



## Michael Wayne Arnold

December 25, 1952 - May 24, 2015

Mike, age 62, passed away on May 24, 2015. He was born December 25, 1952 to Wesley and Charlene Arnold. He lived all his life in Wenatchee. Growing up in Sunnyslope he attended Sunnyslope Elementary then went to Wenatchee High School. He enlisted in the army in 1971 and went to California for boot camp. He was deployed to Vietnam. He was discharged in 1972. He attended ITT in Arizona but decided that wasn't for him, so came home and started working with his dad in the orchard. He enjoyed being outside and he soon bought his own orchard of apples and Cherries. He married Karen Smith in September of 1988 and together they work the orchard. He finally had to give up the orchard because of health reasons. He was preceded in death by his father and mother Wesley and Charlene Arnold and older brother Frank. He is survived by his wife Karen Arnold at home, Brother Randy (Paula) Sister Liz (John), brother-in-law Ron Smith (Heidi), sisters-in-law Pat Northwind, 8 nephews and 5 nieces. Services for Mike will be held at Jones & Jones-Betts at 10:00 A.M, Wednesday, June 3, 2015.

Please express your thoughts and memories on the online guest book at [jonesjonesbetts.com](http://jonesjonesbetts.com). Arrangements are by Jones & Jones-Betts Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ Jones & Jones - Betts Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael Wayne Arnold



---

**Jones & Jones~Betts Funeral Home** - June 03, 2015 at 06:03 PM

SM

*I loved Mike. He was such a gentle soul. And NOTHING like his older brother Frank. I visited him today, watched the tribute video, and shed a couple of tears. He was such a sweet and gentle soul, with a heart filled with only love. RIP Brother-in-law. You were the only one worth knowing.*

---

**Sherry Munson** - June 18, 2023 at 09:47 PM

Jana  
Montgome

“ *I remember the Mike of my childhood, the dark skinned boy with the shiny dark hair, he had a classic American smile and always had a mischievous twinkle in his eye. That is the kid that I remember, when he smiled and winked at me I thought I was special. My thoughts and prayers are with Liz and Randy and Karen (who I never got to meet.) He is soaring with the angels now, free from all the pains of this earth. God bless you all.*

---

**Jana Montgomery** - June 04, 2015 at 11:53 AM

SS

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I knew Mike from the old days and we had many adventures selling his cherries to Tiny's which we would take up to Cashmere on the back roads in Jr High with his old 58 Chevy station wagon. We drove all over in that car and I have happy memories of him from those times. He would go to Arkansas every year and come back with a bunch of illegal fireworks which we would sell to all our friends and light up Sunnyslope on the 4th. I was able to work with Randy in later years at Alcoa. We would also go to the Drive In with Frank and his girl friend in the red GTO and those were good times and happy memories, Steve Sears

Steven Sears - June 03, 2015 at 12:39 PM

RJ

“ Robert & Beverly Jones lit a candle in memory of Michael Wayne Arnold



Robert & Beverly Jones - May 26, 2015 at 02:01 PM

RO

So sorry for your loss, Karen.

Robert - May 26, 2015 at 02:02 PM

TG

Karen this was so not expected.you know we know what happened. we are here for you anytime,only a phone call away.we care about mike and you. we guess mike can watch hockey in heaven next season. love you

the flowers girls - May 28, 2015 at 06:39 PM

BJ

We are thinking of you Karen. We all love you.

Bobby Jo - May 29, 2015 at 04:34 PM