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William Marion Worley, 70

William Marion "Bill" Worley, 70, passed away on Aug. 25, 2004 at the Holy Family Hospital emergency just 19 days after his wife, Pat, died.

Bill was born in Bonners Ferry, Idaho on July 19, 1934 to Marion and Mable (Clark) Worley. He graduated from Newport High School in 1953.

On June 4, 1955, he married Patricia Ann Hall of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Bill worked over 33 years for the Great Northern and Burlington Northern railroads, retiring in 1996.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing and anything with the outdoors. He and his lifelong soul mate, Pat, enjoyed camping trips to Boulder Creek, near Naples, Idaho. He also loved to spend time with his kids and grandchildren.

Bill was a life member of the Fertile Valley Grange #1094, a member of Newport Eagles Aeries #3443 and the Newport

Rodeo Association.

Survivors include three sons, Ron (and Karen) Worley, and Dennis (and Tammy) Worley, all of Newport, Wash., and Michael (and Brenda) Worley of Elk; twin daughters, Karen (and Dick) Jackson, also of Newport, and Kathy (and Robert) Groce of Elk; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; two brothers, Gene Worley of Odessa, Wash., Larry Worley of Moses Lake, Wash; and three sisters, Betty Atkins of Coolin, Id., Shirley Brooke of Bonners Ferry and Iva Krines of Spokane Valley, Wash.

Besides his wife and parents, he is preceded by two brothers, James and Kenneth Worley.

A memorial service was held Aug. 28, 2004 at the First Baptist Church in Newport, Wash. The family suggests memorials in Bill's name to the Fertile Valley Grange.