



Robert Storey

March 31, 1942 - March 7, 2023

Robert passed into rest on March 7, 2023 in Wenatchee, Washington after a short illness.

He was born March 31, 1942 in Boston, MA, the son of Moorfield and Dorothy Storey. His early years were spent in Boston until he moved to Seattle, WA in 1962. He was a graduate of Wenatchee Valley Junior College and the University of Washington, majoring in industrial design. He served honorably in the United States Army during the Vietnam era. He worked for design firms in Denver and Seattle as a draftsman, and also created specialized clothing for mountaineers, before moving to Wenatchee where he resided until his passing.

Robert was an avid outdoorsman and photographer who explored the mountains Colorado and Washington, taking pictures with his trusty Olympus camera. He would rise early in the morning after sleeping on a glacier in order to catch the perfect sunrise over the mountains. Many of these mountain shots were translated into stunning oil paintings and excellent flower photographs which filled his apartment and provided great pleasure to his friends and relatives.

Robert loved Wenatchee for its excellent mountain views and trails and for the friends he made among its people. He is remembered for his kind and gentle nature, quick wit, sense of humor, and simple lifestyle. He appreciated his neighbors and left them with many fond memories.

Robert is preceded in death by his older brother Moorfield Storey Jr. He is

survived by his brother David Storey (Linda) of Spokane, nephews Peter, Andrew (Elizabeth), Matthew (Kimberly) of Seattle, Thomas (Erin) of Thousand Oaks, CA and niece Joanna Semler (Travis) of Spokane, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Donations in his memory can be made to the YMCA of Wenatchee and the North Central Regional Library. Internment will be at Washington State Veterans Cemetery near Spokane.