

## Jesse T. Quatse, May 14,1935 - May 19,2013

Memories of Jesse Quatse came from John Harris Sheridan.

For many years I've been trying to find my old friend, with whom I grew up, in Pittsburgh. We skated together in **Ice Capades** training class in Pittsburgh and joined the show together in 1955, with Richie Eagan and Bob Gallagher. His name was Jesse Quatse. I'm still a little surprised how he got into the show because he didn't have that slim lineboy look, he was a football running back at Carnegie Tech University, now called Carnegie Mellon. Jesse skated in the 1956 show called "Peter Pan" He was a Pirate and I included a few funny stories about him in my new book. He was a great guy and definately one of a kind.

Last week I found his name on Facebook and dropped him a letter and yesterday I got a reply: Dr. Jesse T. Quatse passed away May 19, 2013. Jesse had a Ph.D. in Physics from Carnegie Mellon University in 1968. He had many books and patents including 'High Percision Based Targeting' and "Major Hardware Design in Computers. Jesse is said to have been one of Americas great unsung computer heroes and knowing Jesse I believe it. I know GOD loved Jesse because this time HE took the best we had to offer.