



## Jerry Lee Porter

October 30, 1938 - April 22, 2019

Jerry Lee Porter, 80, of Benicia passed away peacefully Monday in a local hospital. He was born in Vancouver, Washington and had called Benicia his home for over 75 years. Jerry started his career at Yuba Manufacturing in Benicia and later worked at Wiegmann & Rose before joining Benicia Fabrications & Machines. He retired as quality control manager after nearly 40 years.

Jerry served honorably in the United States Air Force from 1955-1957.

Jerry was an avid fan of the Oakland A's and San Francisco 49ers. He enjoyed his weekly game of golf with his cronies and was a longtime member of the Native Sons of the Golden West. He also enjoyed watching western movies and having a couple of Coors Lights at the end of the day.

Jerry is survived by his wife Helen; children Rene Webb, Jerry Porter, Janet (Dennis) Davis; Victor (Donna) Gorden, Vince (Jill) Gorden, Jeanette (Jerry) Core, Michael (Michelle) Gorden, Beeb (John) Patterson, 17 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents William & Evelyn Porter, son-in-law Bruce Webb, grandson Ben Davis and by Billy and Louie DiAngelo his golfing buddies and brother-in-laws.

At Jerry's request, services will be private. Burial with Military Honors will be

held at Sacramento Valley National Cemetery, Dixon.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry Lee Porter*

November 29, 2022 at 08:20 PM



“ *Catherine Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Jerry Lee Porter*



**Catherine Wolfe** - May 05, 2019 at 12:17 AM



“ *Fond memories of going camping with Jerry and his parents in their crank up camper.up at knights landing..taught me how to fish for catfish. .Rip jerry..a good friend. .bud h*

**Bob hatler** - May 02, 2019 at 10:12 PM



“ *Sending my thoughts and prayers to Jerry and his family. Jerry always had a wonderful smile.  
Rest in Peace*

*Arlinda Watson*

**arlinda watson** - April 29, 2019 at 09:35 PM



“ *Sending all my love to the family.*

**Trina Becvar** - April 28, 2019 at 04:38 PM

VC

“ To Jerry's family:  
Jerry was a good friend of my brother, Frank Saitz. I will always remember his great smile, warm friendly personality and all around nice guy. My memories go back to the first grade with Jerry. Till we all meet again! Class of '56.  
Virginia (Sister), Gary & Darla Cady

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**Virginia & Gary Cady** - April 28, 2019 at 04:27 PM

SM

“ Shellee Morgan lit a candle in memory of Jerry Lee Porter



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**shellee Morgan** - April 28, 2019 at 02:45 PM

 Brenda Silva

“ Jerry and I were life long friends, shared lots of good times in our youth fishing with his dad and raising some hell, I called him skunk because of his black spot in his blonde hair. So sorry for your loss.  
Don Silva

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**Brenda Silva** - April 28, 2019 at 02:14 PM

KG

“ So sad to hear. Jerry was a great guy. I'll miss him at Native Sons. Condolences to the family.

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**Ken Gonsalves** - April 28, 2019 at 12:26 PM

EB

“ To Helen and family: may Jerry’s memories stay in your hearts forever. He was loved by everyone who knew him. Rest In Peace Mr. Porter 🙏🙏🙏.

Ellie Bunyard - April 28, 2019 at 11:54 AM



“ Mary Wieling lit a candle in memory of Jerry Lee Porter



Mary Wieling - April 28, 2019 at 11:00 AM

PG

“ So sorry to hear of Jerry’s passing. We were classmates since the 1940’s. I always loved his smile and kind eyes. Patty Long Galvan

patty long galvan - April 27, 2019 at 12:37 AM

MR

“ Helen, I wish you the strength you need to get through these hard times. Until you to meet again stay strong.

Micki Richey - April 26, 2019 at 11:16 AM

ME

“ To Helen and all Jerry's family and friends I send my sympathy and prayers. May you enjoy recalling happy memories and times together.....  
Marie Earp

MARIE EARP - April 25, 2019 at 08:33 PM

RL

“ Knew him all my life. Great guy, he will be missed.

Randy Little - April 25, 2019 at 07:50 PM

FC

“ Worked and played with Jerry while at BFM. Good times, Great Guy.

Fred Costedoat

Fred & Kathy Costedoat - April 25, 2019 at 12:09 PM

DV

So sorry to hear about Jerry Helen. He will be missed. He was a great guy. I'm thinking about you and all the great times from the old neighborhood.

Dan Vogelpohl - April 27, 2019 at 12:12 AM

RD

i can still hear uncle jerry calling little jerry and i salt and pepper or calling me u black bastered luv u uncle jerry and will miss u say hi to my dad u guys are back together once again tell we meet again RIP u white bastered

Ronald Diangelo - April 28, 2019 at 12:09 PM

BN

So sorry for the family to be blindsided with his sudden passing. We had a lot of fun for a lot of years...I will always remember 'Skunk'.

Bobbie Nickolatos - April 28, 2019 at 02:33 PM