



Lyle J. Jensen

August 31, 1935 - September 9, 2014

LYLE "SARGE" J. JENSEN August 31, 1935 ~ September 9, 2014 Lyle "Sarge" J. Jensen, 79, passed away Sept. 9, 2014 at home in Vancouver, WA, with his family by his side. He had struggled with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis for the past nine years. Mr. Jensen was born in Castana, IA to Walter and Carrie Jensen. The family moved to Vancouver in the early 40's. Lyle graduated from Vancouver High School, class of 1954. He joined the Air Force after graduation and upon completion of his tour, he came back to Vancouver. It was there that he met a pretty girl at the local skating rink who became the love of his life, that he simply adored for 55 years. Lyle made a career of the military, serving both the Air Force and the Army, retiring with 20 years of service. He spent tours in Germany, Korea, and his favorite job was his last Army assignment running Camp Bonneville here in Vancouver for five years. After retiring, Lyle worked for Union Carbide, Hertz & Boeing. His favorite hobbies were fishing, metal detecting, and spending time with his family and friends. Lyle was a past member of the Optimist Club and was currently a member of the Vancouver Moose Lodge #1774. Lyle is survived by his wife, Carol; daughter, Wendy; grandchildren, Michael and Aly; and his newborn great-grandson, Luke Lyle was born on July 29th of this year, all of Vancouver; also his sister, Joyce Johnson of Ocean Park, WA; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; and his brother, Dale "Bill" Jensen. A graveside service will be held at Evergreen Memorial Gardens on Sun., Sept. 21, 2014 at 4:30 p.m in the Garden of Time. Please sign his

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