



Jack Calvin Mizner

March 25, 1969 - July 12, 2022

Jack Mizner, of Ephrata, WA, passed away peacefully at his home with his family by his side on July 12, 2022.

Jack was born and raised in Port Angeles, WA where he attended K-12. At a young age he embraced the Pacific Northwest active lifestyle, spending countless hours on the Olympic Peninsula hunting, fishing, skiing, and backpacking with friends and family. During his years at Port Angeles High School, Jack excelled at swimming and competed at the state level.

After graduating high school in 1987, Jack briefly attended Peninsula College where he met his wife, Mary. The two began dating shortly after and were married five years later. They went on to have two children, Jane and Calvin. As a loving husband, dedicated father, son, brother, and uncle, Jack always put his family first. He taught his kids the importance of hard work and to share the same love of the great outdoors that they still carry on today. He was an all-around outdoorsman that enjoyed camping, fishing, and gardening. Jack was also known for his amazing sense of humor, keeping his family laughing until the very end.

Jack was a proud American and enlisted in the Army in 1989 where he served as combat signaler. He was stationed in Korea for a year and was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, Army

Achievement Medal (1 OLC), and Sharpshooter Badge (M-16 Rifle).

After the military, Jack began a career as a diesel mechanic. His success as a resident mechanic for NC Machinery attributed to his first role with the Grant County PUD in 2003 as a shop mechanic. He eventually worked his way into power operations and most recently worked as a power production operations supervisor at Wanapum Dam. His work colleagues and friends enriched his life, and he cherished each deeply.

Jack is preceded in death by his father Jerry Mizner and beloved uncle Melvin Mizner. He is survived by his wife of nearly 30 years Mary Mizner, children Jane and Calvin Mizner, mother Dorothy Gossage, sister Teresa, and many treasured aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Saturday, August 20, 2022 at 11:00 am, at the Ephrata Recreation Center, 112 Basin ST SW, Ephrata, WA 98823.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation, 1031 W Broadway Ave Moses Lake WA 98837.

Please express your thoughts and memories for the family at www.nicolesfuneralhome.com. Arrangements are under the care of Nicoles Funeral Home of Ephrata.

Previous Events

Reception

AUG **20**. 11:00 AM (PT)

Ephrata Recreation Center
112 BASIN ST SW
EPHRATA, WA 98823

Tribute Wall

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“ I did Basic Training with Jack... super smart, super witty. We had a black assistant drill, nothing but respect, but he kept referring to a privately owned vehicle (pov) as privately owned “vehicle”... jack didn't hesitate to bust his balls... asking; “what is a “veehickie?””. he also, with the help our bunk-mate to bring food to me when I got kicked out of “chow”, for talking. RIP, never forget you brother... love.

Tony Marsh - June 04, 2025 at 07:18 PM

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“ Love you Mary ❤️ Jack will be greatly missed.

Michelle Roseth - August 28, 2022 at 02:35 PM

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“ I remember Jack as a really great childhood friend. We played at each other's homes and we're teammates on our youth soccer team. Hearing of Jack's passing brought back many fond memories. I was not surprised to read about his love of the outdoors and his family in the very nice obituary. My best wishes to his family and mother.

Evan Oakes

Evan Oakes - August 20, 2022 at 06:44 PM

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“ For Mary and Family,

All of us here at Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation were so very sorry to hear that Jack has passed away.....He fought that battle with so much courage and determination! Cancer is such a dreadful disease, so I hope it is some comfort to you that Jack is at peace now, and doesn't have to struggle or suffer anymore. I know you will miss him very much! We are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers!



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Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation - August 02, 2022 at 05:06 PM