



## Albert Louis Langton

June 4, 1934 - December 27, 2014

Al passed on to Heaven on December 27, 2014 surrounded by his wife and family. He was born in Walla Walla, WA, the sixth of seven children to Morris & Margery Langton on June 4, 1934.

Al is survived by his beloved wife Bernie; Children - Dave & Diana Langton of Spokane, Cheryl & Don Hare, of La Mirada, CA, and Lyn & Dave Storm of Arlington, WA. Six grandchildren - Jared & Cassie Langton of Tumwater, Jaime Langton of Portland, OR, Carrie & Grant Reed of Corona, CA, Crystal & Ryan Sampogna of Temecula, CA, Jed Golder of Marysville, and Katie Golder of Marysville, as well as seven great grandchildren who called him "Big Papa" and his sister Gertie of Shoreline, brother & sister in law Floyd & Betty Langton, of Bremerton, brother and sister in law, Stan & Jeannette Langton of Spokane, and Sister in law & brother in law Pat & Gerry Wilder of Everett.

As a young boy he started working in the strawberry fields for the "Klicker Ranch" He had many good memories & stories to tell. He graduated from "Wa-Hi" in 1952. He loved the "Blue Devils". In August of 1952 much to his Father's delight, Al joined the US Navy. He spent four years in the Navy, most of the time at sea aboard the USS Hornet, on the flight deck. He made the trip around the World on the Hornet.

His good friend, Jerry Johnson introduced Al, while on Boot Leave to his

future wife Bernie Weeks, in November, 1952. They sent letters every day & were married while Al was on leave on December 22, 1954. They spent time in San Diego before the Hornet left again for a seven month journey in May of 1955. When the Ship returned to San Diego, Bernie met Al in Coronado with their two month old son Dave. In 1957, their first daughter, Cheri was born. In 1962, they welcomed their second daughter, Lyn.

Al was a hard worker, after his honorable discharge in 1956, they moved to Everett, WA. While Al was working as an upholsterer & at Weyerhaeuser, a friend asked if he was interested in being a Firefighter. Excited about it, Al passed the exams and waited for an opening. He spent thirty-one years as an Everett Firefighter and always went to work with a smile on his face. He retired as a Battalion Chief, in February 1992.

Al was active in the Boy Scouts, helping his son, Dave to become an Eagle Scout and was active with his daughter's with their many activities. He was a member of the Everett Evergreen Kiwanis and taught CPR through the Fire Department to middle school kids in Everett. Al & Bernie & children were members of the First Baptist Church in Everett.

Al was an exceptional husband, father, Grandpa & "big" Papa and raised their family in Everett. In 1995, Al & Bernie followed their retirement dream & moved to Lake Chelan, leaving many friends & family.

Al & Bernie joined the Lake Chelan Newcomer's & met many lifelong friends & new activities. Al & Bernie loved golf and having the grandkids visit Chelan to enjoy swimming in the lake with their Grandpa.

Al & Bernie were inseparable. Their 60 years of marriage will be celebrated on December 22, 2014.

Al was the epitome of a true Christian Man. He loved people and was always

busy with friends, golf and yard work. Some in Chelan will remember him as the "tall guy" that worked part time at Kelly's Hardware.

He is an irreplaceable man who loved in Wife, Children, Grand Children, Great Grand Children, & was a friend to all with love & understanding.

Al was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, one sister and a special great granddaughter, Hailey Lynn Langton.

A private family burial will be in Chelan at the Fraternal Cemetery. A public memorial service will be held for Al on April 18, 2015 from North Shore Bible Church in Manson, WA.

In lieu of flowers please consider donating to the Alzheimer's Assoc. ([www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org)) or to the Lights of Love - in care of Guild B Box 2177, Chelan, WA. 98816.

Thank you so much to Dr. Wazkiwitz, Stephanie Johnson, & a special thanks to all the care givers at Regency Manor Nursing Home. They treated him with love & respect.

Al will truly be missed.

# Cemetery Details

## Chelan Fraternal Cemetery

815 N. Bradley St.  
Chelan, WA 98816

# Previous Events

## Service

APR 11. 1:00 PM (PT)

North Shore Bible Church  
123 Wapato Point Parkway  
Manson, WA 98831  
(509) 687-3636

# Tribute Wall



“ *Albert Louis Langton*

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January 29, 2023 at 08:49 AM



“ *To the family of Albert Langton : I personally did not have the privilege of meeting this remarkable couple, however I would like to express my condolences to the family and friends of their dear loved one, Albert. May you find comfort in your loving memories, and in knowing that God (Psalm 83:18 - his name) is 'Close to those that are broken at heart; and He saves those who are crushed in spirit.' - Psalm 34:18. Our loving Creator has promised to soon "swallow up dear forever.....and wipe the tears from all faces."- Isaiah 25:8. With deepest sympathy.*

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**Ginger** - February 04, 2015 at 11:54 AM



“ *Dear Bernie,  
Our sincere sympathy to you and your family.  
Al will truly be missed by everyone that knew him.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Mike and Bettie Myers*

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**Bettie Myers** - January 06, 2015 at 08:51 PM



“ *My condolences to Bernie and the family Al will be dearly missed...William Searcy Jr*

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**William Searcy** - January 06, 2015 at 12:54 PM

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“ My sympathy to you and your family, Bernie. I know how much you will miss him. You guys were such fun people to get to know and be able to call neighbors. I will always remember our fun coffee hours !  
Sandie Crandall

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**sandie crandall** - January 04, 2015 at 11:35 AM



“ The public memorial date has been changed to April 11th. We hope that all of Dad's friends can attend to share memories of him with his family. He was a incredible man who truly touched everyone who met him.

Lyn

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**Lyn Storm** - January 04, 2015 at 10:56 AM

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“ We will always remember Al's cheery disposition, his love of being with family and friends and especially his dear wife Bernie. We saw Bernie and Al frequently during the winters in Palm Desert. You could count on Al to sit on his patio overlooking the 4th tee box, watching the golfers and striking up conversations with whomever passed his way. We enjoyed many festive "Happy Hours" on their patio complete with a lively fire to keep us all warm. Al always made sure the chair right next to him was saved for Bernie. It was not unusual for Al to tell Bernie how much he loved her several times during the conversation. We will miss Al very much and will always keep fond memories of our happy times together in our hearts. God Bless all of the Langton family.

Your friends,  
Tom and Janet

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**Tom and Janet Kophs** - December 31, 2014 at 07:38 PM