



Lafayette Robert Jerry

March 18, 1937 - July 5, 2013

Lafayette Robert Jerry Sr. was born in Yreka on March 18, 1937 to Louis "Bud" and Edna (Davis) Jerry. He had suffered from serious dementia for the past two years and had succumbed the early morning of July 5, 2013. He was 76. He was a member of the Karuk Tribe and one of the last listed full bloods of the Tribe.

He is preceded in death by his parents Edna May (1963) and Louis "Bud" (1969); siblings, Lorette June Jerry (1941), Vernon "Stanley" Jerry (1980), Deanna Harrie (2003) and Louis Jerry (2003); and his son, Lafayette "Joey" Jerry Jr. (2005).

Lafayette was born and raised in Siskiyou County. He had served in the Military service in the Navy branch. He had worked many handy-man jobs and logging throughout his life time. He was an avid bowler and enjoyed bowling with his son and family and was also an avid horseshoe player and fisher. He was a great pie maker for family gatherings. He was a member of the Bethel Assembly of God Church.

He is survived by his sister, Nancy and her husband, Peter Super, of Grenada; grandson Regis Jerry, in the military stationed in New York and his great granddaughter, Emily Jean Murphy-Jerry. He leaves many nieces and nephew, many great nieces and nephews and a tribe of cousins and friends. Friends and family are invited to a visitation on Tuesday from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. in Girdner Funeral Chapel in Yreka. Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, July 10, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. at the Fort Jones Indian Cemetery in

Ft. Jones. The reception will follow at the Karuk Tribe Housing Authority at 1638 Apsuun.