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Elwin Van Riper

Funeral services for Elwin Van Riper, 71, of 5604 NE 24th Ave., Portland, Ore., were held Wednesday, July 13, at 1 p.m., at Kellingsworth Little Chapel of the Chimes with Dr. Robert C. Coppock officiating. Vault interment was in the Lincoln Memorial Park.

Mr. Van Riper died July 9 in a hospital in Portland.

Elwin C. Van Riper was born November 18, 1905 to Frank and Kathie Van Riper. He attended Groton Schools. He was married to Margaret Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson of Brentford. The family moved to Portland, Ore., twenty five years ago. He was the owner of Van's Olympic Room in Portland.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters Gay Lynne Keller, Yakima, Wash.; and Vicki Blackwell, Portland; a brother, Kenneth, Vancouver, Wash.; five sisters Mrs. Lorraine Frisbe, Milwaukie, Ore.; Jerry McEroy, Hays, Kan.; Marvel Menninga, St. Cloud, Minn.; June Birrenkott, Lemmon; and Marcella Ott, Groton; and three grandchildren.