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Terry passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, May 11, 2021. Born in Sunnyside, Washington, he spent his younger years with brothers James and Leonard, growing up in Pendleton, Oregon. Attending high school in Seattle he graduated from Lincoln High School.

At the University of Washington, Terry met his future wife Betty in the Husky Marching Band. His course work took him to the School of Pharmacy, graduating with honors.

Upon graduation he went to work for Group Health, now Kaiser Permanente. He worked as a pharmacist and pharmacy manager at the Olympia, Tacoma, Specialty, Tacoma South and Puyallup clinics, retiring after 42 years.

Over the years he enjoyed sailing, reading, computer gaming, fantasy football, and travel with his wife. Their last trip prior to COVID was to the Scandinavian countries and Russia.

Nothing was more important than his family. He is survived by his wife (Betty), sons (David and Michael), daughter-in-law (Jamie), granddaughters (Hannah and Kassandra), and his brothers (James and Leonard)

There will be a farewell celebration at Mountain View Funeral Home on Friday, May 21, 2021, from 3-5 PM, at the Aspen Chapel, Masks are require indoors. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to the American Heart Association, the Tacoma Rescue Mission, or Habitat for Humanity.

Events

MAY **Celebration of Life - Open House**

03:00AM - 05:00AM

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Aspen Chapel Celebration of Life Center Building

Mt. View Funeral Home 4100 Steilacoom Blvd. SW, Lakewood, WA, US, 98499

Comments



“ Betty, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your beloved husband. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family!

Patty Neighbors - May 21 at 09:48 AM



“ Terry was always great to work with on a committee or troublesome pharmacy topic. Rest well, Terry

Liz Murphy
Donation to Habitat for Humanity

Elizabeth A Murphy - May 20 at 08:33 PM



“ Betty, so sorry to hear about your husband. Thoughts and prayers to you and your family.
Linda Staples Forkenbrock

Linds Staples Forkenbrock - May 19 at 10:10 PM



“ I was thankful Terry hired me at GHC. I was 40 and fresh out of technical school. I worked for Ghc 23 years then retired. Funny story I was new on the job and handing out medicine when undoing the rubber band the lid flipped off and 30 Percocet went flying everywhere in the pharmacy. They rolled clear over to pharmacist checking area, in the sacks under the counter, over by the door. When we gathered them all we had #29, and with this drug needed to account for every tablet. The next day at work I reached in my pocket of the lab coat and Viola' Found the last tablet. Yay Terry I found it, I think he knew he could trust me after that crazy lost tablet incident! He just shook his head. I respected him and he did his best for his employees. My condolences to the family Karen (Slightam) Raimer

Karen Raimer - May 18 at 07:01 PM