

Robert Donald McNair

August 12, 1957 - October 15, 2017

Robert was born in Long Beach, CA to Robert Sr. and Marilyn C. Kenley. The family moved to Oregon City when he was 10. It was there he grew up and went to school. After high school he took welding and was certified for under water welding on submarines.

Robert had many occupations but was best known for his handy man skills. He could build airplanes out of garbage and could repair, repurpose or re-invent almost anything. He also baked cookies and did dishes, and was an important member of 'the team' that cared for his mother-in-law Leantha McDonald. She would shake her cookie bag at him when it was getting low. She liked to ask him what he was building now when he was in the kitchen. He passed away from a heart attack while re-building a bird house her grandson Ivan made her 20 years ago.

He is survived by his wife of 21 years, Jalene McDonald. His sons and their families, Robert A., Jesse V., and Justin R. Step-daughters Maggie Young and Olivia Fee. Brothers Micheal and Seth, Uncles Vern and Gary, and between him and Jalene, they had 19 grand-children, 4 great-grandchildren, 15 nieces and nephews and their children.

He was predeceased by his father, brother Andy, step-son Matthew Chapman, grand-parents, and his two best friends Don Henry and Eddie Clapp.

Whether you called him Pops, Dad, Uncle Bob, grandpa, gruncle, or Red, he was one in a billion and you knew without a doubt how he felt about you. He loved all his family.

“Rest in peace my honey-butt, till we meet again.”

A private memorial will be held at a later date, and when the snow melts at Glacier his ashes will be sprinkled over the Rockies.

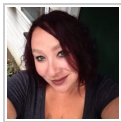
Tribute Wall



“ *Tina DeChenne lit a candle in memory of Robert Donald McNair*



Tina DeChenne - October 27, 2017 at 03:59 PM



Good Stuff Maynard is what he always said to us growing up! He was loved and I will forever cherish all the good memories!

Tina DeChenne - October 27, 2017 at 04:01 PM



“ *Any time Dad said we were going to Newport, I knew that meant Uncle Red and fun times.*



Maegan Amacker - October 25, 2017 at 12:29 AM

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Rachael - October 24, 2017 at 05:50 PM



Handsome Man...
Heart of Gold...

Lois Hankin - October 24, 2017 at 11:50 PM