



## Ralph D. Eslinger

August 6, 1952 - December 19, 2016

Ralph Eslinger, 64, of Malaga was born Aug. 6, 1952, in Wenatchee, WA to George and Grace Eslinger. He died Dec. 19, 2016 in Wenatchee, WA. He is survived by his wife, Nita, of 42 years; a son, Keith Eslinger, of Malaga, a daughter, Sara (David) Morgan, of Wenatchee, WA; and two grandsons, Victor and Josh Morgan, of Wenatchee, WA. He is also survived by a brother, Paul (Sharon) Eslinger, of Richland, WA; and two sisters, Wanda Eslinger of Malaga, WA, and Sheri (Danny) Howton of Spokane, WA.

He worked for 40 years as a Union Carpenter.

Ralph's life will be celebrated on Wednesday, December 28, 2016 at 11:00 am at Wentachee Church of the Nazarene, 1011 S. Miller St., with Pastor Mike Malmin.

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

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

DEC 28. 11:00 AM (PT)

Wenatchee Church of Nazarene  
1011 S Miller Street  
Wenatchee, WA 98801

# Tribute Wall

WE

“Ralph truly enjoyed making pencils and pens the last 4 years. He mainly made them from wood. He did make some things from acrylics. Here are some pictures of The Pen Guy. I treasure the things he made for me. I have a cedar chest he made for me when he was in college. from his sister Wanda Eslinger



Wanda Eslinger - December 28, 2016 at 05:40 PM

WE

“ Ralph liked to take pictures, especially of wildflowers. I truly enjoyed the times I went with him to photograph flowers. By the time he was five he knew that he wanted to build churches and houses. He worked as an union carpenter for 40 years. After he retired he continued to work with wood making pens and pencils. He was known as *The Pen Guy*. with love from his sister Wanda Eslinger



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**Wanda Eslinger** - December 28, 2016 at 05:34 PM

DH

“ Nita,  
I'm so we got to talk that Friday. I hope it was a help to you. I will not be able to be at the service. I will be teaching a Bible study. I think Ralph would understand. I can remember when he was in the HS band. He was so proud. Later, he looked forward to the twins and wawas always concerned about how difficult that process was for you. I'm sorry that your time together was not as long as you hoped it would be. I told you many ways to find me if you need to. This process is different for each of us. Do not put yourself down if you and your children travel this route differently. Remember, GOD is with us, always. Its easy to loose sight of that. Debra Fears Holland

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**Debra Holland** - December 27, 2016 at 11:00 AM

GS

“ *My deepest condolences to Ralph's family.  
Growing up just above the Eslingers, had many memories of  
sledding, playing basketball, & football with Ralph & Paul.  
Much appreciated the carpentry work he did for my mother after the  
passing of my father.  
You were a good man Ralph Eslinger!! Rest in Peace.  
Thoughts & prayers are with your family.*

*Gary Searles*

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**Gary Searles** - December 23, 2016 at 09:06 PM