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James “Poppo” Uncle Jim” Edward Werley, 81, of Hilo, HI, passed away on Thursday, September 29, 2016 at his residence. He was born in Detroit, Michigan on Sept. 11, 1935. He was a retired member of the US Coast Guard. A Celebration of Life will take place on Sunday, October 30, 2016 from 12 noon to 3 pm at Coconut Island in Hilo. He is survived by son, Kimo Werley of Oceanview, HI; 2 daughters, Laura Ann Milar of Hilo, HI and Iva Mata of Kailua-Kona, HI; sister, June Bentley of Detroit, Michigan; companion, Marla Masolini of Hilo, HI; 6 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren; nieces and nephews.



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Emil Cabarga posted:

i worked jim on USCGC Chautauqua and again on the USCGC Ironwood, I have nothing but the highest respect for him. He was a great leader. I met Kimo in 1967 in their second story apartment on Oahu. Emil D. Cabarga

June 14 at 8:11 AM



Kermit Johnson posted:

I was stationed with Jim on the CG-95300 in Hilo in 1961 and 1962. I have many memories of that tour, and I like Jim married a Hilo girl. I talked to Jim only once after he retired in Hilo. This summer I was a Chaplain at the Queen's medical Center in Honolulu. When I discovered that Jim was a patient there I visited him. Though he had trouble speaking he did remember me and we renewed our friendship. I visited Jim as often as I could until August 12 when I completed my chaplaincy at Queens. I regret that we will not return to Hilo in time to attend Jim's memorial service. I wish to express my condolences to the family and friends. May Jim's soul rest in peace. This I say in Christ's name. Aloha, Kermit (Kit) Johnson, Lcdr USCG retired.

October 28 at 2:20 AM



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