



## Donald Joseph Estrada

November 27, 1941 - November 5, 2020

Donald Joseph Estrada was born November 27, 1941 in San Francisco. He passed away November 5, 2020 at the age of 78. He was the loving husband of Bille Estrada. We were inseparable for over 45 years, residing in Chico and then Durham, Ca. Donald grew up in Chico and went to Chico High School. He moved to Redwood City, Ca where he started his career with Safeway at the meat packing plant. In 1960 he moved back to Chico where he spent the remainder of his 35-year career with Safeway as a meatcutter in various Safeway stores. He retired in 1998. In 1985, Donald and Bille pursued their passion for antiques. They opened a small shop on East avenue in Chico. Then went to different locations and in 2000 they opened their shop, Skyway Antique Mall in Paradise, Ca. He attended every sporting event he could that his children were apart of. He spent many years as a volunteer with the Chico American Legion baseball team in the early 80's. He loved hardtop racing and drag car racing also Nascar. He loved the Chico Outlaws and Chico Heat baseball.

Donald is survived by his wife Bille. Three children : Son, Richard and wife Cathy ; Daughter Michele Russell and husband Robby; and Daughter Amy Estrada. 7 grandchildren : Garrett, Brett, Drew and Grant Estrada ; Justin Howland and Kristen Russell ; and Brenden Ackzien. 4 great grandchildren Cash and Harper Estrada and Savannah and Ariana Estrada. He is also survived by his Sister Donna Gardner and family of Magalia Ca.

He was a very loving man. Loved his family and friends, gave the best Hugs ever and we will dearly miss him.

# Comments

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“ He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. It was my pleasure and privilege to have known him-we shared many good stories and laughs together and my life is richer for having known him. My condolences to the family and especially Bille...Charles Carey

**Charles Carey** - November 21, 2020 at 05:08 PM

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“ Miriam is right. Don always had a twinkle in his eye and a smile for everyone. Don was a good human being and he will always be remembered as that.You are in our prayers Billy and family.

**Mary Morris** - November 11, 2020 at 10:54 AM

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“ Always kind. Always had a chuckle and a twinkle in his eye. Don was truly a good person. He will be missed. Bille you are in my thoughts.

**Miriam Craig** - November 11, 2020 at 09:28 AM