



## Lee Alvin Henneigh

November 13, 1946 - June 28, 2020

Lee A. Henneigh, 73, of East Wenatchee, passed away on Sunday, June 28, 2020 in Wenatchee.

Lee was born on November 13, 1946 at Coulee Dam, Washington to the late Marion and Verlie Elva (Lee) Henneigh. When he was just a toddler, they moved to make their home in Wenatchee. He attended South Wenatchee Elementary, Pioneer Middle, and Wenatchee High School. He graduated with the class of 1965. He continued his education at Wenatchee Valley College where he received his Associates Degree in Social Services.

Lee met his future bride, Lois "Kris" while she was still in Junior High at Pioneer in Wenatchee. They were later married on October 21, 1966. They made their first home together in Wenatchee.

Lee went to work as the Industrial Maintenance Mechanic and Welder at Hannah Mining in Rock Island. He continued to work through the name changes: Hannah Mining, Keokuk, Silicon Metal Tech for a total of 33 years before retiring.

He then went to work as a counselor for the Drug and Alcohol Center on Okanogan Ave in Wenatchee for four years. Later, he became a driver for Patient Services at Provide a Ride and BNSF. He also became a Volunteer at

the Salvation Army at the Social Services Administration Building.

Lee enjoyed baseball and played on several teams as well as the Senior League. Horses and fishing were also on his list of enjoyments.

Lee is survived by his wife: Lois "Kris" Henneigh; three children: Lesia Curtis, Lane'e (Brennan) Earhart, and Lonnie "Sherry" Henneigh; ten grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; his sister Joyce Barnhart; and brother Dennis Henneigh. He is preceded in death by his parents: Marion and Verlie Henneigh; brother: Michael Henneigh; and son-in-law's: Timothy Curtis and Steve Kelley.

The family invite you to view Lee's tribute page at [www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com](http://www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com) to write a memory/condolence. Arrangements are in the care of Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee and Cashmere.

A Celebration of Life will be held at King's Orchard Church of Christ, 1610 Orchard Ave., Wenatchee, WA on Saturday, July 18th at 2 p.m.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I have fond memories of working with Lee at Hanna Mining. We both became Apprentices in 1975. He as a mechanic, I as an Electrician. We became good friends and always worded together as brothers. Our friend, Norm , would always buy us a beer on the anniversary of our apprenticeship. Lee was a giving person and cared for his family. We went to the picket line , in 1977, when we were on strike at Hanna Mining, and that experience will remain "gone". The Mayor , at the time of Rock Island was there and contributed to the "experience. All was good. Lee was a good man to have as one of my friends. Fred Willsey

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**Fred Willsey** - July 06, 2020 at 08:23 PM

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“ I miss my Cowboy. My best friend and love. I'm glad we had the last part of our lives together. You changed so much in your later years . I miss you every morning working in the yard with me . Your funny since of humor, 'When I would just roll my eyes and say' What ever dear' the way you enjoyed your grand kids Your love of animals. I remember when we took Grizzly as a 4 day old pup and feed him every two hours , your love of horses and trail riding . Fishing at Curlou with the kids . When you lost your bait 4 times and the end of your pole went off. You threw it down and said "I give up, I just give up I'm just going to set hear and enjoy the day. Alice Wrights nick name for you was 'Precious'I must agree. your in my heart and sole.

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**Kris Henneigh Stading** - July 03, 2020 at 04:10 PM