



John Ellis Bailey

June 12, 1934 - April 15, 2013

John Ellis Bailey died April 15, 2013. He was born on June 12, 1934 in Woodland to Leslie E. Bailey and Christie A. Armstrong.

Beloved husband of Delores Bailey for 53 years; loving father of Kathleen Snodgrass (deceased), Rebecca Miles of Mill Valley, Richard Bailey (Elizabeth) of Fair Oaks, and Christie Miller (John) of Oklahoma; grandfather of Jonathan Rappa, Brianna Bailey, Stacy Miles, Melinda Miles, Arielle Bailey, Kirk Miles, Trevor Martine and Ian Martine; great grandfather of Charlotte Blair and Sophia Rappa. Survived by sister Karen Maddox; predeceased by brother Barry Bailey.

Mr. Bailey was a Korean War veteran and in law enforcement for 26 years. He enjoyed daily walks, tennis, bocce ball, hunting and fishing. He was very involved with his grandchildren's sports and school events. He was a member of the Native Sons of the Golden West and was an avid Cal Bears, San Francisco Giants and 49ers fan.

Donations to Napa Valley Hospice Alzheimer's Adult Day Care in lieu of flowers would be kindly appreciated.

Cemetery Details

Tulocay Cemetery

411 Coombsville Rd
Napa, CA 94558

Tribute Wall



“ *John Ellis Bailey*

September 29, 2022 at 04:54 PM



“ *John Ellis Bailey*

September 29, 2022 at 02:55 PM



“ *Dear Delores and Family
I was saddened to hear of John's passing. My thoughts and prayers
are with the family.
Ray Nasuti*

Ray Nasuti - April 21, 2013 at 12:15 AM



“ *Jerry & Peggy Larghi & Family lit a candle in
memory of John Ellis Bailey*



Jerry & Peggy Larghi & Family - April 19, 2013 at 12:49 PM

JF

“ Dear Delores & Family,

We are saddened to read of Chief Bailey's passing. We have many fond memories of our times together In Napa and Tiburon. It was a privilege to have served under his administration at Tiburon Police Department. His big warm smile and friendship will be missed, but always remembered.

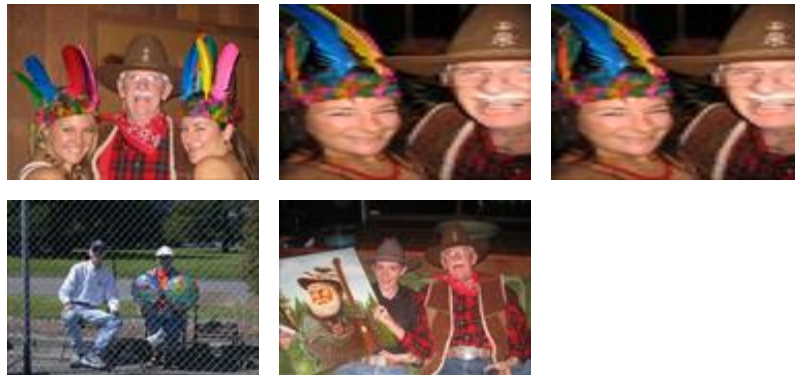
With Our Deepest Sympathy & Love,

Jerry & Peggy Larghi & Family

Jerry & Peggy Larghi & Family - April 19, 2013 at 12:48 PM

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Brianna - April 19, 2013 at 12:16 PM

JM

“ Joe Moore lit a candle in memory of John Ellis Bailey



Joe Moore - April 19, 2013 at 11:18 AM

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Todd Shulman - April 19, 2013 at 11:08 AM

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“ My condolences to the Bailey family. I got to know John through my work at the Napa Police Historical Society, and from listening to "war stories" over lunches. He was a gracious man, and I'm grateful that I became his friend. John's decades of service to his country and the citizens of Napa should be honored.

-Todd Shulman

Todd Shulman - April 18, 2013 at 12:25 PM