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## Garry Piper

(July 24, 1929 - June 04, 2023)

Obituary Garry Piper, 93

Garry Piper, 93, passed away Sunday June 4, 2023, at his home in Blackfoot, Idaho



Garry was born on July 24,

1929, in Rexburg, Idaho. Garry never knew his biological parents and as a baby he was taken in by Francis Iola Piper.

He enlisted in the Navy at a young age and served honorably in the Pacific. He was a hard worker and greatly involved in his faith and his church. He served in the Elders Board at the Calvary Alliance Church, on the building committee and was involved in the construction of the new church house.

He worked as a welder and pipe fitter for many years. When he wasn't welding or swinging a hammer, he was casting his line at the local fishing hole. He loved making jewelry and metal art. He loved being outdoors, riding horses and camping. His greatest love was spending time with his family and studying the bible.

He is survived by his wife of 71 years, Joy Piper, of Blackfoot, and his children: Michael B. (Patricia) Piper, of Blackfoot, Idaho, Lorie (Dana) Calkins, of Battle Mountain, NV, Shane (Annette) Piper, of Orcutt, CA and a daughterin-law Vickie Piper, 12 grandchildren, 29 greatgrandchildren and 9 great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his son Craig Piper, grandson Hugh Moyes and his guardian Francis Piper.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m. Saturday, July 22, 2023 at the Calvary Alliance Church, 800 Marinus Lane, Pocatello, Idaho 83201. Condolences may be sent to the family at: hawkerfuneralhome.com