



Shirley "Sherry" Ann Schuler

November 18, 1932 - January 6, 2016

Shirley (Sherry) Schuler passed away January 6, 2016 in Yreka at the age of 83. She was born on November 18, 1932 in Los Angeles to Fred and Eugenia Oster. When she was a child, her family settled north of Cloverdale on the Preston Ranch, where her parents ran a boys camp for a number of years. Sherry attended school in Cloverdale and later attended SRJC. She was married to her high school sweetheart David Schuler for 18 years before they were divorced. Sherry raised her family in Cloverdale and was the cook for many years at Cloverdale's former Italian restaurant, Mama Nina's.

Almost forty years ago, Sherry moved to Siskiyou County, where she has since lived in the Shasta Valley. She cooked at the old Ma & Pa's restaurant for ten years. Sherry was an avid quilter and knitter, and she loved to read. She had a special appreciation for history and nature. One of her favorite things to do was to drive the country backroads exploring.

Sherry was preceded in death by a son, Mark Thomas Schuler and longtime companion Charles Cavagnaro. She was also preceded by her brother, Thomas Oster and a daughter-in-law, Audrey Schuler. Sherry is survived by her sons, Peter Schuler (Audrey) of Carson City, Nevada and Paul Schuler of Cloverdale; her daughters, Susanna Black (Martin) and Amy Novak, all of Montague; nine loving grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held in the future. In lieu of flowers, please donate to your favorite charity.