

# OBITUARIES

PAID NOTICES

## Rob Norton



Rob Norton

Robert (Rob) Lavern Norton passed away unexpectedly in his home March 17, 2020, at the age of 59. Rob was born on January 29, 1961 to Robert and Elaine Norton in Hood River, Ore. He was the youngest, and only brother to Nancy (Matthews), Carrie (Billings) and Sheryl (Graves).

Rob grew up in Pine Grove and graduated from Hood River Valley High School. In middle school, Rob played many sports but his activities became more social in nature as he got to high school. Rob could be described as a jokester, class clown and life of the party. While active in FFA, he raised cows and other livestock. He also enjoyed tinkering with his car and living out his Evil Knievel dreams on his motorcycle.

Rob continued his education (as he would say) in the school of "hard knocks," working a variety of jobs in the agricultural industry. He started with Willis Family Orchards and later became a field man at Diamond Fruit, Stadelman's and Chamberlain Agriculture. Rob eventually worked with his sister, Sheryl, at GS Long, where he became the manager. The key to Rob's success was his natural ability to "shoot the shit" with anyone. When you had a conversation with Rob (business or personal), you always left having had a good laugh and being encouraged.

In 1990, Rob married Cheryl Cates, and in 1994 became a dad to his daughter, Taylor. Taylor immediately melted Rob's already very tender heart. Rob married Tracy Sanguras in 1999 and their son, Austin, entered the world in 2000. While Rob's role as father and husband was the center of his world, he also enjoyed coaching, cheering on both of his kids in sports and taking his family on camping adventures.

Rob could not have been prouder of his kids. He beamed as Taylor graduated high school and set off for Hawaii to become a nurse. An added blessing was giving her away in marriage to Clay, who soon became not only a son-in-law, but a true friend. He was also very proud to see Austin flourish in high school and begin his college career at George Fox University, working toward a degree in criminal justice.

Rob loved people and enjoyed making them laugh. Everyone who knew Rob has multiple stories of times he cracked them up with his jokes and wild pranks. Beyond all of this, his family was the center of his entire world. He lived to provide for them and make them happy.

Rob gave so much to so many. Whether he was playing Santa during the holidays, plowing driveways during the winter, auctioneering at local fundraisers, or calling BINGO for his mother-in-law's local sorority chapter, Rob was always willing to step up and help others.

Rob loved to travel with his family, work in his meticulously-kept yard, complete home projects, and host barbecues and poker nights with friends. There were very few people in the valley who didn't call Rob a friend. He will be dearly missed by all.

Rob was preceded in death by his mother, Elaine Norton, father, Robert Norton, step-mother, Barbara Norton, and step-sister, Sally Johnson. He is survived by his wife, Tracy Norton; his daughter, Taylor (Clay) Cox; son, Austin Norton; siblings, Nancy (Ernie) Matthews, Carrie (Dennis) Billings, and Sheryl (Randy) Graves; step-siblings, Sherrie Chevron, Susan (Larry) Lucas, and Mike Johnson; his mother-in-law, Debbie Sanguras; sister-in-law, Lindsey (Lang) Cook; brother-in-law, Todd (Katrina) Sanguras; nieces, Joyce Willis, Tina (John) Combs, Shana Mattson, Sara (Chris) Rumrill, Anika Sanguras and Kennedy Cook; nephews, Cole Billings, Derrick Johnson, Reed Johnson, Beckam Sanguras, and Kameron Cook; great-nephew Blake Willis; and great-nieces Grace and Tatum Willis.

Due to current coronavirus concerns, both the graveside service and celebration of life will be postponed until further notice. Details of both events will be provided by family once information is available. Arrangements are under the direction of Anderson's Tribute Center, Hood River. Visit [www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com](http://www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com) to leave a note of condolence for the family.

## Wayne Annala



Wayne Annala

Hood River native and longtime local attorney Wayne Carlos Annala, 87, passed away Feb. 2, 2020, at Providence St. Vincent Medical Center in Portland, Ore. He was born Nov. 2, 1932, in Hood River, Ore., to Arne and Kathleen (Kay Carlos) Annala.

Wayne grew up in the Oak Grove and Odell areas of the Hood River Valley. As a boy, he learned the ropes of being an orchardist as he helped his father with his apple and pear orchards along with assisting many aunts and uncles with theirs. It was during those years that he decided to practice law so that he could help out all of his family and friends, so he traded in the smudge pots for law books.

Wayne excelled in school, starting with athletics. He played baseball and many other sports. He did not limit himself to sports, as he also loved being in the Hood River High School marching band, in which he played various instruments. During his senior year he ran for the office of student body president and he proudly led the school and enjoyed his tenure.

Graduating in 1950 from HRHS, he went on to graduate from Oregon State College in 1954, received his law degree in 1957 from the University of Oregon, and was admitted to the Oregon Bar that same year.

Because of his love for the military, Wayne spent the summers during his early college years joining the Marine and Naval cadet programs. He had hoped to serve his country for years to come but he was released due to a back injury.

Also during his college years, he married Loretta Daugherty, on June 12, 1954, in the Riverside Church in Hood River. They had four children: Susan, Eric, Robyn and Davin.

His legal experience began with a job as law clerk to federal Judge Wm. G. East, followed by three years practicing law at Portland law firm.

In January 1961 Wayne moved back to Hood River with his young family and he acquired the law office of John N. Mohr, who had died a month prior. Wayne continued to practice law in Hood River (Annala, Carey, Baker, Thompson & Van Koten, and later Annala, Carey and Hull) until his death.

In December 2005, Wayne was the first recipient of the Edwin J. Peterson Professional Award, given by the Oregon Bench/Bar Commission on Professionalism.

Retirement held no appeal for him. "I don't like to fish and I don't play golf and I don't want to build bird houses to keep myself occupied, so what would I do if I stopped practicing law?" he told writer Melody Finnemore nearly 10 years ago. "You'll know I'm retired when the local mortician rolls me out of the office on a gurney."

Throughout his life, Wayne enjoyed the great outdoors by whitewater rafting with his best friend, Judge Edwin Peterson; also boating, dirt biking, skiing and mountain climbing. He was an early member of the Crag Rats mountain rescue group (which was started by many of his family members in 1926). In his younger years he never missed a rescue, which he felt took precedence over his attorney work. Wayne he got his outdoor fix at a cabin he purchased on Savary Island in Canada, where he spent many summers in the last 30 years.

He also had a great love for music and, according to his family, could play any instrument that was handed to him. During his early years, he would grace the stage playing his beloved accordion or piano, which he could do with his eyes closed. He also performed during some Lions Follies programs playing his accordion.

Wayne was predeceased in 2011 by his wife Loretta and their son Davin, and their son Eric in 2012.

On June 2, 2012, he married Camilla Wishart at St. Mark's Church in Hood River.

He is survived by his wife, Camilla; daughters Susan Annala, of Hood River, and Robyn Annala, of Waldport, Ore., and adopted daughter Jana Mattson; seven grandchildren: Livia Hendrickson, Erica Nichols, Josh Sleeper, Julia Sleeper, Ryan Annala, Nick Annala and Shawn Annala; and 12 great-grandchildren.

There will be an open house at the Crag Rat Hut at a later date with details in a later edition. Private disposal of ashes is planned at Cloud Cap during the summer.

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## SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Helen Goe

Helen "Sadie" Marie Goe, 89, died Feb. 1, 2020, at Providence Brookside Manor in Hood River, Ore. She was born June 2, 1930. Due to the novel coronavirus pandemic, her memorial service has been postponed to a later date. Her web guestbook will be updated with her future service details once determined. Arrangements under the direction of Anderson's Tribute Center, Hood River. Visit [www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com](http://www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com) to leave a note of condolence for the family.

### Robert Laporte

Robert Laporte passed away on March 25, 2020, at Kadlec Regional Medical Center of Richland, Wash. He was born on Nov. 15, 1928, and was 91 years of age at the time of his passing.

Because of executive orders for public health regarding the novel coronavirus / COVID-19, Robert's private service will be live streamed via Anderson's Tribute Center Facebook page. Service time yet to be determined.

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### Hernan Muñoz

Hernan Muñoz passed away on March 23, 2020. Hernan was born on May 30, 1996, and was 23 years of age at the time of his passing. Due to concerns regarding novel coronavirus/COVID-19, friends are encouraged to leave a note or message of condolence for family at [www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com](http://www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com). Hernan's funeral service was held Friday, March 27 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Hood River, Ore., with burial at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Anderson's Tribute Center, Hood River. Visit [www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com](http://www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com) to leave a note of condolence for the family.

Hernan Muñoz falleció el 23 de Marzo del 2020. Hernan nació el 30 de Mayo de 1996 y tenía 23 años cuando falleció. Debido al nuevo coronavirus/covid-19, familia y amigos se les recomienda dejar una nota de condolencia para la familia. Visite [www.andersontributecenter.com](http://www.andersontributecenter.com). Misa fúnebre para Hernan fue el viernes 27 de Marzo en la iglesia católica de St. Mary's con su descanso final en el panteón católico de St. Mary's.

## Donald Lee Moss

August 8, 1938 ~ March 13, 2020

Donald Lee Moss was born August 8, 1938, to Virgil and Velma Moss in Lebanon, Oregon. He was raised in Bend and graduated from Bend High School in 1957. He continued his education at Oregon College of Education, majoring in sports education.

In July 1962, he married his college sweetheart, Frances Farley, in Boise, Idaho. They raised their family in Gresham, Oregon where Don was very active in youth sports and served as assistant district administrator for District 2 Little League for 15 years.

In 1992 Donald and Frances bought Starlite Lanes in Dallas, Oregon. They both had been avid bowlers for many years and coaches in the junior programs. In 2000 they also purchased Columbia Recreation Lanes in The Dalles, Oregon.

Don retired in 2008 and enjoyed spending time with family and traveling with friends.

Don is survived by his wife of 57 years, Frances; sons, Geoffrey (Kari), Eric (Julie) and Timothy, as well as bonus son Patrick; grandchildren are Allison, Alexandra, Dominique, Makayla, Marissa, Ella, Savannah and Max; great-grandchildren Holly and Lacey; brother Thomas survives Don in Silverton, Oregon.

Memorial services are pending. Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center is caring for the family. [www.dallastribute.com](http://www.dallastribute.com)

## DEATH NOTICES

### Judy Clark

Judith "Judy" Clark passed away on March 21, 2020, at Hawks Ridge Assisted Living in Hood River, Ore. Judy was born on April 23, 1925, and was 94 years of age at the time of her passing. Arrangements are under the direction of

Anderson's Tribute Center, Hood River. Visit [www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com](http://www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com) to leave a note of condolence for the family.

### Phyllis Baker

Phyllis M. Baker, age 95, a resident of The Dalles, Ore. passed away at a local care

facility on Mar. 25, 2020. Spencer, Libby and Powell Funeral Home is in care of arrangements.

### Marie Gualco

Marie Gualco, age 81, a resident of The Dalles, Ore., passed away at her home Mar. 26, 2020. Spencer, Libby

and Powell Funeral Home is in care of arrangements.

### David Lloyd

David Oliver Lloyd, 71, a resident of Dufur, Ore., died March 24, 2020. Spencer, Libby & Powell Funeral Home is in care of arrangements.

## POLICE LOG

### MARCH 15-21

All calls were responded to within the County of Hood River.

### Motor vehicle crashes, offenses and impounds:

March 17 — Hood River — Officer took information regarding a traffic accident that had occurred Feb. 26. Injuries were reported.

March 18 — I-84 at milepost 56 — Officer assisted the Oregon State Police and responded to an accident involving a pedestrian and a motor vehicle. The pedestrian was transported to the emergency room with minor injuries to his right arm.

March 18 — Old Columbia River Drive, 2600 block — Resident male arrested for misdemeanor driving while suspended.

### Outstanding warrants, parole, probation or terms violations:

March 15 — Cascade Avenue, 2200 block — Local male

contacted regarding an outstanding warrant for a probation violation and lodged at NORCOR.

March 19 — Hood River Toll Bridge — Officer responded to what concluded as a verbal only domestic call. A report was forwarded to Tri-County Community Corrections because the male party involved is on probation.

### Theft, burglary or robbery:

March 18 — Old Columbia River Drive, 2600 block — Male cited and released for theft I (shoplifting).

March 18 — E. Marina Drive, 1100 block — Gold chain reported to have been stolen.

March 20 — E. Marina Drive, 900 block — Theft III reported; a customer drove off without paying for their fuel.

March 21 — Sieverkropp Drive, 900 block — Attempted burglary and criminal mischief reported.

March 21 — Wasco Avenue, 2700 block — Male cited for theft III.

## Major General Gerald K. Hendricks, USAF

September 1, 1927 ~ March 19, 2020

It is with a heavy heart that I share news of my family's loss. My father, Major General Gerald K. Hendricks, USAF (ret), passed peacefully on March 19, 2020, while in his home under hospice care. General Hendricks was predeceased by his wife Barbara (Bobby) Hendricks (2018) and is survived by his daughter Karen, her husband Steve, four grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren and his sister a Mareta Maier. He was 92.5 years old.

Gerry, as his friends called him, grew up on a wheat and cattle ranch in outside of Dufur, Oregon. His family was on the first wagon train west that blazed an Oregon Trail. He was very proud of his Oregon heritage! He loved his parents Lester and Mildred Hendricks and his siblings, Hollis, Mare-

ta, Arlene and Jane. He attended grade school in a one-room schoolhouse, becoming a volunteer fire fighter and living above the fire station when he was sixteen years old in order to finish high school. He was the first from West Point ('51) and after completing flight school (first class of all jet pilots) he deployed for a year to the Korean war, receiving a telegram not long after arriving that he was the proud father of a baby girl. During an Air Force career that would span 32 years, he would serve in Korea and Vietnam and rise to be a senior command pilot, received many advanced college degrees from Harvard, George Washington University, International College of the Armed Forces. He was Commander of the Armament Lab

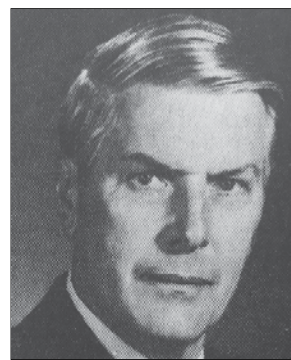
at Eglin AFB and the Commander of ALL the US Air Force Laboratories for Air Force Systems Command. He was the Vice Commander of the AF Space Division when he retired in 1982.

He and my mother retired to the Washington DC area and Gerry spent the next 10 years of his professional life as a Director at United Technologies, Norden Systems and worked as a consultant for the Institute of Defense Analysis.

His wife passed in 2018, they had been married 67 years.

His greatest joys were his 4 grandchildren and 7 great-grands. He was an intimate part of my life He mentored, supported and loved our family to his last breath.

An early adopter of technology, his suite of iPads, iPhones, Mac-



Book's, and Apple Watch helped him stay connected to our busy lives. Each of his four grandchildren followed in his footsteps through military service.

Everyone loves their Dads. I was blessed that he was mine! He will be buried with full Military honors at Arlington National Cemetery.

Rest in Peace Dad, thank you for your service to our great Nation and all your loving guidance! You will be remembered fondly and missed dearly!

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