



## Donald Charles Robeson

April 19, 1931 - May 8, 2019

Donald Charles Robeson left this earth on Wednesday May 8, 2019 for a greater life beyond. Don was born in Yakima Washington on 4-19-1931 to Evelyn & Harry Robeson. He was one of four children born into that family. Graduating from Enterprise High School with the Class of 1950 he joined the U.S. Navy prior to the Korean War. Following specialized training he served with the First Marine Air Wing in Korea as a Medical Corpsmen. He was very proud to have served with the Marine Corps, and his private library contains many books about the Korean Police Action, and the experiences of many that took place during the early 1950's. Don was very private about his own experiences, and very seldom talked about that time in his life. He was honorably discharged in 1954. He married Bonnie Marie Sparks of Klamath Falls on 6-3-1956. Together they had 3 sons, Daniel, Gregory and Bradley. Don attended O.I.T. where he received a degree in Medical Technology. Following graduation from O.I.T., Don practiced his profession in Central Oregon and then traveled the Southwest, (Texas, Oklahoma & Arkansas) for the Warner-Lambert Corporation as a Technical Representative. In the early 1980's he was hired by the College of Veterinary Medicine at Oregon State University. He was associated with the Clinical Pathology Department until his retirement in 1996. Following retirement he volunteered many hours with the Oregon State Parks Department as a Camp Host, and loved working in his yard and tending his rose garden. Don will be forever loved and dearly missed by his all that knew him, including his 8 grand children and 6 great grand

children. A Memorial Celebration of Life will be held at 11:00 am on Friday, June 7, 2019 at Zion Lutheran Church located at 1113 SW Black Butte Blvd, Redmond, followed by the scattering of his remains near Buckhorn Springs Overlook, an area of Wallowa County that was Dons favorite place to visit. Redmond Memorial Chapel is honored to serve the family. 541-548-3219

Funeral Home:

Redmond Memorial Chapel

717 SW 6th Street

Redmond, OR

US 97756

# Tribute Wall



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Redmond Memorial Chapel - July 12, 2023 at 02:23 PM

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“ Donald Charles Robeson

Funeral Home Owner - August 07, 2019 at 12:00 AM

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“ Bonney... Sorry to hear of Don's passing. Hope you are doing OK.

Ron Poole - June 12, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ Don and Bonnie had faith in me as a teenager and hired me to help in the lab. This kindness made a difference in my life and self esteem. I will forever be grateful to both of them. To the family of Don, may God's grace be with you through this hard time.

Donna Altig - June 02, 2019 at 12:00 AM

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“ Love and prayers

Connie Coddington - May 12, 2019 at 12:00 AM