



James P. Pinkston

March 24, 1945 - February 15, 2017

James Palmer Pinkston, age 71, passed away on Wednesday, February 15, 2017. Jim was born March 24, 1945, in Wenatchee, WA, to Berneice and Palmer Pinkston. After graduating in 1963 from Eastmont High School, he met Brenda Dockins in Arkansas on a Christmas vacation of that year. In 1964, they were married and made their home in Wenatchee, WA. Jim started work at Alcoa while Brenda was a housewife. He was drafted into the Army in 1966, served a year in Vietnam and was discharged in 1968. After his military discharge, he returned to work at Alcoa, retiring after 28 years. He then attended Wenatchee Valley College, receiving his AA degree in Chemical Dependency in 2003. Most recently, Jim volunteered his service and experience at The Bunker for Vets Serving Vets, something he cherished. Jim never met a stranger or a dog he didn't like. He was always quick with a joke or funny story and never missed a chance to humorously insult or tease. Jim was a cherished son, adored big brother, beloved husband and faithful, generous friend. He was preceded in death by his parents, Palmer and Berneice. Jim is survived by his wife, Brenda, of 52 years; his sister, Donna Jewell; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins; and a host of friends. A Memorial Service for Jim will be held at 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 21, 2017, in the Telford's Chapel at 711 Grant Road, East Wenatchee. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee, WA.

Tribute Wall

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“ To the family of Mr. Pinkston, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Losing a loved one is one of the most difficult experiences one can face. I once gained comfort from the hope present in the bible that we can look forward to: "He will swallow up death forever, and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25:8)

Rebecca James - February 27, 2017 at 06:40 AM

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“ Sue,

I am deeply sorry for your loss. Pinky was an awesome man and I always enjoyed our talks. He will be missed. If you need anything please don't hesitate to call.

Kathy Honeycutt - February 16, 2017 at 03:24 PM

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“ On behalf of the Bunker Bunch, our hearts are heavy with the loss of our brother. RIP your watch is done

Mark Harle (The Bunker) - February 16, 2017 at 02:50 PM