



Cynthia C. Facey

April 12, 1938 - September 5, 2014

Cynthia Besoain Facey, Karuk tribal elder, passed away surrounded by her family on September 5, 2014 at her home in Big Springs. She was born on April 12, 1938 to Polly and Alvin (Bud) Besoain in Yreka.

Cynthia worked as a CHR for the Karuk tribe as well as for the Bureau of Indian Affairs until she retired.

Cynthia is survived by her husband, Lyle O. Facey; her children, Mark Werder, Shelley Carver, Lora and Lyle Facey, Michael Jorgensen, and three step children; a brother, Alvin "Biff" Besoain; her grandchildren, Chris Werder, Brandi Benacout, Karri Werder, Arayln and Calean Crippin, Robert Werder, Jeff Werder, Brian Werder, Curtis Facey, Shauna Facey, Deanna Facey, Sandra Jorgensen, Talia Dausel and Thomas Dausel; and her great grandchildren, Kayson, Jordyn, Tyler, Lyle, Aurora, Natalie, Wyatt, Tristin, Patrick, Max and Laryssa. Cynthia was preceded in death by her parents and her sons Terry, Eddy and Stacey Werder.

Graveside services will be held on Friday, September 12, 2014 at 10:00 AM at the Fort Jones Cemetery. Come celebrate her life at the Etna Park in Etna following the services.