



## Donald Clough

August 22, 1943 - July 28, 2021

Donald Irving Clough of East Wenatchee passed away on Wednesday, July 28th, 2021 at Central Washington Hospital a few weeks after an unexpected diagnosis of leukemia.

Don is survived by his beloved wife Donna (married 38 years), and his 5 children: Suzii (Rich) Bunting, Chris (Katya) Clough, Donald Clough, Shelly Everett, and Robert Wadzuk. He also leaves behind his 4 grandchildren: Hannah Bunting, Mark Clough, Amanda Everett and Colton Everett.

Don was born on August 22nd, 1943 to Rodney and Arlene Clough in Meridian, Connecticut. He graduated from Miami High in 1961, after which he served as a member of the United States Navy for 7 years, retiring in 1968 as a veteran of the Vietnam War. After serving he moved to California, where he spent 6 years as a California Highway Patrol Officer. He later moved to Washington State, where met the love of his life Donna. They married in October of 1983, and in 1985 he became a long haul truck driver where they traveled together often and had many adventures on the road. He retired in August of 2012 after 27 years of service, and was held with high regards by his company, earning several awards during his time.

His hobbies in his late life included serving his church, tending to his yard, and watching his favorite show NCIS while cuddling his adored cat, Cali. He was

spasmodically goofy, and jokingly but lovingly called "grumpy grandpa" for his dry sense of humor and comedic cackle that his family and community cherished most about him. He will be deeply missed but will continue to be incredibly loved.

A memorial will be held at the Veteran's Affairs Cemetery in Medical Lake at a later date. Arrangements made by Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.