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Leonard D. Adams, 68

SANTA CRUZ, CALIF. – Services were Aug. 11, 1989 for Leonard D. Adams, an active leader of the Tres Pueblos Veterans of Foreign Wars Post. He was 68.

A native of Irwin, he served in the U.S. Coast Guard during WW II and U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He worked as a building inspector in Monterey and Fremont before coming to Santa Cruz in 1961. He was head building inspector for Santa Cruz County before retiring in 1972.

He was an honorary life member and past commander of Tres Pueblos VFW Post 7263, a past commander of the District 12 VFW, a member of the All State Commander Team VFW, the Military Order of the Cooties 24. He was also a member of St. Vincent De Paul, a past governor and member of the Moose Lodge, Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 460, a past grand knight of the Knights of Columbus and a past president of the Holy Cross Parents Club.

He is survived by his wife, Nonna of Santa Cruz; three sons, Philip Adams of Boulder Creek, Kevin Adams of Portland, OR., and Terry Adams of Felton; three daughters, Renee Zuschin of Soquel, Deborah Barrett of La Pine, OR., and Natalie Adams of Santa Cruz; two brothers, William Adams and Victor Adams; two sisters, Ruth Ahrendsen and Alice Noelck, all of Iowa; and 13 grandchildren.