



Keith Balthazor

April 19, 1931 - July 12, 2021

Alcide David Keith Balthazor passed away peacefully on Monday July 12th, 2021 at the age of 90, surrounded by family and friends.

He was born on April 19th, 1931 in Boulder, Colorado to Alcide Balthazor Sr. & Freda Mary Vanek. He is preceded in death his wife Michelle and youngest sister Eina.

He is survived by his sister Dell Reyes, 3 children: Raymond Lee Balthazor of Tonasket-WA, Pamela Jean Neale of Anchorage-Alaska, Terry Balthazor of Ephrata-WA , 8 grandchildren, several great grandchildren and, nephews and nieces.

He loved flying so much that he joined Air Force at age 17. After Air Force he owned a plane and enjoyed flying with family and friends.

In 1968 he moved to Carlton, Washington where he owned a ranch, construction company and equipment rental business. In late 1990 they moved to Entiat where he worked at the Entiat Cemetery.

He loved travelling, spent a month in Australia with his dear uncle Carl Vanek. Enjoyed cruises, crabbing, working on antique cars and volunteering for Wenatchee Wild.

He is the last of the Korean War veterans in the valley and hence held a special place within the veteran community.

His Memorial Service is scheduled for 11 AM on July 17th at the Entiat Friends Church, officiated by Pastor Mark, followed by Military service at Entiat Cemetery at 12 PM. Please bring your fond memories of him to share.

If you would like, please make a donation to Humane Society in his name or any other charity of your choice.

The service can be viewed at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkkypzkmsQc>

Previous Events

Service

JUL 17. 11:00 AM (PT)

Entiat Friends Church
2848 Entiat River Rd
Entiat, WA 98822

Tribute Wall



“ *Fondly remembered for his wicked sense of humour by cousin Carol (Carl Vanek's daughter) in Australia.*

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