



**REMEMBERING**  
**Peter William Janzen**

May 16, 1943 - August 1, 2012



Peter William "Pete" Janzen peacefully went to be with the Lord surrounded by his family on August 1, 2012 at the age of 69 years.

He was predeceased by his parents Jacob and Elizabeth; his sisters Anne, Mary, Betty, Margaret and his brother John.

He will be lovingly remembered by his devoted wife Marlene; son Gordon (Rhonda), daughters Luwanda (Mark) Davies and Denise (Jeff) Crowley. Grandsons, Taylor, Halen, Rory and Seth. Granddaughters Zoe and Mya as well as his sisters Cae, Gertie and Agnes; brother Frank and brother-in-law Bill Sprong.

Over the years Pete worked for Trump Industries (accountant), Oliver Credit Union (assistant manager), Rapid Transfer (truck driver and equipment operator), as an orchardist, PJM Enterprises (construction), Miller Trucking, Weyerhaeuser (equipment operator), Gerard's Equipment (parts and sales), Reliable Trucking, Peters Bros. (machine operator) as well as school bus driver and maintenance man for School District # 53.

Pete enjoyed trips to Saskatchewan and Manitoba to visit family and friends. He finally had the trip of a lifetime and realized his dream of flying over the Grand Canyon by helicopter in 2006. He spent years as an Oliver volunteer fire fighter and was active in the Oliver Curling Club, Kinsmen Club and was a dedicated member of the Oliver Alliance Church.

Pete always loved life and all it had to offer! He loved the outdoors and spent countless hours just enjoying what he called 'Heaven on Earth'.

He had such a passion for helping others and could always be found lending a hand where needed, whether it be to a long time friend or someone he had just met.

A man of many talents, his true passion was for his family- especially his grandchildren! He was always excited to play and chase them around the yard,

spray them with the hose, go to watch their football games and dance recitals or to just spend precious time with them- enjoying their company, all the while watching them with a huge smile on his face .

His entire life was devoted to his family. Nothing made him happier than when they were laughing and spending time together.

Pete was an exceptional husband, father and papa who could always be counted on and who took great pride in watching his family grow and flourish.

His legacy will live on in the hearts of his family and all who loved and knew him.

A memorial celebration will be held on Saturday August 18th at 11:00 a.m. from the Oliver Alliance Church.

Donations gratefully accepted to the charity entitled "For the Least of These" (preferably Jeff's window project) c/o R.R. # 3, S-1, C-41, Oliver, BC V0H 1T0.

Condolences may be directed to the family by visiting [www.nunes-pottinger.com](http://www.nunes-pottinger.com) or [janzenpw@telus.net](mailto:janzenpw@telus.net) Arrangements entrusted to Nunes-Pottinger Funeral Service & Crematorium.

