

Leon D. Bjerke 1959-1960

BJERKE - Leon D., 60, died from cancer on December 5, 1997 surrounded by his family. Mr. Bjerke retired from the U.S. Navy in 1989 after 30 years of service which included 2 tours of duty in the Vietnam War. He is survived by his wife of 24 years, Jing of Jacksonville; a son Buddy Bjerke also of Jacksonville; his mother, Florence Bjerke, Durham, California, 2 brothers; Vern Bjerke, Merced, California; Dave Bjerke, Vergennes, Illinois; 3 sisters, LaDonna Hoon, Zillah, Washington, Ruth Henderson and Sharrie Wilson, both of Durham, California and many loving aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held (TOMORROW), Monday, December 8th at 3:00 p.m. in the chapel of HOSPICE NORTHEAST, 4277 Sunbeam Road. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to Hospice Northeast.