



## Philip Michael Enke

October 24, 1942 - December 10, 2024

Philip Michael Enke was born on October 24, 1943 in Los Angeles, CA to Theodore and Kathy Enke. He passed away on December 10, 2024 in Elkhorn, NE. Philip is survived by his loving wife, Sherry, and son, Jayson (Nicole) Enke.

Phil grew up in a home as an only child in Los Angeles, California. After high School, he joined the U.S. Navy and served aboard the aircraft carrier, USS Hancock CVA.19 as a rapid repair mechanic. Phil spoke of stories he experienced while sailing between San Francisco, Hawaii, Japan, and the Philippines.

After the Navy, Phil earned a living repairing office equipment; copiers and such. After some time, Phil met Sherry. Knowing each other only two weeks, Phil and Sherry Married! Phil had joked about marrying someone after only two weeks, he always maintained that he could not argue with the results!

Phil enjoyed playing the banjo, sharing stories and odd historical facts. Phil also liked “working in the garage.”

While Phil and Sherry’s health declined later in life, their love did not. While there is much to be said about how one lives their life, the way phil spent his last years being caregiver to his wife, Sherry, was without a doubt his legacy.

Phil took advantage of every opportunity to show gratitude and appreciation for both family and friends. Phil never passed on saying, "I Love You."

-We miss you already!

# Previous Events

## Gathering of family and friends

DEC 16. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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## Celebration of Life

DEC 16. 4:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *I remember Phil as a contractor working on laser printers for us at PCSupport, Inc. when I was a teenager. Super nice guy, and things he taught me I still use in my profession today. The world was blessed to have him as long as we did. Rest easy my good friend.*

*-Anthony*

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**Anthony Cole** - January 06, 2025 at 01:47 PM