



Jim Mohr

December 16, 1943 - August 8, 2024

Jim Mohr, aged 80, passed away peacefully at home after an extended illness on 8/8/2024.

Born in 1943 in Roseburg, OR, to parents June and Alwin Mohr, Jim grew up in the small town of Glendale, OR, alongside his older brother Bill. He had fond memories of his childhood, filled with adventures of roaming around town and the countryside with his dog Skippy. By age 12, Jim was delivering newspapers on his bicycle and was a member of Boy Scout Troop 16. When he was 13 years old, his cousin playfully put a cap gun close to Jim's left ear and pulled the trigger which sent a spark into his ear. This incident resulted in high-frequency hearing loss and persistent ringing in Jim's ears, conditions that stayed with him for the rest of his life. However, it did not hold him back from leading a full life.

In high school, Jim participated in football, wrestling and track (javelin and shot put). After high school he enrolled in the Fish and Wildlife program at OSU, where he studied until 1966. Jim entered the US Coast Guard in April 1966, serving 4 years active duty followed by 26 years active reserve, and 7 years inactive reserve. Jim retired as a Master Chief Hospital Corpsman. After his 4 years active duty, he moved to the Corvallis area and attended the new 2 year LBCC nursing program, eventually becoming a licensed Registered Nurse (RN).

Jim married Patricia Ross in Portland in June 1966. They had 3 children together: Craig and twins Martin and Marianne. The marriage ended in June

1988, with Jim being awarded custody of the children. In late December 1988, he was introduced to Susan Allen, also a custodial parent of 3 children: Robert, and twins Melinda and Deborah. After 2 ½ years of dating and enjoying being part of the Corvallis Clinic co-ed softball team and bicycle club, they decided to marry. Jim worked as a registered nurse in the allergy department of the Corvallis Clinic, while Susan worked in the Clinic's laboratory.

After retirement, Jim found joy in gardening, traveling and spending time with family, neighbors, and church friends. He especially cherished moments spent around a table with delicious food and good company.

Jim will be deeply missed. He was a good man, a loving husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather. He is survived by his wife Susan, their combined 6 children, 5 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren.

A service will be held at First Cristian Church in Corvallis on Saturday, August 17th, at 2:00pm.

Cemetery Details

Oak Lawn Cemetery

2245 SW Whiteside Drive
Corvallis, OR 97333
(541) 753-4532

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 17. 2:00 PM (PT)

First Christian Church
602 SW Madison Ave.
Corvallis, OR 97333

Tribute Wall

PJ

“ When I think of Jim, it's about his kind and gentle nature. How he treated people and conducted his life. Jim and Susan have had such a positive influence on my life, which added to the influence of Susan's parents. He is leaving behind a legacy that affects lives. May God comfort you all during this time of grief.-Patty

Patricia m Jennings - August 17, 2024 at 01:26 PM

LL

“ We were deeply saddened to hear of Jim's loss. Although the composition of people that live in the cul-de-sac had changed over the past 34 years, Susan and Jim continued the tradition of organizing the annual neighborhood cul-de-sac get togethers and being active participants in the last 15 years or so. It gave everyone a chance to meet, chat, and have a good time. Sometimes, it may be the only time we catch up with neighbors. Susan, please accept our deepest condolences during this difficult time. - Jay and Logen

Logen and Jay Logendran - August 14, 2024 at 07:58 PM

RD

“ We are so grateful for Jim and Susan as next door neighbors for the last 33 years, especially ridding our yards of the vermin! God bless you all during this time of adjustment. Hugs! Rob and Donna

Rob and Donna - August 12, 2024 at 10:14 PM

MH

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McHenry Funeral Home - August 12, 2024 at 06:15 PM

CG

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Jim was a great man. He was always kind and welcoming to me, when I showed up with my weird self.



Cat Grayson - August 11, 2024 at 12:50 PM

MM

“ He was such a hard worker, he worked his nursing job during the week and would do his coast guard job on Swan Island in Portland on the weekends once a month bringing us along to stay at our grandparents house.

martin mohr - August 11, 2024 at 12:19 PM