



Victor Carlos Serrano

December 6, 1996 - July 21, 2020

vic♦or

"a person who defeats an enemy or opponent in a battle"

To our family and friends, thank you for being here for us and one another.

Thank you for being that support and encouragement we all need right now.

These are one of the hardest moments in our lives. The loss of a child is something no parent should ever experience. I asked God to provide the wisdom, courage and strength I would need, to say a few words to honor God in memory of my son Victor, and because I didn't ever want to believe it would have to be one of our kids that I would be writing a eulogy for and have to lay to rest. One of the things that is comforting is that now we know where Victor is, there is no longer worry in our family's hearts. He is safe and no one or thing can hurt him anymore, he is at peace now.

Victor was born in Antioch, California on December 6th, 1996. He was a happy baby. His smile was the first thing I would see when he woke up. Victor was also a very sensitive and kind hearted little boy. More recently Victor found love in his life and wanted to be a family with his girlfriend Michelle and her two daughters, Jazzy (6yrs) and Mia (4yrs) and on November 28th, 2019 God sent their little family a THANKSGIVING BLESSING, Elijah Andrew Serrano. We were proud of Victor because he wanted to raise the girls as his own and be a dad for all three children. I believe it takes a special kind of love to be able to fill that role.

I moved my kids around a lot and I know that affected their stability, but I feel it

affected Victor the most. He took things very much to heart. Victor grew up and lived a fast life. He met up with a lot of demons in his lifetime.

I know my son made some bad choices and wasn't perfect. But I know that he was not made that way.

Life happened and he wasn't well prepared to endure what he was going to go through. Recently the tipping point happened, when his PAST, PRESENT and FUTURE collided. And he was faced with an ultimate decision that cost him his life. But what Victor wasn't able to see from all the lies is that the PRICE HAD BEEN ALREADY PAID. There is "VICTORY" and "FORGIVENESS". His name has a special meaning.

Victor has a lot of love all around him from family and friends and he knew that in his heart. But there are those moments that we may all feel "it is not enough". I'm thankful to God that he gave us much more time with Victor than I ever thought possible. He was so merciful with Victor's life. Those everyday miracles, at times we can take for granted. The Lord provided time for healing, reconciliation and restoration in our lives, with our family. At age 15 Victor gave his life to the Lord and that brings comfort.

His Dad and I knew that even though we were not together as a couple, that we were always going to be parents to our kids, David Jr., Victor and Christina and that we are still family no matter what. So now we are here today to celebrate his journey home to be with the Lord. Something I'd like to ask everyone here who is reading this, is that if anyone feels they are somehow to blame, we ask to please not feel that way. Many times in this situation we ask ourselves "what could I have said or done differently?".

Or we want to blame ourselves or someone or something for what has happened. And we start thinking...

"We didn't get to say goodbye".... Or we may feel "IT IS NOT ENOUGH". Our hope is that everyone leaves with the PEACE that God has the last WORD and calls us home in his timing not ours.

The word of God says:

" Death is swallowed up in victory."

"❖ Where, O death, is your victory?

Where, O death, is your sting?"

"The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." - 1 Corinthians 15:54-57

Hug each other and tell them you love them every opportunity you have. Don't deal with things in anger, and set your pride aside. Spend time with your loved ones and enjoy those precious moments that are given to you.

In Loving Memory of Victor Carlos Serrano

With love,

Mom, Dad, David Jr. & Christina

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Rosary

JUL 31. 6:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Funeral

AUG 1. 9:00 AM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Graveside

AUG 1. 10:00 AM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Victor Carlos Serrano*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - August 01, 2020 at 12:00 PM



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Victor Carlos Serrano*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - August 01, 2020 at 12:00 PM

RH

“ *Our deepest sympathies to Rosa, David & families our pain is with you all, as parents we can feel your tears, pain & your broken heart on the loss of your loved one. May our Lord give you peace & comfort on this rough road ahead, we can say it will get easy in time but after a piece of your heart has been ripped off, it seems like it will take a life time. My prayers are with you & God Bless You your friends Rita & Robert Hernandez*

RITA HERNANDEZ - August 01, 2020 at 06:48 PM

RR

“ RITA HERNANDEZ & ROBERT lit a candle in memory of Victor Carlos Serrano



RITA HERNANDEZ & ROBERT - August 01, 2020 at 06:19 PM



“ Our Friendship didn't start off well, but we grew to love you you will always be in our heart and apart of our Family we will always miss you vic one day we will see you again

Santiago Escarsega - August 01, 2020 at 02:00 PM

VH

“ Virginia Hurtado lit a candle in memory of Victor Carlos Serrano



virginia hurtado - August 01, 2020 at 11:35 AM

JJ

“ We will miss you cousin!! & all the memories won't be forgotten! We love you cousin, RIP



Jess & Jaime - July 31, 2020 at 11:26 PM

YJ

“ May you RIP Mijo and let God lead you to your Grandpa. You will always be in our hearts. You will be missed 🙏



Ysmael Serrano Jr - July 31, 2020 at 10:55 PM

YJ

“ May you RIP Mijo and let God lead you to your Grandpa. You will always be in our hearts. You will be missed. 🙏



Ysmael Serrano Jr. - July 31, 2020 at 10:38 PM

PH

“ Im going to miss you alot primo . Alot of good memories. Won't be the same without you 😞😞



Peter Hinojos - July 31, 2020 at 10:35 PM

PH

“ Gonna miss you primo. Love you.
-peter



Peter Hinojos - July 31, 2020 at 08:05 PM

WR

“ Victor and I shared a lot in common. In this occasion, neither one of us had ever imagined trying to conquer snowboarding. We were both apprehensive but excited to see if we could learn. We both fell hard on our behinds but we got up and kept going. By the end of the day we were good enough to slowly ride down the mountain. The next season we had improved significantly, so much so that we actually enjoyed riding.

You will be missed cuzzo. Rest in power!

Will



Will R - July 31, 2020 at 06:34 PM



“ Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Victor Carlos Serrano.



July 31, 2020 at 05:03 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Victor Carlos Serrano.



July 31, 2020 at 01:33 PM

RL

“ Ricardo & Yolanda Lopez lit a candle in memory of Victor Carlos Serrano



Ricardo & Yolanda Lopez - July 31, 2020 at 07:16 AM

RP

“ Dear Rosa and family, may the lord comfort you in the days and nights ahead. I'm so sorry for your loss. May your son be at peace and rest in gods loving arms forever.
Love, Robyn Pedro

Robyn Pedro - July 31, 2020 at 02:32 AM

AH

“ You left us way to soon cousin 😞 I'll miss seeing you washing your car at the house💔💔
We still have a piece of you in Elijah 🙏❤️
Give grandpa hugs💔💔 Now you're our Angel and Protector over our Family 🙏❤️ Apart of Us Cousins are missing now You will always be Loved and Missed
💔💔 I Pray Your Soul Is Resting In Peace 🙏❤️ Love you cousin💔💔💔💔💔💔💔💔



andrea hurtado - July 31, 2020 at 01:15 AM

AA

“ *David Rosa n family ... my heart is so heartbroken for you... I am so sorry for the grief n lain you are feeling .. we never think or want to bury our children before us ... may God give you a peace n comfort that you will need mat he wrap his loving arms around you ... my love I send to you cuzin for there are no words to take away the pain ... love you all Amanda Huerta*

amanda alva - July 30, 2020 at 04:08 AM

CI

“ *Hi David and Rosa, There are no right words to erase the pain you feel, our hearts ache for your family. We will hold Victor in our hearts forever. Love Grant and Carol*

Carol Imper - July 28, 2020 at 11:25 AM