



## Doug Shields

October 11, 1956 - May 14, 2016

Douglas M. Shields (age 59) Passed away May 14, 2016 in Federal Way, Washington. He was born October 11, 1956 in Ritzville, Washington to Earl and Ethel (Adams) Shields, grew up on the family farm in Lamont, then moved to Sprague when he was 12. Doug was a graduate of Sprague High School, class of 1975. He attended Eastern Washington University where he earned a bachelors degree in 1979. Doug was married to Julie Pratt of St. John, WA. on December 17, 1977. He lived and worked as an insurance agent in Sprague WA for many years. While living in Sprague he served on the School board and coached basketball and baseball. He has lived and worked in Federal Way WA. for the past three years. He is survived by his wife; Julie Shields of Federal Way, WA. Children; Brandon (Vu) Shields of Seattle, WA., Joel (Amelia) Shields of Newport, OR. and Krystal Shields of Federal Way, WA. Grandchildren; L.J. and James Shields. Brother; David Shields. Sister; Connie Shields-Niemeyer. He was preceded in death by his parents. Memorial contributions may be made to Bronc Boosters at P.O. Box 422, Ritzville, WA 99169 or the charity of choice. A graveside service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 21, at the St. John Cemetery in St. John, WA. followed by a memorial service at 1:00 p.m. at the Lutheran Church in Sprague. A potluck reception will follow in the church Social Hall.