

Douglas Allan Perret

November 9 1946 - March 21 2024

Douglas Allan Perret, born to George Henry Perret and Betty Jean Blackburn Perret, passed away on March 21 2024. Doug is survived by his beloved daughter, Maggie Tilton, his son, George Perret and grandson, Andy Delameter. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Linda, in 1991.

He is also survived by his sisters, Janet Jacobson, Diane Relaford, Linda Robertson, and Joni Schaber in addition to many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Doug served in the Coast Guard out of high school then continued his public service working for the Social Security Administration until his retirement.

Doug was passionately involved with Little League Umpires. What started as a parent volunteering to umpire a game so the kids could play turned into an umpire career spanning 4 decades. He was known for his consistent and fair calls and earned numerous accolades and awards including being selected to umpire the Little League World Series. For most of his career, what he was most passionate about was being an instructor helping to shape the way umpires are taught and trained. Doug's passion for teaching extended beyond umpires, he was a certified hunters safety course instructor and was a highly sought out coach of boys and girls' basketball. He was a hard-working volunteer and dedicated a lot of time to building and maintaining the ballparks in the area, so the kids had a place to play ball.

Doug was a talented woodworker and carpenter. He created many treasures and built everything from furniture to fences for his family and friends. Hunting was an annual event to spend with his son and memories of times with his father.

Doug's impact on the lives of those he coached, mentored, and befriended will be remembered fondly. His dedication, and love for the game of baseball and his community will continue to inspire generations to come.

Doug will be dearly missed by his family, friends, and all who had the privilege of knowing him. May he rest in peace, forever remembered.

Services will be held on Friday, April 12th at 1:00PM at City View Funeral Home.

Sunday, April 14 at 1:00PM there will be a Celebration of Life at Holland Youth Park, 390 Cordon Rd NE, Salem, Oregon 97317.