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**S**kip P. Dahlen, 77, passed away on July 14, 2017 in Kailua-Kona, Hawaii. He was born on December 25, 1939 to Paul and Hazel Dahlen in Spokane, Washington.

Skip Dahlen lived each day to the fullest in beautiful, Kona, Hawaii, his favorite place in the world. He had a love for the outdoors, hunting, fishing, and working in the sunshine. Always true to himself, very independent, tenacious, and hard-working with his entrepreneurial spirit. And his generosity was an example for all.

Above all, Skip treasured his family. Survived by his wife, Adriana Dahlen, and their children Christopher and Paulina. Also Survived by additional children; Wally Dahlen of Hailey, Idaho, Kandice Backman of Spokane, Washington, Jeff Dahlen of Chicago, Illinois, D'Arcy Brown of Fort Myers, Florida, Hans Dahlen of Eugene, Oregon, and Dar Dahlen of Eugene, Oregon. Skip was blessed with 13 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Skip is also survived by his two sisters, Joan Harris and Bobbee Joy Rattray, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Skip will be missed dearly by his family and many friends. We are sure he will be smiling down on us all. No services will be held.



## Tribute Wall

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**Paulette** posted:

Hello this is Paulette, Skip was my uncle, I'm his brother Dave's daughter. I'm deeply saddened to hear he has past. I just found this out googling so I'm upset i wasn't notified and I would really like to get in touch with the family. I was recently hoping on coming to see him and reconnect so this is very upsetting to me. After his brother, my dad, passed I feel like there's been sort of a disconnect within the family. I would just love if someone would contact me, I'd just like to know more about what happened, how everyone is doing, how things are going, and maybe get some pictures. My phone number is (509) 863-7966. Thank you so much, I'd greatly appreciate it. Love, Paulette

December 6 at 8:37 PM



**Cindy Wilson** posted:

Skip will be missed in Idaho, his shining blue eyes will never be forgotten . Thank You for sharing a few moments with us at Kona , letting us stay at your guest house , loved your tour of plantation , especially the Office. Always remember the helicopter rides to secret mining spots. Always appreciated the surprise coffee bean drops in the mail. Never forget "the father of Koala wood, such a honor to have met you . To his beautiful wife & kids we are so Sorry , 🙏 Gale & Cindy Wilson

October 6 at 1:10 PM



**David Whitehill** posted:

My condolences to the Dahlen family. I so admired Skips hard work ethic, tenacity and entrepreneurship. It's been a small world as I have crossed paths with Skip over the years from Spokane (Cheney) to Newport (Waldport) to Kona (Hualalai Farms). I was just asking myself the other day... I wonder what ever happened to Mr. Dahlen and his family? Surely Skip must be out reinventing himself somewhere! I must say "Dreams are met by being present"... Skip was always present... I don't know if he new the word moderation:)Our Family will be visiting Sun Valley for the first time this winter. "Skip", may you bring us some laughter, fun and fresh powder snow as I plan on being present;)Mahalo,David Whitehill

September 16 at 9:56 AM



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Join us in honoring Skip by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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