Domingo J. Mariluch dies in Ely at age 77

Domingo John Mariluch, a native of Elko, died Saturday at William Bee Ririe Hospital in Ely at age 77.

He was born June 24, 1914, to William and Marguarite Lancerey Mariluch. He attended Elko County schools and had been a lifelong resident of the Elko and Ely areas.

He was a meat cutter employed at Sewell's Market and Puccinelli's in Elko. He moved to Ely in 1950, working for Economy Market.

In 1964, he purchased the Olympia Market, changing the name to Domingo's Corner in 1965. He and his wife sold the business in 1970. In 1972 he opened Domingo's Meat Processing in Ely, selling it and retiring in 1979 to Ruby Valley.

He was a member of the Ely Basque Club and Ely Elks Lodge No. 1469. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping, fly tying and cooking, being widely known for his Basque chorizos.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel; sons, William Mariluch of Sacramento, Calif., and Wayne Lewis of Spring Creek; daughters, Marjorie Dalton of Ely and Jeanne Marie Mariluch of Fresno, Calif.; brothers, Pete Mariluch of Elko and Phil Mariluch of Ruby Valley; a sister, Jenny Kendall of Castleford, Idaho; 18 grand-children; and 31 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Wilson-Bates Mortuary in Ely. Officers of the Ely Elks Lodge No. 1469 will officiate.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Nevada Home Health Services Inc., care of Marie Carrick, 658 Lyons Ave., Ely 89301, or White Pine Public Museum Inc., 2000 Aultman Street, Ely 89301.

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