



Harold Brooks Prescott

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Harold Brooks Prescott's train arrived on the evening of April 15, 2018. He was born November 12, 1926 in Tacoma to Gladys and Waldo Prescott and lived most of his life in the north end. Harold attended Sherman Elementary, Mason Junior High, and graduated from Stadium in 1944. Harold inherited a love for music from his mother and was an active member of the concert band and orchestra playing the saxophone and clarinet from junior high through college. Following high school, Harold enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served during the last months of WW II. After his discharge, he attended the College of Puget Sound (UPS), where he was a charter member of the Sigma Chi Fraternity, cultivating strong relationships and lifelong friendships. In 1951, Harold graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Geology and began work with the Department of Highways(WSDOT). The majority of his 37-year career as a highway engineer was spent in the Pierce County area. Harold was instrumental in the design and construction of the local sections of the interstate highway system as well as SR 16 through Nalley Valley and SR 512. In October 1951, Harold married Pamela Davis. They built their home and raised their three daughters in Tacoma. The family found joy in camping trips and many gatherings with their close Westgate friends. In retirement, Harold enjoyed a very active social calendar. He spent time in the activities of his daughters and their families. Golf and model railroading remained strong interests as well. Harold shared early morning visits with the "coffee boys", and monthly lunch dates with the ROMEO's (Retired Old Men Eating Out), and the "Lunch Bunch". Harold remained keenly aware of the news of the day, expressing his opinions about the politics of our time. The family would like all of Harold's friends to know how much he appreciated their friendships over the years.

Harold is preceded in death by his parents, brother George, and wife Pamela. He is survived by his daughters Alicia (Andy) Delegans of Marysville, Connie (David) Perry



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of Tacoma, and Marsha (Dennis) Brady of University Place; grandchildren Brooks (Michelle) Werner, Briana Brady (Ryan) Kurth, William Brady; and great grandchild Dax Werner; several nieces and a nephew.

The family would like to express their appreciation to the doctors and private caregivers Harold had over the years along with Hospice and Narrows Glen staff for their care and support. In memory of Harold, donations may be made to Mary Bridge Brigade-Westgate, MS: 311-1-MBB, P.O. Box 5299, Tacoma, WA 98415-0299.



Events


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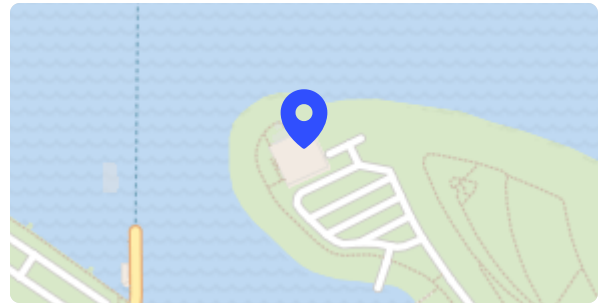
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Celebration of Life


 **Wednesday**, May 9, 2018

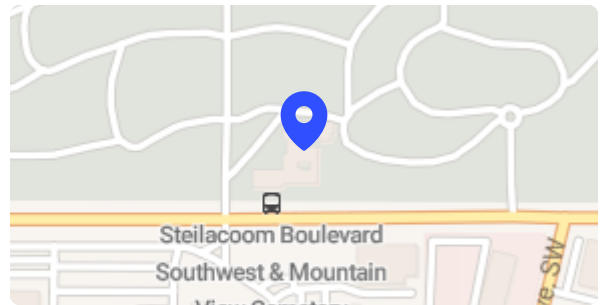
 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM PT

 **Tacoma Yacht Club**
5401 N Waterfront Dr., TACOMA WA 98407



Cemetery Details

 **Mountain View Memorial Park**
4100 Steilacoom Blvd. SW, Lakewood WA 98499





Tribute Wall

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Kim Bullard posted:

Harold was a very special man with a very special family. I loved to listen to his stories and hear him explain this or that in connection to his working days. He could answer nearly any question asked about the tide flats, Hwy 16 or the Narrows Bridge. He had a way of making you smile no matter what he was sharing with you. And I know he was very special because he has three of most wonderful daughters who loved him very much. Rest in peace, sir. I will miss your Christmas cards and bright smile. Kim Bullard

May 1 at 8:04 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Harold by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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