



## David Lee Grapentine

December 3, 1932 - December 31, 2019

David Lee Grapentine, 87, of Benicia passed away peacefully New Years Eve in a local hospital surrounded by his family. He was born in Sheboygan, Wisconsin and has been a Benicia resident for more than 55 years. David worked as a machinist and nuclear inspector at Mare Island for over 30 years.

He was a veteran of the Korean War as a member of the United States Air Force.

David loved camping, fishing, dancing with his wife Betty, and bowling. He also enjoyed traveling, especially to Hawaii. He loved watching sports, including track and field, men and women's college games, NFL, NHL, & baseball. Most of all he loved rooting for the SF 49ers and SF Giants.

He is survived by his children Judy (Bob) Coen, Karen (Bob) Azevedo, Ellen (Vic) Cardenas, Jess (Grace) Grapentine, Lori (Rick) Martin-Albers, Janna (Gus) Aguilar and Dawn (Bill) Wagner; 12 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Betty in 2015.

Graveside services with military honors will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, January 18th at St. Dominic's Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Passalacqua Funeral Chapel, Benicia. Please visit the online tribute at [www.passalacquafuneralchapel.com](http://www.passalacquafuneralchapel.com).

Anyone wishing to make a donation should do so at your local Veterans charity, such as Disabled American Veterans local chapter.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JAN 18. 11:00 AM (PT)

St. Dominic's Cemetery

585

hillcrest avenue

BENICIA, CA 94510

# Tribute Wall



“ *David Lee Grapentine*

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November 29, 2022 at 08:20 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Sending prayers. Kellie Mahoney Sweeney*

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**Kellie Sweeney** - January 23, 2020 at 03:22 PM



“ *Dave was a great man wonderful father to Bettys children and his own he will be missed I enjoyed him and betty both. Bruce Dinsdale*

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**Bruce Dinsdale** - January 05, 2020 at 03:26 PM