

John H. Scott

March 7, 1952 - March 18, 2018



John was born in La Mesa California and remained a Californian his whole life. John and Lorrie met through a mutual friend and they married September 30th, 1988. In 1989 Lorrie purchased a puppy bitch, Sky Run Carmel Me Blue. At the time John was along for the ride. A few short years later Aruzia Borzoi began as a team. Together they went on to produce multiple regional specialty winners, national specialty winners, hound group winner, first Borzoi to win reserve BIS, and many champions from the Bred-By class. Aruzia bred Borzoi produced many similar honors for their owners including top-producers, lure coursers, rally, obedience and agility titlists. John was the backbone not only with their own dogs but also with the rescues that came to live at Aruzia over the year - some for weeks, others for forever. John was kind, warm, and always willing to lend a hand. He would jump in and help anyone at any time. John considered everyone a friend. Attending dog shows became a social event - forming life long friendships coast to coast. Jon was a true sportsman. John's other pride was his family - three children Amber Lynn, Tyler and Travis and the 4 grand children. John owned a very large and successful roofing company in San Diego Country that had an impeccable reputation. John also loved traveling. From hiking in Yosemite to cruising on the Baltic Sea with Lorrie they explored the world together. Attending the BCOA national specialty every year was always a highlight and he looked forward to it. John was an active member of Borzoi Cub of California for over 25 years as well as a lifelong member of BCOA. His smile, love for life and the positive uplifting attitude he had during his journey with cancer was one to be admired.