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Born in Juneau, Alaska in 1939, Tony moved to Renton, WA when he was two. After graduating Renton High School, he married Delores Barnes in 1958 and had two boys: Ken and Kurt. Tony started working in the grocery business when he was 16 - working for Safeway, Albertsons, and became a District Manager for Haggen Foods of Bellingham, WA.

Once retiring in 1996, Tony built their retirement home in Leavenworth. He loved to hunt, fish, and play golf. Tony had been on the Board of the Leavenworth Golf Club and was very involved with the reconstruction of the Second Hole on the course. He was also a Board member of the Icicle Valley Trout Unlimited.

Tony was a kind man - always willing to help others and hard worker.

There will be no services at this time. You are invited to visit Tony's Online Tribute at www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com to share a memory or condolence. Arrangements are in the care of Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee.

Tribute Wall

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“ *The best Dad any kid could ask for. Growing up my father was always there when I needed him. He wasn't real strict but set boundaries. Then kept you within them. He taught us How to use tools and made sure we cleaned up after ourselves. He did a great job raising two boys although one of us gave him a little trouble. He always showed love for my mother. It was nice to see the love my parents still had for each other after over sixty years on display. A very lucky man who lived a full life. We should all be this lucky. Whenever I get too emotional and start to break down I remember what he would say and how he would say it. "Knock that crap off".
I Love You Dad
Kurt*

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