



Peter Everet Plumb

September 6, 1956 - November 22, 2020

Comments



“ I first met Pete out at the hills south of Hart Park. He was a fellow hang-glider pilot, and quite skilled. He presented me, and anyone else who qualified, with a “One Hour Club” silk-screened tee-shirt for having soared more than one hour at the hill. I still have my copy, and cherish it.

I got to know Pete a bit more when I discovered he had a shop at Minter Field where he rebuilt wings of old airplanes. “Wood Wing Speciality” was his business name. Seemed to give him a lot of pleasure, and the quality of his work brought in lots of new and repeat business.

His laugh was contagious! He had a wicked sense of humor, and was unafraid to call a Fool a Fool.

He and I went up flying several times in small airplanes at Minter Field. He was a smooth, graceful, talented, and natural pilot. A delight to fly with, and always engaging to talk to.

Pete was very generous with his time on the Gossamer Condor pedal-powered airplane project. He wanted to help in any way he could, and his enthusiasm for that project and for other projects at Minter Field was very supportive and deeply appreciated.

I am really sad to hear of his passing. I hope his family can bear the loss. Pete was a bright shining personality: funny, smart, and energetic. I will forever remember him with great fondness.

Bryan Allen - October 21, 2021 at 11:40 PM



“ I appreciated Pete's persistence in pursuing his dreams of the Cracker Jack and the Pegasus O-100. I corresponded with him a few times and he was quite pleasant and down to earth. I am very sorry for his passing and the immeasurable pain you must be feeling.

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