



Mamerto Lacsina Sablan

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Mamerto Lacsina Sablan fondly referred to as “Tek” or “Mert” was a very loving Husband, a caring-diligent Father, a godly Uncle and Grandfather, and a cheerful friend to many.

He was born on October 17, 1931 in the province of Pampanga, Philippines. Was married to Erlinda Sayson on August 23, 1958 for 63 years!

He served in the U.S. Navy for 20 years, was a chef to the Naval Officers and as a result became a great cook! He retired in 1975 as a First-Class Petty Officer. Mert Sablan’s secular life was greatly influenced by his military background and then his spiritual life became his purpose and highlight.

In 1990 at Acts Tabernacle in Quezon City, Philippines he was baptized in Jesus Name under the ministry of Pastor Pestaño and was filled with the Holy Ghost in 1991 at South Bay United Pentecostal Church in the city of Chula Vista, California, under Pastor Art. Hodges III.

Bro. Sablan enjoyed playing the piano, sharing God’s love with others, and loved to worship the Lord in dance! He was a faithful member of South Bay United Pentecostal Church for about 30 years and whole-heartedly served in various ministries.

He celebrated his 90th birthday on October 17, 2021 and not many days after, he passed peacefully on November 18, 2021. He is survived by his wife, Linda, his three children, Dennis, Dino and Debbie, his daughter-in-law Len, his son-in-law Nonoy, his seven grandchildren, his brother and best friend Simon, and all of his nephews and nieces.

Mert lived a long and abundant life in Christ and left an unforgettable impact in the lives of his wife, children, relatives, friends and church family.

He will be greatly missed!



Events


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Visitation

 **Friday**, December 17, 2021

 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM PT


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



FUNERAL SERVICE

 **Friday**, December 17, 2021

 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM PT


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Interment with Honors


 **Monday**, December 20, 2021


 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PT

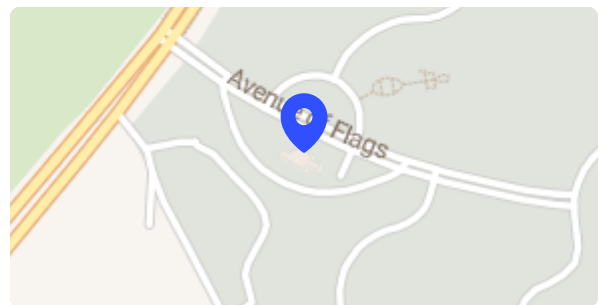
 **Miramar National Cemetery**
5795 Nobel Drive, San Diego CA 92121



Cemetery Details

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 **858-658-7360**





Tribute Wall

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Mary Morley posted:

We remember a wonderful worshipping person when he visited Spirit and Truth service. Our saddened hearts are with you at this time. Love Sis Kelly and Sis Mary.

December 17 at 4:07 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Sablan family.



December 16 at 12:26 PM



Geyers, Sr posted:

Can't think of any time when bro. Sablan didn't have a smile and a cheerful word to say. His smile, his love of God, and his unique dance before the Lord will surely be missed. Heaven, now, is graced with all these gifts.

December 15 at 9:12 AM



George Nobbs posted:

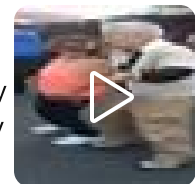
Bro Sablan was an inspiration to our entire congregation with hiis woship to the Lord, and demonstration in the dance. His love for Sis Erlinda and tender care for her was so exemplary. Special to me was his care for Son Dino, who inherited his care-giver spirit. I will miss him so much. Our hearts go out to all the family. We will love you all forever. When such memories are created, one is never gone. ~The Nobbs Family~

December 14 at 6:44 AM



Sharyn Sablan Miron shared a video to the **Tribute Wall** album.

This is my most fondest memory of Uncle Tek spontaneously breaking out from family while on our way to car to leave, and he started dancing to the live band playing at my church festival! This was in 2019.



December 9 at 9:06 AM



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RS

Ruthann Guidry Smith posted:

Condolences to the family, our prayers are with you during this time of sorrow. The Smiths (Jc, RuthAnn)

December 8 at 4:26 AM

JB

Joy Sablan Bernardo posted:

I will hold a lot of memories of Uncle Tek in my heart. He's not only an uncle to me but as my second dad as well. I felt his love and concern to me when I was in a health crisis in 2020.

December 8 at 4:18 AM

SM

Sharyn Sablan Miron lit a candle in honor of Mamerto.

I remember Uncle Tek as always smiling. He was also very appreciative to our family whenever we would visit him. One of my fondest memories is seeing Uncle Tek dance by himself while a live band was playing at our church in 2019. He was in his "zone" and everyone who saw him loved it! Another memory is the visitations to my beloved moms nursing home from 2001-2003 a uncle a Tek and his wife auntie linda and son Dino would sing to the residents and read scripture and pray . I am forever grateful for their ministry. Rest In Peace, Uncle Tek and pray for us all on earth!



December 7 at 7:08 PM

AC

Ayrin Sayson Carlos posted:

I will always remember uncle Tek's warmth and he always sits me on his lap whenever we visited him and auntie Linda in Project 3, Q.C. when I was young and not to forget on how he speaks to me in pure kapampangan.I will always remember his kindness and smile .Good night and see you in the blessed morning until Jesus comes.Love, Ayrin Sayson Carlos

December 7 at 3:06 PM



Media

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December 9 at 9:06 AM





Memories only last if you share them

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



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