



## Jack "J." Martin Anderson

March 23, 1951 - August 30, 2021

Jack Martin Anderson, age 70, died of natural causes in Curlew, WA on Monday August 30, 2021. He died suddenly after mowing brush on his forest property.

Born March 23, 1951 in Sacppoose, Oregon, to Jack and Betty Anderson, he graduated from Clover Park HS in Lakewood, WA in 1969. Jack served 12 years of active duty in the Army and another 25 years in the reserves until 2006 attaining the rank of Colonel. On August 06, 1973 he married Charlene Anderson.

He lived in Seattle, WA and worked at Safeco Insurance Company from 1982 until he retired in 2006 at the age of 55. Upon retiring, he moved to Orondo, WA.

Jack was a member of the Eastmont Community Church in East Wenatchee, WA. He also served on several community boards most notably Plug-In NCW.

Jack is survived by his wife Charlene Anderson, his sons Keith and Jack Anderson his daughter-in-law Anna Anderson, his grandson Eric Anderson Jr., his sister Elizabeth Anderson, and sister-in-law Ruby Anderson. Jack was preceded in death by his son Eric Anderson and his brother Bill Anderson.

A Memorial Service will be held at Eastmont Community Church at 2 pm on Saturday, September 25, 2021. Address: 783 4th St NE #4976, East Wenatchee, WA. Relatives and friends are welcome to the home of Charlene Anderson following the service for additional gathering.

Memorial flowers are welcome at Eastmont Community Church.

Thank you to family and friends, pastors at ECC, and Heritage MC for their help and support.

You are invited to view Jack Anderson's online tribute at [www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com](http://www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com) to share a memory or leave a condolence. Arrangements are in the care of Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee.

# Tribute Wall

RJ

“ Jack introduced himself to me in 2013, offering up fresh ideas and plans for rejuvenating the electric vehicle programs in North Central Washington. I was impressed by his intelligence, can-do attitude, organizational ability, and sheer energy --- and knew he was the guy to take over the reins of our EV advocacy organization. Over the next few years I learned to appreciate his generosity, graciousness, open-mindedness, and kindness. In addition to sharing EV grins, we shared a love for the outdoors and the challenge of "homesteading" our rustic properties in the Okanogan Highlands. My chief regret is that we never took that kayak trip on the Columbia that we'd discussed. Paddle on, Jack!

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**Ron Johnston-Rodriguez** - September 22, 2021 at 03:24 PM

RB

“ Jack left us too soon. He will be greatly missed, as a friend and electric vehicle advocate. Jack was incredibly generous, always positive, and an innovative problem solver. Jack was the Chair and Treasurer of Plug-In NCW, and pioneered soliciting donations from EV drivers to purchase charging stations for host locations throughout north central WA. There are now 22 Plug-In NCW charging stations. Jack also instigated the Pledge for Power program that allowed Chelan County PUD to install 5 charging stations, with the electric bill paid for by Plug-In NCW with donated funds. Jack was actively working on an EV Technician training program, to train the next generation of automotive technicians. The Plug-In NCW committee will strive to continue Jack's passion and innovative problem solving to further the adoption of electric vehicles. Very big shoes to fill.

*Our condolences to Charlene and Jack's extended family. There are many good memories to soothe our grief.*

*Randy and Anne Brooks*

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**Randy Brooks** - September 12, 2021 at 10:52 AM

LI

“ We are so sorry to hear of Jay's passing! Jay was one of the nicest guys you could ever meet. Always had a smile and he enjoyed life. Jay will be missed by so many ! Our thoughts are with his family and especially Charlene. ❤️❤️ Jim and Lynn Irwin

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**Lynn Irwin** - September 10, 2021 at 02:20 PM