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Burton Ray Jacobs, 57, Turtle Clan member of the Oneida Nation, died Thursday at Upstate University Hospital after a brief illness.

Born in Syracuse, he was the son of the late Ernest and Emily (Jones) Jacobs.

Burton worked for the Onondaga Nation and was a former member of the Onondaga Nation Fire Department. He was also an avid New York Yankees and New York Jets Fan.

Burton is survived by two sisters, Lori and Lenette Jacobs of the Onondaga Nation; two brothers, Ernest Jacobs III and Rickey Jacobs of the Onondaga Nation; two nieces, Emily Swartz and Leah Phillips of the Onondaga Nation; four nephews, Neil (Emily) Benedict of Philadelphia, Michael Jacobs and

Jamie and Clayton Phillips, all of Syracuse; two great nieces, Jewelle Phillips and Zaylynn Redmond of Syracuse; and a great nephew, Keegan Benedict of Philadelphia.

Services will be held Sunday at 11:00 a.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse. Burial will be in the Onondaga Nation Cemetery.

Calling hours will be Saturday (today), 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Burton Ray Jacobs*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - April 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *my thoughts and prayers go out to all of u. i miss him a lot. he was the best man i ever new. he saved my life. i will always be greatful for that. i loved him dearly. if u need anything at all please call me 315-796-9675*

April 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *The Officers and Members of the Mattydale Fire Department join in extending Heartfelt Sympathy to you and your family at this Time of Sorrow.*

April 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Lori and family you have my deepest sympathy.*

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“ *Amos, old buddy, we are going to miss you especially on the Western Union trips. Many thoughts to your family and know all will miss you. My son"s birthday is October 16 so I won"t forget you.*

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