " I have had a very good life."

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