



Jerry Bennett

August 5, 1947 - July 20, 2024

Jerry Allen Bennett passed away in Philomath Oregon on July 20, 2024, at the age of 76. He was born to John and Rosemary Bennett in Corvallis Oregon on August 5, 1947. He was raised with an older brother Edward and a younger sister Carolyn.

Jerry attended school in Philomath from first grade through 12th grade, graduating in 1965. He played baseball, football and basketball.

After graduating, Jerry went to work for the U.S. Forest Service in Alsea planting trees and fighting fires. He was drafted into the Army in October of 1966. He spent two years in the Army, one of those in Saigon, Vietnam. After retiring from the service, he went back to work in the Forest Service and worked there until he retired in February 1998 as road maintenance supervisor. He loved his job

Jerry loved the outdoors, fishing, hunting, crabbing and clam digging.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister and brother. He is survived by his wife Connie, son Matt, his wife Lisa and granddaughters Kaylie and Leah. He has several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service is planned for 11:00AM Friday August 2, 2024, at McHenry Funeral home in Corvallis. There will be a private burial at Twin Oaks Memorial Gardens in Albany.

Cemetery Details

Twin Oaks Memorial Gardens

34275 Riverside Dr
Albany, OR 97321

Previous Events

Funeral Service

AUG 2. 11:00 AM (PT)

McHenry Funeral Home
206 NW 5th St.
Corvallis, OR 97330
(541) 757-8141
info@mchenryfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

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“ I am sorry to hear of Jerry’s passing and am sorry that I cannot attend today’s service. Jerry and my dad worked together at Alsea and I attended school with Matt through the 7th grade. “Jerry’s Smoked Jerky” was still the best I have had! I have many fond memories of Jerry & Connie’s Philomath Frolic Weekend gatherings where as a youngster I honed my beer keg serving skills - good times! Here’s to you Jerry!! My condolences to Connie, Matt & Family.

Bret Davis - August 02, 2024 at 01:51 PM

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“ I am so sorry to hear about Jerry’s passing. Jerry was a great friend and client for the last 50 years! Jerry and Connie were my very first customers 50 years ago. Jerry was always in such a good mood and always had a great story to tell and a recommendation of a great place to go get food. I remember when I was 15 years old Ed and Jerry would come in to the Shell gas station on Saturday nights to get gas in Ed’s Plymouth GTX, I think they were going out racing! I will miss him! What a Great Person!
My Sympathy to Connie and Family

Gary P White - July 30, 2024 at 01:19 PM