



James "Jim" Allen Kyle

November 12, 1940 - January 4, 2017

76 year old Yreka resident, James Allen "Jim" Kyle, passed away on January 4, 2017 in Ashland, Oregon. Jim was a 35 year resident of Siskiyou County.

Jim was born to Delbert and Laura Kyle on November 12, 1940 in Bottineau, North Dakota. He was one of twelve children. He married Doris Naumann on February 13, 1971, and the couple made their home in the San Diego area. They lived in San Diego until 1981, when they moved their family to Yreka.

Jim was a Vietnam Veteran and served in the Air Force. Jim also worked as a laborer for the telephone company before he became a stay at home father to their two children, Laura and Joanne. The family had a small farm on Guys Gulch, where Jim grew all varieties of crops. Jim was known for being a people person: visiting with friends and family was very important to him, and he was always ready to converse with those around him.

Jim is survived by his wife of nearly 46 years, Doris; his children, Laura (Tim) Bynum of Yreka and Joanne (Greg) Black of Crestview, Florida; and his two grandchildren, Aden Bynum and Lilianna Black.

A Celebration of Life Ceremony is planned for Father's Day 2017; please contact the family for further details.