

Bill Sullivan Obituary

Justice of the Peace Bill Sullivan, 71, of Beatty, lost his battle with cancer Sunday, July 10, 2005, in Las Vegas. Formerly of Barstow, Calif., Bill worked for the Santa Fe Railroad for 17 years as a switchman and later as a yardmaster. After moving to Beatty, in 1968, he operated a Chevron gas station for 10 years. He was elected Beatty justice of the peace in 1979, where he served for 26 years. At the time of his death, he was the longest sitting justice of the peace in the state of Nevada. He also served on the Beatty Volunteer Fire Department from 1969 until 2000, and as fire chief from 1970 until 2000. He was a member of the Beatty Volunteer Ambulance service from 1970 until 1988. Bill is survived by his wife, of 45 years, Frances; his six children, Malynda Reeves of San Jose, Calif., Paula Resner of Jacksonville, Ore., Karen Ulrich of Beatty, Gus Sullivan of Beatty, Dana Sullivan of Beatty, and Jeannie Ybarra of Las Vegas; one brother, Jim Sullivan of La Jolla, Calif.; his stepmother, Reba Sullivan of Marshall, Mo.; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 16, at the Beatty High School gymnasium. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Beatty Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 113, Beatty, NV 89003, in honor of Bill.

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