



## Stephen Aubrey Salley

September 2, 1951 - June 10, 2017

STEPHEN SALLEY September 2, 1951 ~ June 10, 2017 Stephen Salley, 65, of Vancouver, WA, died at home on June 10, 2017. He loved life, and lived it to the fullest, fighting like hell till the bitter end. Stephen was born Sept. 2, 1951 to Luther and Nancy Salley. He graduated from Parkrose High School. Stephen was a U.S. Army veteran (1970-1974). He was a baker at Franz Bakery for 34 years. Stephen was a good but simple man. Honest, loyal, and at times Grumpy. Some would often say, that with such a warm heart, the beer always seemed a bit colder at his house. Stephen loved to fish! But he loved his wife, his children and his grandchildren with his whole heart, and cherished his many friendships. Stephen is survived by his wife of 31 years, Sharon Salley; children, Justin Salley (Jessica), Jessica Kruse (Mike), Dana Pritchard (John), and Damon Craft; and 9 grandchildren. You'll be missed dearly by all of us Stephen. We love you. He was preceded in death by his parents. A memorial service will be held at Evergreen Memorial Gardens, Sat., July 1st, 2017 at 12:30p.m. Donations may be sent to American Cancer Society. Special thanks to all the staff at Legacy Salmon Creek and the special care from Hospice. Please sign his guest book at: [www.columbian.com/obits](http://www.columbian.com/obits).

# Tribute Wall



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Evergreen Memorial Gardens - July 03, 2025 at 08:39 PM

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“ Girlfriend - We've know You "forever" & when we finally meet Stephen - it was like we'd known him "forever"! Just wish we had more time together. We didn;t know him long, but we loved him dearly. Just wish I could have gotten him "one more big helping of SHRIMP! We're here for you - anytime All our love & Prayer,

Mike & Marcia Perry - Shreveport, LA - July 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ We will sorely miss your smile! God bless you Stephen

Dave and Theresa Fazzio - July 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sherri - Stephen was a great person all around. We were truly HAPPY for you both when the two of you "hooked up". Angels in disguise when you both were needing for good love to open up to you again. "Good things happen when you least expect it" and it surely did for you and Stephen. "Islands In The Steam, That is What You two are"! Doug's looking forward to going fishing with Stephen someday again and I am looking forward to dancing with Stephen to Fleetwood Mac again someday. Our deep and heartfelt LOVE to all of the Salley and Craft family XO

Doug and Mary Dean - June 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ We'll "ALL" see you in heaven Stephen!! From: The Dean's

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**The Dean's (Prineville, Or)** - June 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM