



Sifredo Antu

May 29, 1937 - July 8, 2009

ANTU

Following an extended illness, Sifredo "Alfred" Antu entered into eternal rest on July 8, 2009 at the age of 72 years. An only child, he was preceded in death by his parents Camilo Antu and Micaela Quesada. Mr. Antu is survived by his wife, Mary Helen Antu; daughters Mickey Joel Urias, Toni Bob Rocha and Frances Antu; son, Vincent Antu and step-daughter, Rosalinda Armando Espinoza; grandchildren, Eric Carreon, Kyle Urias, Kira Rocha, Tiffany Rocha, Jacob Rocha, Joshua Rocha, Emilio Guerra, Samantha Guerra, Erika Oscar Reyna, Amanda Espinoza, A.J. Espinoza and Nathan Espinoza. Mr. Antu also leaves behind a host of loving cousins and friends. Dad knew no strangers and possessed the most remarkable sense of humor bestowed upon mankind. He was proud to call himself a military veteran, having enlisted in the Air Force at the age of 17 years and serving in law enforcement until his retirement. Visitation will be held on Sunday, July 12th from 3:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. with a memorial service conducted at 7:00 p.m. A funeral procession will depart the funeral home on Monday at 10:30 a.m. Interment with full military honors at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. The family wishes to extend sincere gratitude and thanks to Dr. Robert A. Tavera for his continued care and guidance when Dad faced certain loss of life; Alamo City Dialysis; the Methodist Healthcare organization for ongoing treatment provided and to the hospice team of Odyssey Healthcare for the

compassionate care provided to Mr. Antu during his final hours. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the charity of your choice.

"Fly with the Angels Daddy"!

Tribute Wall

AA

“ Although we got to know Fred briefly, he left a positive impact because of his generous and friendly personality. His love and dedication to his family was admirable.

We thank him for his military service and for his contribution to make this world

Alfredo & Martha Avila - July 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ Please accept my sincere sympathy.

When I think of the 149WSSF I picture Fred there leading his troops. The flight would not have been complete without him. A memory that comes to mind is a funny statement that Fred used to say. It went something I

Elgin Schulmeier - July 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ A loving, caring and devoted father who was always there for his family. Mr. Antu touched our lives through occasional visits to our office to meet up with his daughter Frances. His strength and commitment to family were obvious to all of us. This man ser

Mitchell & Maiya Huffman - July 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Dear Antu Family,

It is with deepest sadness that I extend my condolences to you on the loss of your beloved.

As Chair of the Senate Committee on Veteran Affairs and Military Installations, I am sincerely thankful for his valiant service and dedic

Senator Leticia Van de Putte - July 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ Dearest Mickey and Joel,

Ena and I sincerely send our deepest condolences. Please remember that these are the times that our Fathers prepared us for...be strong and know that God is always with us.

Much love to you and your family,

Gus and Ena

Gus and Ena Gonzalez - July 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Mickey & Eric my prayers go out to you and your family just know he is at peace now. love Aunt JoAnn

JoAnn C Martinez - July 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ My friend Fred...
I got up this morning while having my coffee, barabacoa and Big Red when I came across the obituary and became saddened when I saw your name. For the guys who served with him in the 149th WSSF and myself we knew him as "PAPA SMURF" or

Rolando R. lowrider Perez, Tst USAF/US ARMY/TANG - July 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss. I served with Fred at the 149th TXANG. I will always remember his beautiful smile and that he always had something funny to say. The good Lord will also enjoy his wit. God bless you.

Josephine Twedell - July 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ Oh Fred, I can't tell you how many times I've told the story of you introducing me to breakfast tacos. And you made me laugh every time I was in your company ever since. Heaven must've been short of humor I guess to have taken you now. Glad you're not

Norma Sigler - July 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ In the short time that I knew Fred he was fun to be with because he was always coming up with some kind of joke. He will live forever in our minds and when we meet again I know that he will have more jokes to pass on. My deepest condolences to the family

Beto Araiza - July 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Uncle Freddie, Thank You for being such a good friend, I will miss you !!! May God Bless you and the Family.

sylvia munoz - July 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Thank u for taken care of my mom and loving her. We will miss u a whole lot. I will miss your humor and sharing sports events with u. I know that u r in peace and r with other people that love u now. Love u your daughter Rose.

rose espinoza - July 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Brian and I are so sorry to hear of Fred's passing. He will be missed our prayers are with the family. God Bless you all. Love Always.

Theresa and Brian Coe - July 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FA

“ Daddy,

I miss you so much...You'll be in my heart forever. I'll carry a lifetime of wonderful memories with me always. You were my Daddy, my hero, my protector...the love of our lives. I'm everything I am because of your love, strength, guidance and di

Frances Rena Antu - July 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ *Papa,
You are missed so. My heart grieves in this condition, because
there are no words to express my love, our love. I was so blessed to
have you, it was not long enough, but it was long enough to last
forever. Until we are together again, I love you, T*

Toni Rocha - July 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ *Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one.
Freddie was a very good friend to all. He had a great personality
and kept us all laughing. He will be truly missed. May God Bless
You.*

Wayne McNeely - July 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ *We loved Freddie.*

Dougie & Sally Jarrett - July 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM