



## Clifford Edwin Schneider

October 25, 1921 - July 20, 2015

Our dear sweet Dad, Granddad and Great-Granddad, Cliff Schneider, completed his journey late on July 20, 2015.

The seventh of eleven children of Carl and Mathilda Schneider, he was born in Snyder, Nebraska on October 25, 1921. He is survived by one brother, Carl Jr. of San Diego, California.

After graduating from high school, Cliff attended air-craft school in Omaha, Nebraska, and then joined the U.S. Navy in 1942. He was first stationed aboard the USS Wyoming in the Atlantic then in Brazil for two years serving as an aviation metalsmith on B-52 aircraft.

He married Ferne L. Coulter on April 13, 1946 in Lambertton, Minnesota. Ferne preceded him in death in 2009. Cliff and Ferne were active members of Trinity Lutheran Church for over sixty years.

Cliff was a sheet metal journeyman at several shops in Fort Collins and then at the Colorado State University Physical Plant for 25 years.

Survivors include his daughters, Susan Heckman (Dick) and Linda Samuelson (John); grandchildren, Kelly Holland (Rob), Jeff Samuelson, Brooke Rakow (Alexi); and four grandchildren, Gracie B and Lula V, Holland and Anja, and

Ian Rakow, and many nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday, July 29, 2015 at 1:00 pm, Trinity Lutheran Church, 301 East Stuart, Fort Collins, Colorado.

A heartfelt thank-you to all the wonderful people at PVH Oncology Floor, Centre Avenue and Pathways Hospice for your care and compassion for Dad.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Trinity Lutheran Church or Pathways Hospice in care of Bohlender Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive, Fort Collins, Colorado 80524.

# Tribute Wall

PJ

“ We will miss your Dad very much.. He was always at church with a smile on his face, and always looked so handsome!!! I commented on his beautiful shirts and ties and he always said, "My daughter picked it out" Congratulations, daughter.....you done well. He was the best dressed and best looking man at Trinity! Our Granddaughter, Brenda made the comment....."Not Cliff, I remember him ushering when I was a little girl" She is 33!!! We will miss him every Sunday, forever!!!! Love.....Pat & Reid Jacob

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**Pat & Reid Jacob** - July 29, 2015 at 10:22 AM

RS

“ Condolences to your entire family for your loss. We were Cliff's neighbors on Smith Street for only a short time before he sold the house but we enjoyed every minute we had as neighbors. He made Sara (my wife) tool trays that she would use for putting her plants in. We will miss having him drop by and tell us stories of his days on Smith Street.

Sincerely,  
Rob and Sara Streight

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**Rob Streight** - July 27, 2015 at 01:26 PM

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“ We wish to say Thank You to your loved one for his service to our great country. Our sympathies are with your family.

Marine Corps League Auxiliary #785  
Fort Collins, CO

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**Marine Corps League Auxiliary** - July 26, 2015 at 04:12 PM