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Loomis, California - Jack Church was born on October 19th, 1940 to Jim and Mary Church. He was born and raised in Sacramento, CA, one of 14 children, firstborn of Jim and Mary. Siblings included Monsignor Jim Church, Cathy, Bette, Mike, Bernie, Fran, Peggy, Kevin, Kenny, Monica, Terry, Tim and Maureen. Retail clerk for Lucky Stores for 33 years. Most proud of 29 years of firefighting. Retired as an engineer of the Sacramento City Fire Department. Was in Air Force Reserves for six years and a founding member of the Red Shirts Society. His children, Kim, Jack Jr. and Tara shared enthusiasm of all things motor sports. Died peacefully with family and friends at bedside. Survived by wife Jan, children Kim, JJ (Liang), Tara (Rick), and grandchildren Neona, Noah and Tarek. Jack wanted everyone to remember:

1. Pay attention to your surroundings.
2. All things in moderation.
3. Drive like Nab Jones is filling up your rear-view mirror.

Viewing will be on March 19th, 4-7 PM at Murray Funeral Home in Rocklin.

Flowers may be sent to Funeral Home. Services will be held on March 20th, 11 AM - 12:30 PM at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church (4450 Granite Dr., Rocklin). Following mass, burial with Honor Guard will be at Newcastle Cemetery for family and close friends (850 Taylor Rd., Newcastle). Reception at Blue Goose Event Center (3550 Taylor Rd., Loomis) following services. Catered by Code Three Catering.

Cemetery Details

Newcastle Cemetery

850 Taylor Road
Newcastle, CA 95658
<https://www.nrgcemetery.com/newcastle-cemetery>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 19. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Murray Family Funeral Chapel
4147 Rocklin Road
Rocklin, CA 95677
(916) 824-2737
<http://www.murrayfamilyfuneralchapel.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 20. 11:00 AM (PT)

Saints Peter & Paul Catholic
4450 Granite Drive
Rocklin, CA 95677

Tribute Wall

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“ *I was acquainted with Jack many years ago. When I recall him, there's always a sweetness and a willingness to help others. He was a good man and I'm glad our paths crossed. Best wishes to his family and friends in this difficult time. Judith Foosaner*

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