



Loran Dale Ginn

May 9, 1949 - December 31, 2010

Loran Dale Ginn

Seabeck, WA

Our beloved husband and father, Loran Dale Ginn, of Seabeck, WA, went to be with our Heavenly Father on December 31, 2010, in Wenatchee, WA at the age of 61. He was born on May 9, 1949, to Ralph Harlan and Florene Ginn in Clinton, OK. Loran attended Altus High School in Altus, OK, graduating with the class of 1967. During his high school years, he was active in football and was president of his senior class. During this time, he met the love of his life, Patricia Louise Parnell, and they married December 17, 1971. He graduated from Southwestern Oklahoma University with a degree in Economics. Loran proudly served in the United States Navy, protecting our country for 25 years. He served on several different ships, including the USS Forrestal, the USS California, the USS Carl Vinson and the USS Truxtun. He also served at numerous duty stations around the world, including Glasgow, Scotland and Adak, AK. He retired from the Navy as a Chief Warrant Officer and went on to work for Lockheed Martin at Bangor Base in Silverdale, WA. Loran and Patty enjoyed raising their two daughters together, as well as travelling to Mexico and Hawaii, often taking their children and grandchildren with them. They also enjoyed improving their golf game and visiting Eastern Washington to see family and go boating. Loran always had a smile on his face and a story to tell. Loran loved being active in his daughters' lives, from coaching soccer to being a church camp counselor.

He was incredibly proud of both of them and even enjoyed watching them excel in cheerleading. His joyful and uplifting spirit was contagious and no one went without smiling around him. Loran was a loving father, devoted husband and he loved the Lord. He was a member of the Church of Christ, frequently teaching adult Sunday school classes. His dedication to his family and to the Lord was evident in his unconditional love for them. He is survived by his wife, Patty of Seabek, WA; daughters, Noel Becker and Brooke Ginn of Bellingham, WA; grandsons, William and Alexander Becker of Bellingham; sister, Katherine (Bob) Diamond of Webers Falls OK; brother-in-law, Dr. Michael Parnell of East Wenatchee, WA; mother-in-law, Helen Parnell of East Wenatchee, WA; and nieces and nephews, Kyle Hughes, Richard Hughes, Sara Parnell, Ashlee Parnell, Sarah Diamond and Emma Diamond. A Celebration of his Life will be held at 1:00 p.m., Friday, January 7, 2011, at King's Orchard Church of Christ in Wenatchee, WA with Interment following at Evergreen Memorial Park in East Wenatchee, WA. Visitation will be held from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 6, 2011, at Jones & Jones~Betts Funeral Home in Wenatchee. Please express your thoughts and memories on the online guest book at jonesjonesbetts.com. Arrangements are by Jones & Jones~Betts Funeral Home, Wenatchee.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Memorial Park

1301 10th St NE
East Wentatchee, WA 98802
(509) 884-4651

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Jones & Jones ~ Betts Funeral Home
302 9thStreet
Wenatchee, WA 98801
(509) 662-1561
dante@jonesjonesbetts.com

Tribute Wall

CB

“ *Cindy Steve Brokens lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Cindy Steve Brokens - January 10, 2011 at 10:33 PM

KK

“ *Kim Klahr lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Kim Klahr - January 07, 2011 at 10:05 PM

SS

“ *Sheri Shipe lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Sheri Shipe - January 07, 2011 at 05:55 PM

AS

“ *Audrey Sullivan lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Audrey Sullivan - January 07, 2011 at 05:33 PM

LP

“ *Lisa Porter lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Lisa Porter - January 07, 2011 at 02:40 PM

JT

“ *Janet Toigo lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Janet Toigo - January 07, 2011 at 02:36 PM

VS

“ *Val Stallings lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Val Stallings - January 07, 2011 at 01:13 PM

LZ

“ *Laura Zieser lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Laura Zieser - January 07, 2011 at 12:45 PM

MG

“ *Monday Galbreath lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Monday Galbreath - January 07, 2011 at 12:38 PM

AS

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Alan Snow - January 07, 2011 at 12:25 PM

PH

“ *Patti Hodges lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Patti Hodges - January 07, 2011 at 12:07 PM

BS

“ *Becky Secret lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Becky Secret - January 07, 2011 at 11:30 AM

HH

“ Heather Hazen-Gross lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Heather Hazen-Gross - January 07, 2011 at 11:15 AM

AH

“ Allison Harper lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Allison Harper - January 07, 2011 at 11:13 AM

BB

“ Becky Barringer lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Becky Barringer - January 07, 2011 at 10:35 AM

JS

“ Jeanne Snowdon lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Jeanne Snowdon - January 07, 2011 at 10:35 AM

Tina
Korloch

“ Tina Korloch lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Tina Korloch - January 07, 2011 at 10:34 AM

JD

“ Jamie Dunne lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Jamie Dunne - January 07, 2011 at 08:36 AM

H(

“ Heather (Miller) lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn



Heather (Miller) - January 07, 2011 at 02:55 AM

H(

“ My heart goes out to your family. My daughter was in Mrs Ginn's kindergarten class at Seabeck Elementary and I have been in Seabeck the majority of my life. Though I never met him if Mrs Ginn is any inclination of what kind of person he was I would have been proud to have known the man. My thoughts and prayers are with you....

Heather Bockman (Miller)

Heather (Miller) - January 07, 2011 at 02:54 AM


Charles
Quam

“ I only met Loran once but that was enough to realize he was an amazing husband. I pulled into White Horse Golf Club in Kingston, WA and was getting my clubs out to play a round of golf when I realized that I recognized Patti. Patti introduced me to Loran and then I went and paid as a single in the clubhouse. I caught up with them on the first tee and asked if I could join them. They stated that they didn't want to hold me up and I said I wasn't in a hurry. I was impressed the whole round at how Loran and Patti were so supportive of each other on every shot and they so patient with each other. I commented to my wife, Anna, that they were like Junior High kids in Love. I only met the 2 of them together one time but could see that there was an amazing love between them that others can only dream of.

You are in our prayers, Patti.

Charles Quam - January 07, 2011 at 12:07 AM

AQ

“ *Anna Quam lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Anna Quam - January 07, 2011 at 12:07 AM

AQ

“ *Patty, Noel, and Brooke,
My prayers go out to all of you at this difficult time. Patty, you and Loran were such a loving example of a beautiful marriage. I loved watching the two of you go to gym together almost everyday and the smile on your face every time you talked about him. The two of you had a connection that few ever have. And I knew how important family was to both of you. Noel and Brooke, I hope to meet you someday as I know how very proud both parents are of you. May God surround you all with His peace and grace and know how much we all truly care for you.*

Anna Quam

Anna Quam - January 07, 2011 at 12:06 AM

BN

“ The first time I met Loran was at my CK Parent/Cheer meeting when his daughter, Noel, made my cheer team. This was a welcome meeting to meet my newly selected cheerleaders and their parents. The room was filled with my cheerleaders and their moms and this one special dad. I thought to myself, this is nice for this dad to take such an interest in his daughter's cheerleading. How special this daughter must be to her dad to attend this meeting. Loran and Patty would both sit in the stands showing their support and how proud they were of Noel. They repeated this when their youngest daughter, Brooke, also cheered for me all 3 years of high school. Loran always wore a smile and you just knew he was a very caring father and very proud of his family.

Barbara Nelson - January 06, 2011 at 10:24 PM

PD

“ I remember Loran as one of my best friends in Jr. High and High School...we spent a lot of time together during the "Happy Days" of the 60's.... He was a genuine, caring, and quality person.and very funny also!

Paul Doughty - January 06, 2011 at 10:36 AM

JP

“ Although I never met Loran, I know his mother-in-law Helen very well. The love and fondness with which she spoke of him warmed my heart. My husband and I are keeping all of the family in our thoughts and prayers. May our eternal God grant you mercy and comfort in your time of loss and may all of your memories bring you peace.

John Ellen Pell - January 06, 2011 at 09:39 AM

 JH

“ *Expressing my sympathy on the passing of Loran. He lived next door to me at 912 N. Howse, Altus, OK, most of his childhood. I know he will be missed by family and friends. May God bless you as you go through this trying time.*

Joyce Harris, 908 N. Howse, altus, Ok, 73521

Joyce Harris - January 05, 2011 at 10:09 PM

 DE

“ *I was honored to be bridesmaid at Patty and Loran's wedding many years ago.*

A beautiful young man and woman, so obviously and deeply in love and Christmas church on a southern December evening. The affection and devotion I witnessed that day, that shining radiance, I shall never, never forget.

The love and commitment in their eyes that night lasted through out their marriage, and now.....follows into eternity.....

I love you patty,

Debbie

Debbie - January 05, 2011 at 09:11 PM



“ *Loran...you will be sorely missed. You were a great friend and Brother. You always asked how things are going and were conscientious and dedicated to your fellow workers at Lockheed. Fair winds and following seas Brother!*

Norman Wheeler - January 05, 2011 at 06:09 PM



“ *Norman Wheeler lit a candle in memory of Loran Dale Ginn*



Norman Wheeler - January 05, 2011 at 06:05 PM

BJ

“ *We remember Loran as a kind and happy man who loved his family. He had a way about him that made you comfortable in his presence. While we didn't know Loran as well as many of his friends, we know that his best qualities - love for family and friends, kindness, caring, dependability, integrity - live on in his children, Noel and Brooke. Our deepest sympathy to his family. Loran will be dearly missed.*

Brett, James & Mia Johnson - January 05, 2011 at 04:30 PM

BA

“ *I remember Loran as a child at Thomas Street C of C now Tamarack Road C of C. He and his best friend Dean Bryce were in my Bible class and young men and boys training class. I am sad to hear of his death but have many memories of him. God bless your family.*

Bobby Altus, - January 05, 2011 at 04:05 PM

RH

“ *Patty, Noel and Brooke,*

Words cannot express how sorry we are for your loss. Please remember how much we love you and loved Loran. We had many good times drinking wine!!!! If you ever need anything we are just phone call away.

*All our love,
Rhonda and Steve Becker*



Rhonda - January 05, 2011 at 03:31 PM