



## Frederick L. Uttke

November 10, 1937 - October 16, 2023

Frederick (Fred) L. Uttke left this world for the next October 16, 2023. Born November 10, 1937, Fred married the love of his life, Sandra Somerville in 1962, they enjoyed 52 wonderful years together and raised three children.

Fred served as a commissioned police officer of the Spokane Police Department for 25.5 years. Following his retirement from the Spokane Police Department he worked as a security officer for the 9th Circuit Federal Court for 18.5 years before permanently retiring.

He enjoyed working on cars, fishing, being with his family, and spending time at his river cabin.

He was preceded in death by his wife Sandi and daughter Deborah and survived by his sons Scott and James, seven grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

Fred was laid to rest at Fairmount Cemetery during a private ceremony. An informal Celebration of Life will be held on December 9th at 3 PM at Cheney Funeral Chapel, 1632 W. 1st St., Cheney, WA 99004.

We welcome the attendance of all family and friends in the celebration of Fred's life. In lieu of flowers, the Uttke family requests you make a charitable

donation to the Shriners Children's Hospital.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairmount Memorial Park

5200 W Wellesley Avenue  
Spokane, WA 99205

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

DEC 9. 3:00 PM (PT)

Cheney Funeral Chapel  
1632 W 1st St.  
Cheney, WA 99004  
(509) 235-2992  
<https://www.cheneyfuneral.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ Fred was a wonderful man. I worked with him at the Spokane Federal Courthouse as a CSO. He cherished his family, always talked about them. He always had a story to tell. It was an absolute privilege to call him a friend. He will be missed dearly. He is now able to join his lovely wife, Sandra who he adored and his beautiful daughter. Until we meet again.

Respectfully, Elaine McGuire 🙏

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**Elaine McGuire** - February 13 at 02:55 PM