



William Alson Durnford

January 16, 1944 - May 21, 2016

William A. Durnford, 72, died in his Corvallis home on Saturday, May 21.

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“ While I couldn't find any photos yet since recently learning of his passing, I intend to always remember as I knew him his kind and generous way with people. I met him through encounters with mutual friends. In particular my long time neighbor is one to whom 'Bill' was often very generous to give him and us a place to hang out and often a vehicle ride 15 miles to from the neighborhood. Bill's house and time and a local car-ride were available at any time he could be available it seemed. Bill was a decent friendly man. He communicated thoughtfully and often shared openly his current and past goings-on.

I remember Bill as highly knowledgable, skilled, and experienced in automobiles and I think electronics/computers and even kiln building/usage...among other things. Bill could get-r-done.

If I'm right -in another time back in the 1980's a Bill was into the Zero-Gee electronics store. Well, that was before the internet. At Zero-Gee there was a prototype electronic news-source (terminal.) It was legit before anyone knew about the possibilities. Whether that's all correct or not, to me Bill was forefront of many Corvallis-ites. I hope to be as gracious as he was.

-RLWiniarski

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