

In Memory of...

Gerald (Gil) Frank Ceballos

November 21, 1947 – March 29, 2014



Gerald was born in Portland and raised in Vernonia, Oregon, by his parents Sam Parcon and Julia Winnifred (Bradshaw) Ceballos, with his two siblings Sam and sister, Loritta (Rita).

Gerald's mother, Winnifred, died soon after younger brother, Sam was born and their father Sam, now a single parent raised his children while working full-time at the lumber mill. In Vernonia, they were living in what were known as the "camp." Even though the "camp" in Vernonia was designed to segregate the community, the Ceballos family thrived there.

Gil decided not to graduate with his high school class and joined the Army before he finished his senior year; however, he was able to complete his G.E.D. Gerald was trained and assigned to Special Forces as Green Beret. He was stationed in Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri where he did his Basic Training and was later sent to Fort Benning, Georgia for Airborne training, then to Fort Lee, Virginia to Quartermaster School, then to Okinawa, Japan where he was a "rigger" folding parachutes into their pouches. Gerald saw action for two years doing reconnaissance in Cambodia and Laos. He achieved the rank of Specialist 4.

Gerald was blessed with six children, three sons, Jasen, Jeff and Jarrett and three daughters, Janean, Jamie and Shannon.

Gerald worked as a logger right after his discharge from the Army, and then landed a job as a dump truck driver for Baker Rock Crushing or Baker Rock Resources as it is known today. He was employed with Baker Rock until he became disabled in 1996.

Gil's favorite time was fishing. He liked all types of fishing whether it was at a river, the lake or the ocean, he was happiest when fishing. He pursued skydiving and scuba diving as an adult.

He is survived by his sister Rita (Louie) Violette, his brother Sam (Cindy) Ceballos, sons Jasen Shaw, Jeff Ceballos, Jarrett Ceballos, daughters Janean Zavales, Jaime Vealey and Shannon Shepler and several grandchildren. Gerald is predeceased by his parents, Sam Parcon and J. Winnifred (Bradshaw) Ceballos.

Services were held at Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, Oregon. Gerald was laid to rest in Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, Oregon.

Arrangements under the direction of Young's Funeral Home, Tigard, OR.

**Lorrina Maxine Heidloff**

Lorrina Maxine Heidloff, 84, of the Vernonia community, has passed away.

At her home, on the afternoon of Wednesday, March 19, 2014, Lorrina Maxine Cannaday Heidloff passed from her family's loving arms to the arms of her heavenly Father. Maxine was blessed with a gentle, peaceful passing from Pancreatic Cancer surrounded by loved ones.

Maxine was born October 13, 1929 in Grand Island, Nebraska and moved with her family to Oregon in the late 1930s. She met the love of her life, Allen, in Hillsboro, Oregon in 1946 and later that year they were married in

Vancouver, Washington.

Maxine had a creative spirit and after graduating from Hillsboro Union High, and having her three daughters, she continued her education and graduated from Phagans School of Beauty, in Portland, Oregon. She was employed as a cosmetician in the Hillsboro area for several years and remembered her clients fondly throughout the years.

Maxine was a talented artist, working with several mediums including ceramics, and porcelain doll crafting as well as fiber arts including knitting, crocheting, crosstitching, sewing and quilting. She also loved gardening.

Maxine and Allen retired to their dream log-home on the Snake River in Weiser, Idaho in the mid 1980s, an area where many of her family still live. In the early 1990s they returned to the Hillsboro area due to medical issues Allen was experiencing. After a recovery period they moved to their home in Vernonia, Oregon in 1997, where she lived the remainder of her life.

Maxine was preceded in passing by her husband Allen Benjamin Heidloff in 2001 and her daughter Sandra Maxine Heidloff Jossy in 2006. She was also preceded in passing by her parents Leroy and Eva Cannaday as well as all of her siblings, Lloyd, Lucille, Wilbur, Cecile, Hugh and Herbert.

She is survived by her daughters Barbara Heidloff Corl and Joanne Heidloff Richartz, as well as her sons – in-law John Richartz and Kenneth Jossy. Maxine was blessed with five wonderful grandchildren and their families; Scott Corl and fiancé Derya Allen of Kirkland, Washington, Jason and Syrena Jossy of Scottsdale, Arizona, Shannon Jossy Rasmussen of Richland, Washington, Amy Richartz Davis and Jeremy Davis of La Center, Washington, and Doron Richartz and Erin Harrison of Portland, Oregon. Maxine's beloved great grandchildren include Alexandria and Jacob Jossy, Seth, Kyle and Benjamin Bettencourt, and Ian and Kai Davis. Maxine will also be remembered lovingly by her many nieces and nephews and extended family all of whom she loved

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