



Tom Weston

January 22, 1933 - February 26, 2016

Thomas (Tom) C. Weston, 83 year old Yreka resident passed away February 26, 2016 at Asante Medical Center in Medford Oregon. Tom was born on January 22, 1933 in New Haven, Connecticut to Philip O. and Ruth H. Weston. Tom lived in Kirkwood, Missouri before moving to San Mateo, CA. Tom was a graduate of Menlo College Prep School in Atherton, CA and attended Cal Poly/San Dimas before moving to Grenada, CA in 1953. Tom served in the Army during the Korean War from 1954-1956 and returned to Grenada to farm, raise cattle and run a dairy. He also worked as an advertising salesman for KSYC, a salesman for Yreka Lumber Company, and delivered freight for Peters Truck Lines where he was known as “Red Top” for the red cap he wore. Tom cut and sold firewood along with having a salvage logging business where he acquired his other nickname, “Mr. Wood”. Tom also drove for Yreka Auto where he delivered freight to Ashland.

Tom loved fishing, canning and had a passion for farming and gardening. Everyone who knew Tom loved his flowers, his canned peaches and the “garden goodies” that he shared.

Tom leaves behind his beloved cat “Buddy”, former wife, Joyce K. Weston, daughters, Frances Weston, Lesley Morgan and her husband Mark, granddaughter, Melanie Brown and husband James, grandson, Tyson Morgan and wife Kayla, great grandchildren Hannah, J.T., Clayton, Landon, Audrey & Parker, sister Frances Matthews, brother in law and sister in law Martin and Roseann Kaufman and numerous nieces and nephews and special friends,

Carole Donchez, Jerry McDonald and Maggie Harris.

On June 18, 2016 @ 11:00 a short graveside service with Military Honors will be held at the Evergreen Cemetery followed with a celebration of his life at lower Greenhorn Park. In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to "Purr Angels", Rescue Ranch or the charity of your choice.

"Dad was a work-aholic and his motto was "get it done" no matter what! He will truly be missed.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

Top of Evergreen Lane
Yreka, CA 96097

Previous Events

Memorial Graveside Service

JUN 18. 11:00 AM (PT)

Evergreen Cemetery
Top of Evergreen Lane
Yreka, CA 96097

Celebration of Life

JUN 18. 11:30 AM (PT)

Lower Greenhorn Park
top of Ranch Lane
Yreka, CA 96097

Tribute Wall

MC

“ Thinking of you and your lose. He was a great man and could grow flowers with his smile.

Mark & Sherry Crawford - June 18, 2016 at 10:16 PM

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“ Fran Matthews and Family purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of Tom Weston.



Fran Matthews and Family - June 17, 2016 at 12:18 PM

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“ With Heart Felt Sympathy! My love and prayers to you Lesley and Frances and to family and friends.
Tom's desire was to definitely Get The Job Done! That job or jobs could be working in the fields, caring for the animals, fishing, cutting wood and gardening. A garden full of flowers was #1 and then sharing the corn along with all of the other vegetables came next.
The Wood Man will be Missed!!!

Fran (sister) - June 15, 2016 at 08:27 PM

MC

“ Sincere sympathy to the Weston family. May he rest in peace. Mary Craddock

Mary Craddock - June 14, 2016 at 10:41 AM

TP

“ *Deepest condolences to Tom's family. I'll always remember his sunny personality and friendliness.*

Tracy Peters -Proud

Tracy Proud - June 13, 2016 at 07:44 PM