



Robert Williams

May 3, 1948 - November 20, 2018

Robert Kemper Williams passed away November 20, 2018 after an extended illness. Bob was born in Artesia, NM to Robert L. Williams and Patty Kemper Williams. He graduated from Robertson High School in Las Vegas, NM and attended Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff.

His early career in the forest products industry began in Couer d'Alene, ID and Fort Collins, CO. He married Marion Lane Ayala in 1976. Their adventures continued in Arizona, California, Oregon, and Fayetteville, GA where Bob was regional manager for Louisiana Pacific. A final move brought them to Philomath, OR. Not quite ready to retire, he consulted for Safety Northwest, LLC.

Bob enjoyed being outdoors, whether skiing the slopes of Sipapu and Telluride, golfing, motorcycling or gardening. He also found time to master photography and beer making.

Always kind, warm and loyal, he was a man who honored integrity. He leaves behind family and lasting friends who will miss his quiet, unassuming strength, his hopelessly infectious sense of humor, and his contagious laughter that brightened days and lifted spirits.

Surviving are his wife, Lane, children, Robert Stanfield (Tonia) of Medford, OR, Sarah Williams of Corvallis, OR and Mike Williams of North Plains, OR, and a sister, Laura Folkner (Troy) of Cupertino, CA.

The family extends heartfelt appreciation to Bob's long time physician, Dr. Shawn Foley of the Corvallis Clinic in Philomath and to Dr. Keith Wells and

staff of the Willamette Valley Cancer Institute in Corvallis.

A celebration of life will be held at Johnson Mesa, near Las Vegas, NM in the near future. Memorials may be made to a charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Rest in peace cousin.*

Nancy



Nancy Williams Olivas - December 20, 2018 at 11:08 AM

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“ *Bob you left us way to soon, we never got in that round of golf we were supposed to do. Seems we have been friends forever. Shared many adventures during our times in Ft. Collins Colorado Working together at Cook Lumber Co. I will miss being able to pick up the phone and call you, So now I guess I can talk to you without a phone, just hope you will be listening. Thank you for your friendship for all the years, I will think of you often and will miss your companionship. Travel well my friend until we meet again.*

Love you Bob



Michael Halterman - December 03, 2018 at 09:35 AM

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“ *Bob will forever be in our hearts and memories. My husband George was quite a bit shorter than Bob, which is saying a lot as Bob is very tall. One Dayton was standing in hole talking to George and George smiled at Bob and said I can finally look you in the eye when we are talking. Then George told Bob, be sure to carry that hole around with you from now on so I can look you in the eye every time we are talking. Love you Bob.*

Cheryl Coulter - November 25, 2018 at 07:58 PM