



Leland Joe Pielstick

August 27, 1935 - April 20, 2021

Leland J. Pielstick was born in 1935 in Minden, Nebraska to Malcom and Ethyl Pielstick. Lee was raised in Nebraska, Idaho and Canada. At the age of 18, he met the love of his life, Bonnie Furniss, and they were married 6 weeks later in 1953. They eventually moved to Kennewick when Lee went to work at Copeland Lumber in 1961 and they loved the area and its people. Lee was very active in the community through Kiwanis, Kennewick Lions and Kennewick Chamber of Commerce. He owned King's Way Carpets, H and D Sales and a car wash before he decided to sell real estate in the 1970's. He continued to sell real estate until he was 75 and loved helping people with their homes. After he retired from real estate, he was on the Board of Equalization until about 2018. Lee also loved motorcycles and cars! He took his kids to car races, worked on cars, driving cars and watching the Indy 500. He had a bigger than life personality but he wanted people to see Jesus in his personality and actions. Lee trusted Jesus most of his life and felt blessed because of it. He showed his family how to love and follow Jesus and be blessed because of it. His surviving family are his 2 sons, Bruce (Wendy), and Lloyd (Laura), and daughter, Denise Haug (Mel); his grandchildren and many cherished great-grandchildren whom he loved and adored all. There were many people that he and Bonnie welcomed into their home and became their family. There are many surviving in-laws, nieces and nephews that loved Lee and his excitement for life.

There will be a memorial service on Saturday, May 1, 2021 at 4pm at The Living Room Community Church. There will be an open mike time to share "Lee stories" at the end of the service. Please come and share. Graveside will be in Jerome, ID.

Events

MAY **Memorial Service** 04:00PM

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Living Room Community Church
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Comments



“ Lee was the leader of my Cub Scout Den, clear back in the 1960's. His energy, enthusiasm, and care for us young men in the early stages of our life was an inspiration and a blessing, I hold a pile of wonderful memories from the field trips, weekend outings, and the countless activities we learned from Lee.

Years later, I would catch up with him and his son Bruce on Facebook, and share some more great moments there. I regard the entire Pielstick tribe as family friends, and I always will!

He was good to us, to his family, and to all who knew him, May his memory forever be a blessing!

Michael David S. Severson :-)

Michael David Severson - July 16 at 04:22 PM



“ Dear Pielstick Family I met Lee while we served on the Board of Equalization. It was an honor and a privilege to serve with him. He brought a lot of knowledge to the table regarding property value. He gave me an entirely new perspective of the service a real estate agent can provide to a client. Lee told me of his effort in trying to match the client's needs with a prospective property rather than just trying to sell a property. He was a straight shooter. Dale Olander

Dale Olander - April 30 at 11:08 PM



“ Lee sold me my home after moving back to the Tri-cities after my divorce. He brought me a gift of a stone for my yard that said Bloom where you are planted. I think of him every time I view it.
Lee then proceeded to play matchmaker at our church and encouraged Jeff & I to meet for coffee which we were both reluctant to do but Lee continued to be very persistent. We met for lunch and we will be married 18 years this year. Thank you Lee. Rest in peace.
Our prayers are with the family.
Jeff & Gaylene Lembcke

Gaylene Lembcke - April 29 at 04:25 PM