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Baptiste Cutsack

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Baptiste P. Cutsack, 73-year-old member of the Kootenai Indian Tribe, passed away at Community Hospital on Sunday afternoon, March 20, following an illness of almost two years.

He was born in Boundary County on September 12, 1903, the son of Phillip and Charlotte Joseph Cutsack. He grew up in Boundary County and attended school at Cranbrook, British Columbia, where he married Helen Silas on January 26, 1924.

He owned and operated his own farm in Boundary County following his marriage and later worked for the U.S. Forest Service and on the Marion Davidson farm. He enjoyed trapping in his earlier years and spent many of his spare hours hunting and enjoying the great out-of-doors. He was a member of St. Michael's Mission Catholic Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Helen Cutsack, Bonners Ferry; daughter, Mrs. David (Amy) Trice, Bonners Ferry; and six grandchildren and one great granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his parents, five sons, Phillip, Andrew, Dominick, Morris and Terry Cutsack; by three daughters, Sarah, Agatha and Agnes Cutsack; by two brothers; a step-brother and a step-sister.

Holy rosary will be recited at 8:00 p.m., Thursday, March 24, at The Wake House, St. Mich-