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Alfred (Sonny) Robert Ribeiro Jr. passed away on Thursday, October 23, 2014, in San Francisco after a long illness.

Sonny was born on March 25, 1948 to Alfred Sr. and Arlene (Knudson) Ribeiro in Vallejo, California. He was raised in Benicia and graduated from Benicia High School in 1966 where he excelled in football and baseball.

Sonny served in the U. S. Army during the Vietnam War; earning a Purple Heart and Bronze Star.

Sonny recently retired from Union Pacific Railroad after 47 years of service.

He married Brenda Grinnell on May 20, 1972. Their son Tim was born in 1976 and their daughter Carrie in 1982.

Sonny was a very caring and giving man always putting others before himself. His greatest joy was his grandchildren. He was the favorite uncle to all of his nieces and nephews who especially enjoyed the many Christmas sleepovers and Halloween antics.

He is survived by his wife, Brenda; son, Tim (Jessica) Ribeiro and their children, Riley and Hayden; daughter Carrie (Jason) Schreiber and their children, Hannah and Matthew; his sisters Trudy (Jim) McAnally and Carole (Tom) Fisher; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. He was predeceased

by his parents and sister, MaryAnn Cecchini.

At Sonny's request there will be no services. Memorial donations may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Arrangements were entrusted to the direction and care of Twin Chapels Mortuary, Vallejo (707) 552-6696. www.TwinChapelsMortuary.com

Tribute Wall



“ *I am so sorry for your loss! Sonny was always kind to all who knew him. He will be missed, thinking of the family sending hugs*

Charlene

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