



SANDIE'S DREAM



Duke and Sandie
Married
October 10, 1958

Two Sons
Jeff and Greg

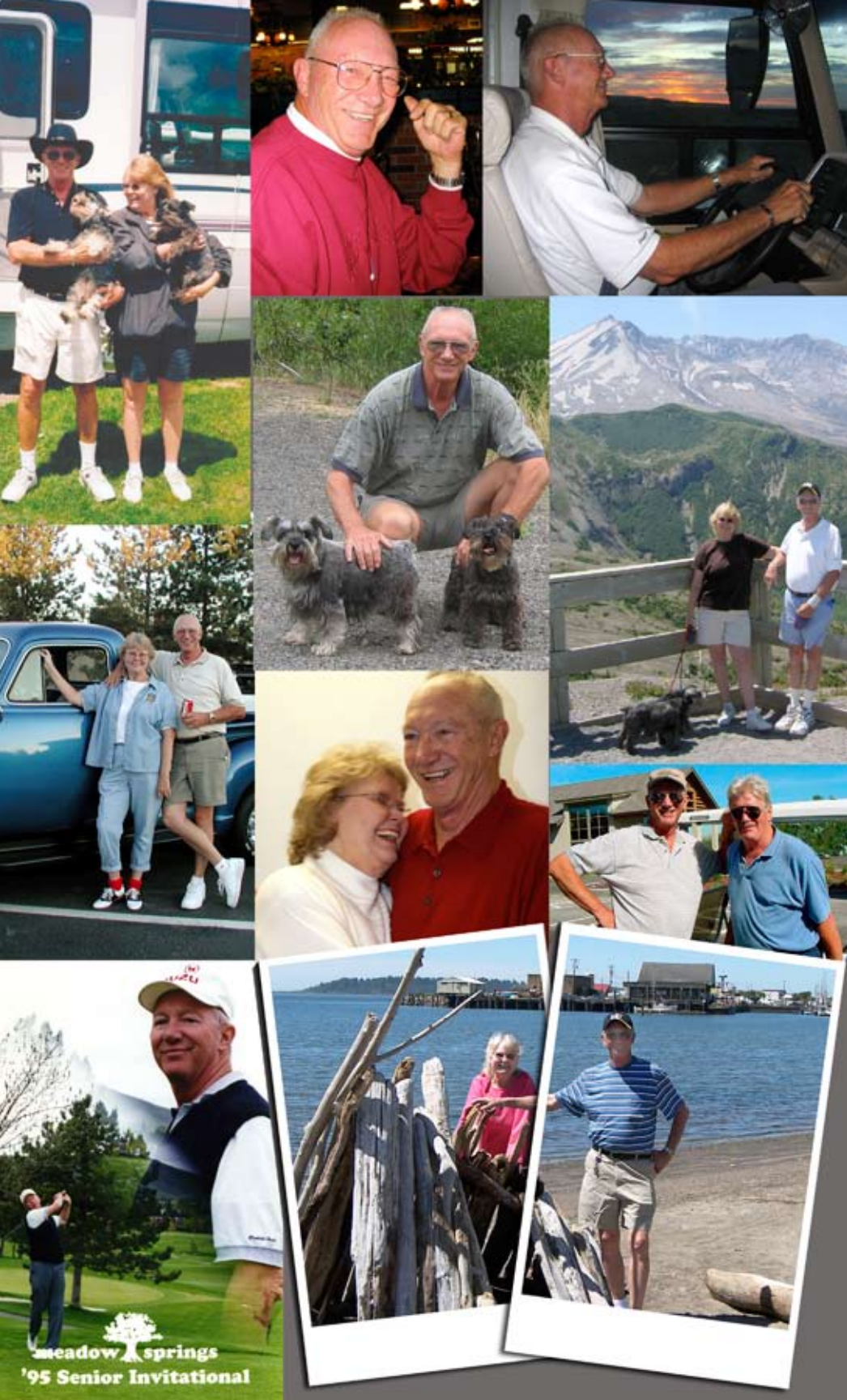


I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call,
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I found my peace at the close of day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I, too, will miss.
My life's been full, I savored much.
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and be glad for me.
God wanted me now. He set me free.



Duke Blakley



Dewey S. Blakley

Duke

May 10, 1941 – December 1, 2008

Celebration of Life

Cathedral of Joy Sanctuary

Monday, December 8, 2008

2:00 p.m.

Officiating:

Pastor Marty

Songs:

You Raise Me Up

Amazing Grace

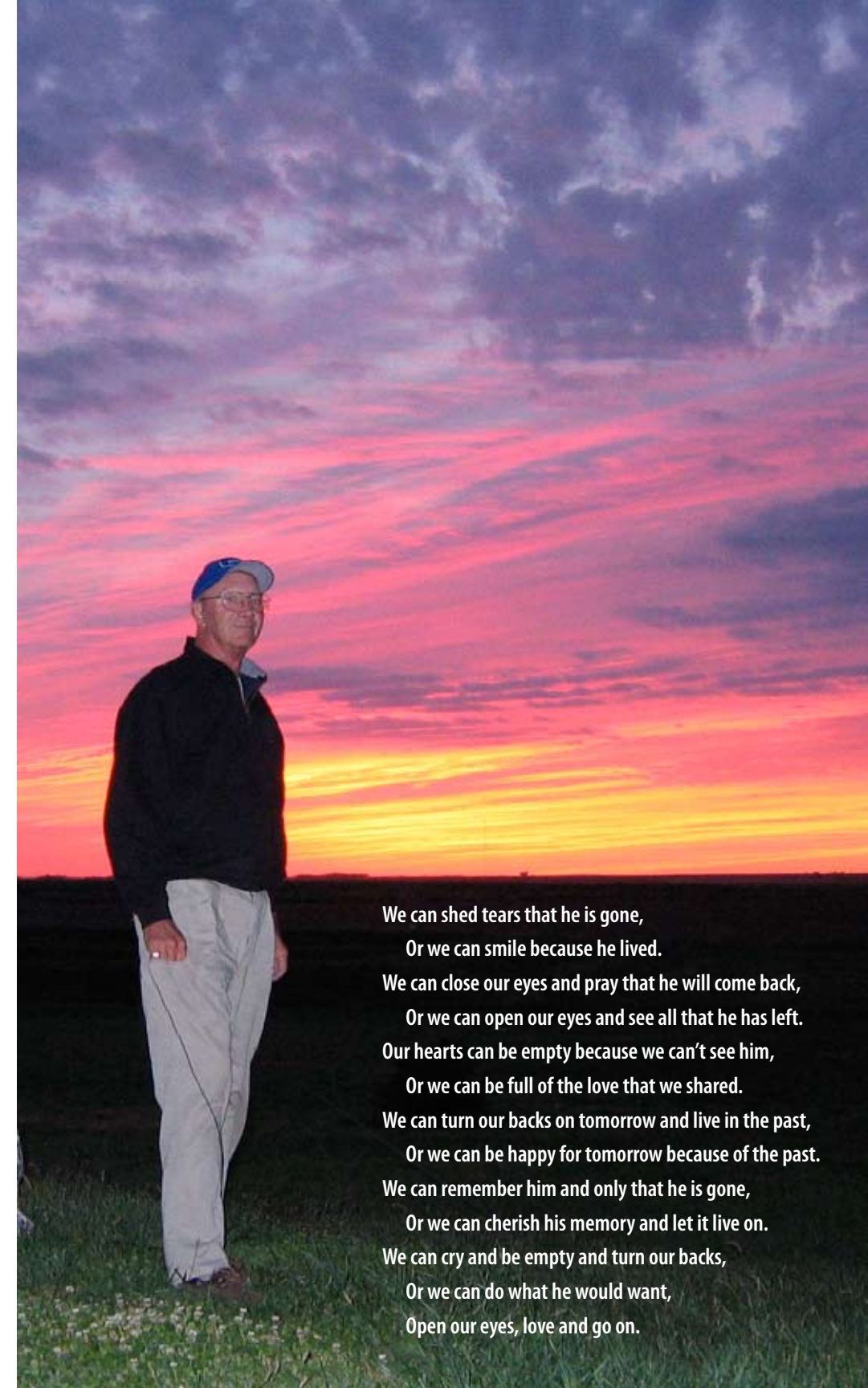
A Child in My Eyes

There will be no graveside service.

Duke's urn will be interred at

Desert Lawn Cemetary

10th and Union, Kennewick



We can shed tears that he is gone,
Or we can smile because he lived.
We can close our eyes and pray that he will come back,
Or we can open our eyes and see all that he has left.
Our hearts can be empty because we can't see him,
Or we can be full of the love that we shared.
We can turn our backs on tomorrow and live in the past,
Or we can be happy for tomorrow because of the past.
We can remember him and only that he is gone,
Or we can cherish his memory and let it live on.
We can cry and be empty and turn our backs,
Or we can do what he would want,
Open our eyes, love and go on.