

## **Dennis Gudbranson Obituary**

Dennis was born in Bellingham to August and Ruth Gudbranson in 1936. His grandfather was born in Iceland and Dennis was always proud of being an Icelander. Dennis graduated from Bellingham High school in 1955.

After graduation Dennis enlisted in the United States Navy for 2 years serving aboard the USS Boston CAG-1. After returning home he received a business degree from Western Washington University. Dennis and Lynne were married in 1959.

They started their family in 1960 and Dennis pursued his career as an insurance agent, Working with Arnason and Rice Insurance, before retiring at age 55. Dennis was a Bellingham central Lions Club member for over 53 years. He rose to District Governor and was very proud of that. Dennis loved fishing, golfing and traveling with Lynne in their motor home. The most important thing to Dennis was his family.

Dennis was proceeded in death by his wife Lynne Gudbranson of 64 years. His brothers, Larry and Bruce Gudbranson. Dennis is survived by his sons Jeff and Greg Gudbranson, grandchildren, Heidi Finkbonner, Jax Gudbranson, Emily, Rhett and Evan Fenton, along with 7 great grandchildren. There will be a celebration of life on July 21st from 2-5 p.m. at The Bellingham Golf and Country Club. Donations may be made to the Bellingham Central Lions or to the Hospice House.