



## Daris C. France

May 12, 1935 - April 25, 2016

DARIS C. FRANCE May 12, 1935 ~ April 25, 2016 In loving memory of Daris C. France of Vancouver, WA, born in Lamar, CO on May 12, 1935 and passed away in Copiague, NY on April 25, 2016. He was predeceased by wife, Donna J. France, who passed away on July 23, 2000. He is survived by wife, Joan P. France of Vancouver, WA; daughter, Sherrie Barnard of Woodbridge, VA; step-daughters, Michele Miller of Copiague, NY and Heather Guise of E. Setauket, NY; and 5 step-grandchildren. He was an employee of the Port of Vancouver/ILWU Local 4 for his entire working career until his retirement. Daris was an avid outdoorsman and sportsman, enjoyed traveling and riding his 4 wheeler as well as being an amazing whittler and woodworker. He changed the lives of all who knew him by his kindness and helpfulness to others. He was an immeasurably devoted husband, daddy and grandpa. He will be forever missed and will live forever in our hearts and memories. A memorial and graveside service along with a reception will be held at Evergreen Memorial Gardens, 1101 N.E. 112th Ave., Vancouver, WA on May 4, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. Please sign Daris's Guest Book at [www.columbian.com/obits](http://www.columbian.com/obits).

# Tribute Wall

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“ I am sad to hear of Daris passing. Through Grade school, JR High and High school I had three buddies that I hung out with always. The others passed away previously and I had planned to visit him for many years after I retired and moved to Eugene OR. I stayed at his house overnight many times. I am sad about his passing and regret so much not having one last chance to visit with him.

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**Ed Gear** - May 09, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ My sympathy goes out to the family during your time of grief. May God's loving-kindness comfort you and help you through this difficult time. (Psalm 119:50,76)

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**A. M.** - April 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Joanie: I was saddened to hear that Daris had passed. He was a joy to be around and an all around great guy. Both of you are in my prayers. Marty

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**Marty Spiegelberg** - April 26, 2016 at 12:00 AM