



Edwin O'Berry Lloyd

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Edwin “Ed” O’Berry Lloyd was born June 1, 1947, in Roswell, New Mexico to Edwin Felix Lloyd and Zenola Lewis Lloyd and was the third of four sons. His family relocated to Washington, DC where Ed graduated from Theodore Roosevelt High School in 1966. Ed earned a Bachelor’s Degree in Psychology from the University of Sioux Falls in 1970.

Ed had a passion for education, business and entrepreneurship. After graduation, he began a career as a teacher and later a sales representative for Xerox Corporation. Ed went on to become the President and Chief Executive Officer of his own company, “Everything for the Office.” During the course of his career, Ed was recognized for his astute business insights, and in 1980, he was awarded the Entrepreneur of the Year Minority-Owned Status. Ed was a known staple of the Minnesota business community and was dedicated to supporting the educational, political, economic, and social well-being of the “Twin Cities.” He was an active member of the Minnesota Ethnic Minority Entrepreneurial Group. He retired on June 1, 1997, after 22 years of owning his own business. Upon retirement, he consulted with and served as a mentor to other sales professionals and entrepreneurs.

Ed was married to Marcea Bland on June 29, 1996, at the Outing Lodge in Stillwater, Minnesota. He considered Marcea his best friend and his “person.” Ed loved Marcea, his family and friends, golf, Tae Kwon Do, and traveling all over the world.

Ed had a special talent for developing relationships and for building deep personal connections with friends and within his community. He was a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated, the Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity, Alpha Pi member boule, and the Monitors Club of Minneapolis-St. Paul. An avid golfer who was also committed to creating a community and supportive brotherhood, Ed was recognized in 2019 for being the founder of the Kiawah Island Black Jacket Golf Tournament. He was an active member of Christ Community Church in Richardson, Texas and the New Creation Church of San Diego, California.



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Ed was preceded in death by his parents, Felix and Zenola, and his three brothers, Edward, Melvin, and Rodney. Ed leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife, Marcea and his children, Daren Lloyd (Arneidra), Kamani Lloyd, Darius Lloyd (Dana), Randy Staten, Shomari Staten, and Malaika Simmons (Mark); grandchildren: Aleph, Arielle, Akira, Asaph, MaKayla, Amari, Alexander, Merielle Simone, and a granddaughter expected in September; cousin, Ronald Lewis; sister-in-law, Pam Kennedy; nephews, Felix Lloyd, Brandon Lloyd, Ryan Kennedy, and niece, Jasmine Kennedy (Brandon).

Ed also loved and nurtured chosen children and grandchildren, Eboni Kirkwood, Torey Lewis, Tori McWilliams, Viviana Penn, and Sage Penn. He had a deep bond with and will be especially missed by surviving close friends Robert Nix, Algernon Tucker, Dr. Boyd Wright, Charles Davis, Greg Smith, Harold Tuck, and Perry Watson and a host of other family and friends.

Ed is remembered for his selfless generosity, abundant kindness, intellectual curiosity, passion for children, and unforgettable dance moves. He had a keen interest in history and was a lifelong learner. Until his last days, Ed could be called upon to recall and recite the vivid details of historical events and life memories. His hearty laugh is forever imprinted in the hearts and minds of those who love him.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you donate to Alzheimer's San Diego in memory of Ed Lloyd by clicking the link provided below.

<https://alzsandiego.z2systems.com/np/clients/alzsandiego/campaign.jsp?campaign=110&fundraiser=91874&>

Family and Friends are also invited to join a Zoom webinar.

When: Jul 23, 2021 12:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Mr. Edwin (ED) Lloyd's Home going service.

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87565146514>

Or One tap mobile:

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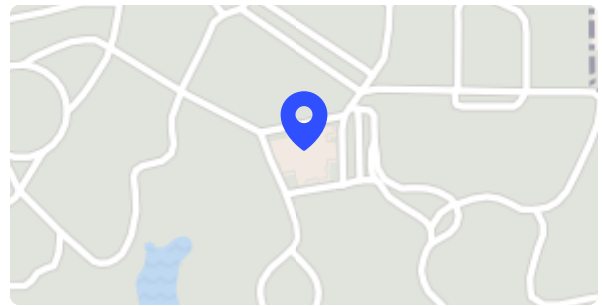
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VIEWING

 **Friday**, July 23, 2021

 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM PT


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

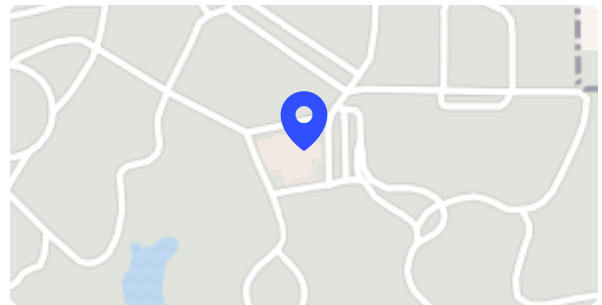


FUNERAL SERVICE

 **Friday**, July 23, 2021

 1:00 PM - 2:15 PM PT


 **Greenwood Memorial Park - Evergreen Lawn**
4300 Imperial Ave., San Diego CA 92113

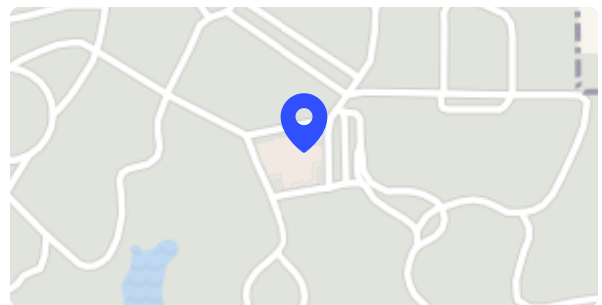


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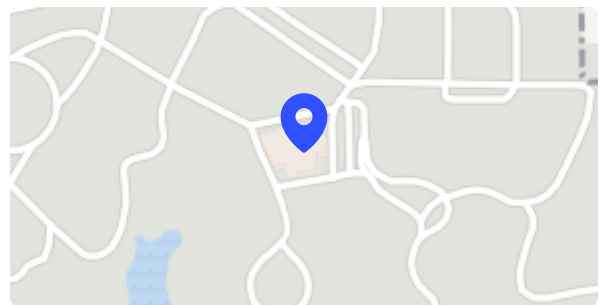
 **Greenwood Memorial Park - Cathedral Monument Lawn**
4300 Imperial Ave., San Diego CA 92113



Cemetery Details

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

 **(619) 450-1479**

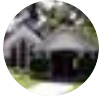




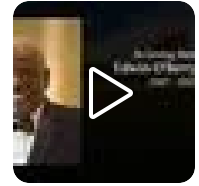
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July 20 at 12:55 PM



Eboni Kirkwood March 30 at 2:46 PM

I miss you. I love you dad 🦋



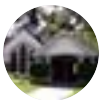
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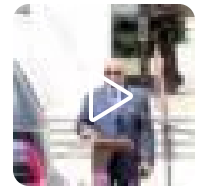


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Greenwood Memorial Park & Mortuary shared an album called **Mr. Lloyd's Service**.



July 29 at 12:09 PM



Eboni posted:

I love you dad.

July 26 at 10:51 AM



Rochelle Hurt Anderson posted:

We will always remember Ed's vibrant smile and laugh, his love of history, and joy when out on a golf course. The 4 of us had many fun times over a meal in LaJolla or Carlsbad thru the years. Marcea we will continue keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. Joe and Rochelle Anderson

July 24 at 8:44 AM



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Sydney Horton posted:

Ed thank you so much for opening your home to me in summers past. Your kind words will forever stay with me. Sending my condolences to the family.

July 22 at 3:55 PM



Claudia Sandifer posted:

Ed your smile and laugh were infectious. Thanks for loving my cousin and bringing such joy to her life. Rest in peace. We will all carry a little bit of you in our heart knowing that your spirit will guide and protect us always. Claudia

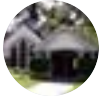
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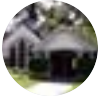
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Memories only last if you share them

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



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