

When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you for a little while
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years.
But start out bravely with a gallant smile,
And for my sake and for my name
Live on and do all things the same.
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,
But fill each waking hour in useful ways.
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer
And I in turn will comfort you and hold you near.
And never, never Be afraid to die
For I am waiting for you in the sky.

Interment

Rolling Hills Memorial Park
Richmond, CA

Family Acknowledgement

Our family extends heartfelt thanks to our friends for all the prayers
and kindness shown during this homegoing of our loved one.

God Bless You

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"Never place a question mark where God has placed a period."

*In Memory And Celebration
For The Life
Of*



Sunrise

August 5, 1943

Sunset

April 12, 2022

Allen Carl Sidney Jr.

Visitation

Saturday, April 16, 2022
2:00 PM

O.J. Carter Memorial Chapel
601 N. Center Street
San Antonio, Texas

Life's Journey

Allen Carl Sidney, Jr. was born in Richmond, California August 5, 1943.
He was the son of the late Allen Carl Sidney, Sr. and Mattie B. Hudson.

Allen attended public school, graduating from Richmond High School in Richmond, California. Following his high school years, Allen went on to serve his country, joining the United States Air Force. He served twenty-one years, earning the Vietnam Service Medal, with 2 Bronze Stars, and the National Defense Service Medal.

After Allen retired from the service, he went on to work for the United States Postal Service in California. In 1990, Allen relocated to San Antonio, Texas, where he was employed by the Northeast Independent School District. He also owned and operated a record shop in San Antonio.

Allen married the love of his life, Lattie Sidney, and this union remained as one for 32 years. He accepted Christ and attended Ernest T. Dixon United Methodist Church under the leadership of Pastor Terrance Hayes. Allen was very involved with his family and was outgoing in his community.

Allen was an avid basketball and softball player, a renowned DJ, the family photographer, and a member of the San Antonio Zulu Association.

Allen leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Lattie Sidney; children, Damon and Sarina; son-in-law, Norman; his brother, Ralph; sisters, Pauline, Judy, Dianne, Wanetta, and Phyllis; grandchildren, Mai, Rianna, Dylan and Paris; great grandchild, Cassius and a host of family and friends.

To Those I Love And To Those Who Love Me

When I am gone, release me, let me go
I have so many things to see and do
You must not tie yourself to me with tears
Be happy that I have had so many years
I gave you my love, you can only guess
How much you gave me in happiness
I thank you for the love each have shown
But now it is time I travelled on alone
So, grieve a while for me, if grieve you must
Then let your grief be comforted by trust
It is only for a while that we must part
So bless the memories in your heart
I will not be far away, for life goes on
So if you need me, call and I will come
Though you cannot see or touch me, I will be near
And if you listen with your heart, you will hear
All of my love around you soft and clear
Then, when you must come this way alone
I will greet you with a smile and welcome you home.