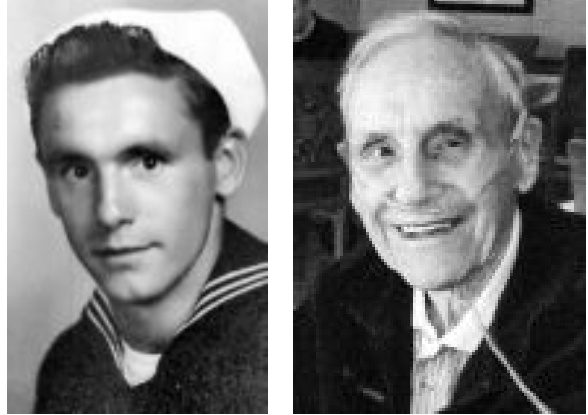


Walter Lincoln Snidow

Beloved husband, father and grandfather
Walter Lincoln Snidow, 90, of Kelso passed
away July 19, 2014, at the Hospice Care
Center in Longview, WA.

He was born March 24, 1924, in Los Angeles
to Ross Edward and Pearl Caroline (Brewer)
Snidow. He graduated from North Bend High
School in North Bend, Ore., in 1943. The
next day Walt was drafted into the Navy to
serve during World War II. He was
honorably discharged in May 1946.



On June 7, 1947, Walt married Betty Mae Peterson in Vancouver.

Walt was a longshore walking boss in Coos Bay, Ore., before retiring in 1986. He and Betty moved to Woodburn, Ore., where he was a member of the Senior Estates Country Club. They moved to the local area from Woodburn in 2013 to be near family. Walt enjoyed golfing, road trips, card games and time with his family. He loved music. He was a lot of fun and radiated joy. He always had a kind or encouraging word for everyone he met.

Walt had a great love for his family and friends. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Betty Mae at home; a daughter and son-in-law, Cindy and Steve McGhee of Kelso; a granddaughter, Samantha McGhee of Seattle; two nephews, Shawn Newman of Daly City, Calif., and Ron Ricketts of North Bend; and two nieces, Chris Griffith of Red Bluff, Calif., and Judi Schmid of Rochelle, Ill.

Private interment will take place at Cowlitz View Memorial Gardens.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Community Home Health & Hospice, P.O. Box 2067, Longview, WA 98632