



## Joseph Albert Truttman

November 22, 1920 - October 19, 2013

Joseph Albert Truttman, 92, passed away on Saturday, October 19, 2013, in the home that he helped build in 1948 in Yreka.

Joe was born on November 22, 1920 in Grenada, California to Frank and Sophia Truttman. Joe spent all of his life in Siskiyou County, except for the time he spent in the Army Signal Corps. Joe was well known for his work, which started out in the early 1940's, when he worked for Floyd A. Boyd, as well as International Harvester. Joe also owned Yreka Truck and Equipment, and later worked with Meek & Jones Pump Company before retiring in 1977. He liked to say that he had either worked on or sold farm equipment or pumps to nearly everyone in Siskiyou County.

Joe was an extremely hard worker, but he also very much enjoyed hunting and fishing with his family and many friends.

Joe is preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters. Joe leaves behind his loving wife of 66 years, Lenna; his son, Gary and Deana of Yreka, and his daughter, Garnet Hilton, of Central Point, Oregon. Joe is also survived by his 3 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Joe's name can be made to United Scholarships, Inc., at PO Box 1328, Yreka, California, 96097, or to a charitable organization of your choice. There will be a memorial service held at a later date. Girdner Funeral Chapel is assisting the family, and online condolences may be made at [www.girdnerfuneralchapel.com](http://www.girdnerfuneralchapel.com).



# Tribute Wall



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Uncle Joe's passing. He will always have a special place in my heart.Love, Paula*

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**Paula McRae** - October 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM