



# Rodney Van Hunter

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**C**elebrating the Life of Rodney Van Hunter aka “Life of the Party” and my best friend. My brother was born on November 4, 1961 in San Diego, California. Rodney remained in San Diego until 0239am December 14, 2020. My brother was the second child of six siblings of Jessie Van Hunter and Dorothy Ann Hunter. Rodney attended Valencia and Horton Elementary, O’Farrell Jr. High and graduated from Morse High School in 1979. After that, he went to San Diego City College.

He loved sports and played baseball there. Rodney received his Welders’ certificate and worked for Hyspen Welding for fifteen years then worked at Alcoa Aluminum for four to five years. He was also a DJ on the side: "Rod-Dog in the house!!!!" - is what he would say walking into the room and family gatherings; always smiling and laughing, he was the life of the party!

Rodney was a member of St. Stephens God in Christ Church. He was also involved with Teamsters Union and Steel Workers Union. The most important event in Rodney’s life was San Diego Softball Tournament Championships.

Rodney had a spiritual encounter that changed his life, gave him realization of himself. The five words to describe Rodney is INNSIGHTFUL, SPIRITUAL, GREGARIOUS, PEACE SEEKER AND EVEN TEMPERED.

Some of my brother’s favorite songs were Amazing Grace and Reggae Woman.

Survivors are our mother Dorothy Hunter and his siblings Gary Hunter, Rachel Ladson, Kent Hunter, Tracy Hunter; fiancé Susie Ryan and a host of aunties, uncles, cousins, nephews, nieces and friends.



# Events

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## Visitation

 **Wednesday**, December 30, 2020

 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM PT


 **Greenwood Memorial Park - Garden Chapel**  
4300 Imperial Ave., San Diego CA 92113



## FUNERAL SERVICE


 **Thursday**, December 31, 2020


 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM PT

 **Greenwood Memorial Park**  
4300 Imperial Avenue, San Diego CA 92113



## Cemetery Details

 **Greenwood Memorial Park**  
4300 Imperial Avenue, San Diego CA 92113

 **(619) 450-1479**





## Tribute Wall

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**Virginia Hunter** posted:

I send my condolences to the Hunter family. May Rodney rest in peace in the loving arms of Our Father. Rodney always used to say, "we are only passing through". Rodney loved his yard, his dogs, Jessie and Jacob Van Spaniel. He loved having his family over for super bowl parties. He loved wearing his beat up farmer style coveralls. LORD just one more thing, Roddog is in the house"!!!! 🙏🙏🙏

December 29 at 11:04 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rodney by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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