

Harold Vollenweider

3-29-1944 - 5-23-2013



Jeff Arnold with Harold Vollenweider

Harold was born in Huron, SD, 3/14/1944. The family moved to Campbell in 1956. After graduating from Campbell High he attended San Jose City College. Harold served in the California Air National Guard. He was employed by IBM as a tool and model maker.

In 1993 Harold and his wife Neomi moved to Coeur d'Alene, ID. Harold enjoyed camping, boating and working on his Corvette, Walter. He purchased Walter in 1966 and still owned him until his death, 5/23/2013. He was diagnosed with Alzheimer's in 2004. Neomi invited me to Coeur d'Alene in 2010 to visit with Harold as his condition was worsening. She wanted me to take him to the annual boat show that he enjoyed and to give him a final ride in Walter. I am not sure if Harold really recognized me. He was friendly and all but seemed a little distant. The Corvette ride was an adventure. The battery was dead so it needed a jump. It drove only one way, fast. The speedometer was not working. People were honking and waving, because the car was a classic. I've attached a picture, Harold is the one with hair Jeff.