

Franklin Barry Barnes



Franklin Barry Barnes, 67, passed away May 27, 2014.

Born in Yuba City, Dec. 12, 1946, he lived his entire life in the Yuba-Sutter area. He attended schools in Wheatland and Lincoln and served in the U.S. Army in Germany from 1966 to 1968. He worked in Live Oak at Sunset Moulding in the early years and retired from Dixon Canning in Dixon.

He loved hunting and for years belonged to the Rock Mountain & Double Diamond Hunting Clubs. The racing bug, with his brother-in-law Donald Perkins, would take over in the 1970's at then Triple M Raceway, as it was his true passion. Barry's last race car was #10B 360 Sprint Car driven by Mark Abouzeid, the Tiner Family and Herman Klein, racing against his friends, Al Young, Gene Calton, Paulson Bros and the Dozier Family was the highlight of his life.

Barry was also a past supporter of the Wheatland 4-H and FFA Clubs.

A private family service was held June 6, 2014, at the Wheatland Cemetery.

Barry is survived by his sons, Timothy, James and Andrew Barnes; numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his brother Jackie; sister Billie Patricia Perking; niece Denise Conrad; father William and mother Mesho Barnes.

Remembrances may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Association or your favorite charity or organization.

