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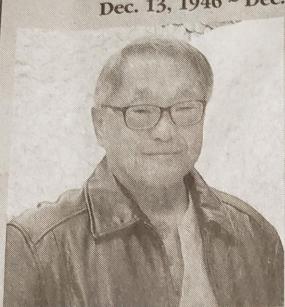
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## Herbert Shinji Matsubayashi

Dec. 13, 1946 ~ Dec. 4, 2020



It is with great sadness we announce the passing of Herbert Shinji Matsubayashi on Friday, December 4, 2020. He was 73, just 9 days short of his 74th birthday. He passed away peacefully at his home under Hospice Care with

his wife and family by his side. He succumbed to cancer after a valiant 6 month battle.

Herbert was born on December 13, 1946 in Paia, Maui to the late Reverend Shoten and Hisako Matsubayashi. He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Victoria (Vicky) Matusubayashi, sons Lance Matusubayashi and Jared (Robin) Matusubayashi, and sisters Janet (Don) Bailey and Lynn Beauchamp. He was a proud grandpa to Caleb. Kaedyn and Jace.

Herbert was employed by the Department of Health for 35 years and retired as the District Environmental Health Program Chief. He enjoyed fishing, Vegas and traveling with his wife. He was an active member in planning Maui High School class of 1964 reunions.

He was a veteran of the US Army, 1968 - 1971 and served in the Vietnam war. Herbert attended Sterling College, in Kansas on a football scholarship and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology.

The family of Herbert Matsubayashi would like to thank Straub Medical Center Oncology and OTC Departments, Rehab Hospital of the Pacific, and Hospice Maui.

Due to Covid 19 pandemic, the family decided to have a celebration of life at a future date.