



William Erwin Lindert

May 25, 1923 - June 17, 2014

William Erwin Lindert, 91, passed away on Tuesday, June 17, 2014 at home surrounded by his family. He was born in Bridgeport, WA. on May 25, 1923. He graduated from Bridgeport High School in 1941, then he took over his father's apple orchard. He remained an orchardist until retirement. He also had an interest in electrical engineering and took some correspondence courses on it. On August 3, 1951 he married Ruth Miller and they would have celebrated their 63rd Wedding Anniversary this year. He has said many times that he made many mistakes, but marrying mom wasn't one of them. His and Ruth's faith in God was the foundation of their happy marriage. Erwin and Ruth lived in Manson for the majority of their marriage. They also spent 3 years in Chelan & 1 year in Pateros, before moving to Wenatchee in 2005. He loved planting new orchards and also enjoyed working on cars and had a used car lot in Brewster for several years. His various hobbies included photography, shooting, camping, reading, and puzzle solving. He served as a board member of the Manson Reclamation District for many years. Bill "Erwin" will be remembered for his very generous ways, his love of life and family and his infectious laugh. He was preceded in death by his parents, William & Almude, brothers; Andy & Fritz; sisters; Marie, Margaret, Lena, & Kate, and most recently his wife, Ruth of 62 years He is survived by his sons; Rick, who lived with & cared for him and Ruth; Chuck & Stan (Marcella) of Manson and daughter, Christie (Steve) Fry of Richland, WA; ten grandchildren whom he loved very much, Sybylla, Dianna, Katie, Bill (Megan), Justin (Britney),

Andrew, Jenna, Jason (Jennifer), Jake, and Rosellyn. Bill "Erwin" had declining health over the past few years, having several heart attacks during recent months. His family misses him terribly already, but we're relieved that his struggle has ended and he is at rest. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Friday, June 20, 2014 at Precht Rose Chapel in Chelan with interment following at Fraternal Cemetery. Visitation will be at 10:00 A.M. on Friday, prior to the service.

Cemetery Details

Fraternel Cemetery in Chelan

55 Union Valley Road
Chelan, WA 98816

Previous Events

Service

JUN 20. 11:00 AM (PT)

Precht Rose Chapel
332 E Woodin
Chelan, WA 98816
(509) 682-2524
<http://www.prechtrose.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Family, Your parents were very special customers and friends of Tilly Equipment. I can remember many instances of doing business with them. They were kind, patient and exceptionally honest. It was a pleasure to know them. Sincerely, Earl Till

Earl Tilly - June 24, 2014 at 11:40 AM