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Earthquakes for week of  
**July 7 - 13, 1996**

	1-2	2-3	3+	Total
<b>Regional</b>	11	5	1	17
Mammoth Lakes Region	32	0	0	32
<b>This Week</b>	43	5	1	49
Previous week	75	9	2	86

▼ **Regional Activity:** For the second straight week, a quake in the 3.0 range occurred in the Excelsior Mountains. This week's 3.0 event happened Tuesday, July 9, south of Hawthorne along the western margin of the range in Whiskey Flats.

▼ A flurry of six quakes were detected five miles southeast of Mina along the southern Benton Springs fault system. This prominent 75 mile long fault zone is part of the much broader Walker Lane fault zone. At the range front to Pilot Mountain, where this week's activity occurred, the fault vertically displaces Late Quaternary sediments about 2-3 meters (6-14 feet).

▼ **Mammoth Lakes Region:** Very quiet. For the first week since May 14-21, 1995, no activity was recorded in the 2.0 range.

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