



## Jerry Dwain Hendrix

June 1, 1948 - June 10, 2016

Jerry Dwain Hendrix ended his journey on Earth on June 10th, 2016 at the age of 68. He was born on June 1st, 1948 in Batesville Arkansas to Father James and Mother Nora (Melton) Hendrix. Jerry moved to Chelan, Washington with his Mother, Father and four siblings at the age of five. He graduated from Chelan High School in 1966. He served in the United States Navy from 1967 to 1977 as a Parachute Rigger, stationed at the Whidbey Island Naval Air Station. He served on the USS ranger for two tours during the Vietnam Conflict. After returning home from the Navy, he resided in Chelan, then later Brewster where he retired from the upholstery business after nearly thirty years.

After his retirement, he spent his time restoring Fiats, remodeling his home, and most recently helping his son build a concession trailer. His greatest joy was spending time with his Cat Sissy and showing off his dream car, his blue Corvette. He also loved spending time in his karaoke room singing, laughing and being with his family and friends.

He was a life-long member of the former Southern Baptist Church in Chelan, WA and helped build the church with his Father during his teenage years.

During the 70's he sang with his friends Andy Voldberg and Buell Adams in a group called the Eternity Singers every Sunday and Wednesday evening.

Jerry was a selfless man who spent his entire life doing whatever he could do help others, and never saw fault in anybody he ever met. His door was always open for those in need, even if they just needed a friend to talk to.

Jerry is survived by his Son who he considered his best friend, Warren Hendrix (Sheri Spear) of Brewster, WA, Sisters Anita (Clarence) Williams of Tennessee, Bonnie Gay Kestner of Virginia, Brother Eudell (Ruth) Hendrix of Chelan, Grandsons Michael (Mari) Hendrix of East Wenatchee, Matthew (Jessica) Hendrix of Entiat, WA, Granddaughter Melissa (Kyle) Holland of Arlington, WA, Three Great Grandchildren and ten Nieces and Nephews, all of who he held dear to his heart. He is also survived by countless friends, many of who he considered his extended family.

Jerry was preceded in Death by his parents, his Sister Lorita Beeson and his Nephew Raymond Williams.

There will be a viewing at Barnes Chapel in Brewster, WA on Friday June 17th from four to seven PM. Services will be Held at the Fraternal Cemetary on June 18th at 11 AM, with a celebration of life at the Bridgeport Eagles immediately following the service in Chelan.

# Cemetery Details

## Chelan Fraternal Cemetery

815 N. Bradley St.  
Chelan, WA 98816

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 18. 11:00 AM (PT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Precht Rose Chapel and Barnes Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerry Dwain Hendrix*



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**Precht Rose Chapel and Barnes Chapel** - June 15, 2016 at 04:14 PM



“ *Jerry Dwain Hendrix*

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January 29, 2023 at 08:49 AM



“ *I'm going to miss you Jerry, I wish you could have met all of our kids, so they could see what a funny and great guy you were. Thanks for being there when we needed you most. Now let the Lord take care of you. Penny*



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**Penny George** - June 15, 2016 at 10:01 PM

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“ I met Jerry when both our kids were tiny, and we were both single...we hit it off, and had some really good times together. He even introduced me to the man I later married. Over the years, we kept in touch from time to time, and recently we were able to get together to reminisce and share a meal. Our friendship was very special, and there is a hole in my heart now that he is gone.



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**Joanna Bruno** - June 15, 2016 at 08:59 PM

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“ I am a cousin of Jerrys on his Mothers side of the family, Jerrys Mother and my dad were brother/sister. when they moved to WA I was only about 4 years old, so I don't have a clear memory of knowing them.....but, through family gatherings and through FB, of course ~ I do know all of you, especially Anita and Bonnie Gay....I want to send my thoughts and prayers to Jerry's entire family ~ This has been a sad time for me as well....Shirley Melton Bradshaw and Doug



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**Shirley Melton Bradshaw** - June 15, 2016 at 01:17 PM