



## James "Jim" Haugh

July 6, 1925 - July 14, 2015

Yreka resident James "Jim" Haugh passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, July 14, 2015 at Fairchild Medical Center in Yreka. He had just celebrated his 90th birthday the week prior.

Jim was born on July 6, 1925 in Taft, California to George and Inez Haugh. Jim served in the United States Navy at the end of World War II, and married the love of his life, Eleanor Shirk, on March 30, 1946. Jim worked as a draftsman for Pacific Gas & Electric for 32 years before retiring. The couple moved to Yreka in 2001 from Rancho Murieta, California, and they have lived there since.

Jim was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. Above and beyond those duties, Jim was a devout Christian, spending time in the Holy Bible each morning; His favorite book of God's word was the Book of Proverbs; Jim and Eleanor were members of First Southern Baptist Church in Yreka. Jim greatly enjoyed photography as a hobby, particularly taking photos of railroads, weddings, and nature. He even won an award from the Clover Dairy in 1965 for Excellence in Photography. Jim had two great-granddaughters, with whom he greatly enjoyed playing and spending time.

Jim is survived by his wife of 69 years, Eleanor; his three children: Michael of Dunsmuir, Danny (Janet) of Santa Rosa, and Denise (Steven) Azevedo of

Gilbert, AZ; 9 grandsons, and 2 great-granddaughters. He was preceded in death by his brother, George Haugh, Jr.

No services are planned for Jim at this time

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

AUG 3. 2:00 PM (PT)

First Southern Baptist Church Yreka  
921 S. Oregon Street  
Yreka, CA 96097

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr. Haugh had been my neighbor since I was a child. We would often speak of his time in the military and current events going on in the world. Mr. Haugh would reminisce about the events in his life and how different things have become. I would always look forward to seeing him every time I was home on leave from the Marine Corps and now the Air Force. I will greatly miss that interaction with Jim.*

*My condolences to the Haugh Family. He was a great man, and will be sorely missed.*

*Sincerely,*

*Andrew Taylor*

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**Andrew Taylor** - July 27, 2015 at 11:53 AM

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“ *Rest in peace my friend. How happy you must be to be in God's glory! I will miss talking to you very much. Until we meet again....*

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**Kevin Dunn** - July 17, 2015 at 08:13 PM