



Ronald Joe Dietz

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Ronald Joe Dietz, "Dietzo", 72, longtime resident of Vancouver, WA passed away peacefully due to COPD on December 31, 2016, surrounded by his loving family. He was born February 21, 1944 in Albany, CA to Henry and Velma Dietz. After graduating Clackamas High School in 1962, Ron joined the Army and served in Vietnam. Early in his career, he dispatched for Willamette Western. A true salesman, he excelled working for Goodyear, Firestone and Pacific Tire, retiring at 65. Ron enjoyed time with family and friends, and Suzie his chocolate lab. He enjoyed all sports, watching TV, and playing on his tablet. He was very social and someone you could count on who brightened many lives. His biggest hobby was being a member of NW Corvette Association, and was president one year. He was preceded in death by his parents brother Ray L. Dietz and infant son Ronald Joe Dietz, Jr. Ron is survived by his wife of 38 years, Elsa Dietz; children Jeff Dietz (Heidi), Terry Dietz (Sherry Caswell), and Mike Callaham (Tina), seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 7, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at Evergreen Memorial Gardens in Vancouver, WA. Burial will follow at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland, OR, January 12, 2017 at 12:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Humane Society for SW Oregon or Oregon Lion Sight Foundation. Please sign his guestbook at www.columbian.com/obits

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