



# Raymond Arthur Neal III

AUG 27, 1965 - JUL 27, 2023



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**R**aymond Arthur Neal III, born in El Cajon California on August 27, 1965, to parents Raymond Arthur Neal II and LaRee Neal entered into rest on July 27, 2023, in San Diego, California. A true native of San Diego County for 57 years. He was the last of 4 children. He attended Granite Hills High School. He lived in El Cajon most of his life. He married Ethel Neal on September 1, 1995. She predeceased him January 17, 2019. Raymond Arthur, a real loving, compassionate, patient, strong man. He lived his life with integrity. He loved working on cars and listening to his favorite band, Metalica. He became a father to 3 boys: Jacob, Kyle and Tyler. Raymond Arthur was also honored to share his life with his 8 grandchildren: Jadyn, Aaron, Audrie, Kinsley, Allison, Victoria, Tyler Joseph Jr., and Kelsey. He is also survived by his sisters: Anne Micalizzi Neal, Barbara Burkett and Renee Neal. Raymond Arthur will be greatly missed yet not forgotten. May he rest in eternal peace.




# Events


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## Memorial Service


 **Sunday**, August 27, 2023


 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM PT


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

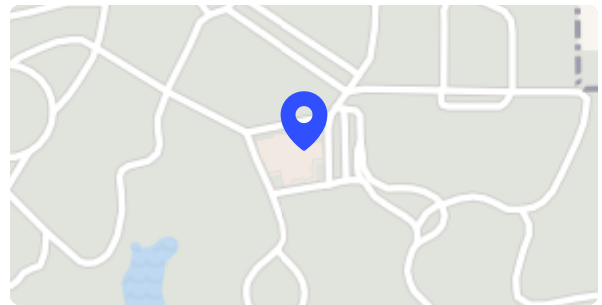


## Reception

 **Sunday**, August 27, 2023

 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM PT

 **Greenwood Mortuary - Garden Chapel  
Courtyard**  
4300 Imperial Ave., San Diego CA 92113





# Tribute Wall

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**Tiffiney Moxley** posted:

I wish you were here. I love you Ray!

July 31 at 5:19 PM



**Tiffiney Moxley** posted:

I love you forever Raymond!!!!!!

May 21 at 3:40 PM



**Tiffiney Moxley** posted:

Raymond, I'm missing you so much lately!!!! I would do anything to talk to you. Baby, I still love you very much. I hope you have been helping Jay out up there in heaven. My world is so sad without the two of you. One good thing is that Jake is living with me now. I never thought that would happen again and I'm very grateful for that. I love you forever and always!!! -Tiffiney Rae

May 21 at 3:39 PM



**Tiffiney Moxley** lit a candle in honor of Raymond.



December 7 at 4:46 AM



**Tiffiney Moxley** December 7 at 4:46 AM

I love you!!!



**Renee Neal** posted:

Thank you little Brother for all the love you gave me!!!! You are an awesome Brother! Life just isn't the same without you! Sending my love to Heaven for you. I carry that love with me forever! I miss you everyday second, every minute of everyday!Your loving Sister (Nae)

April 3 at 6:05 AM



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**Tiffiney Moxley** posted:

Happy Easter Ray! I love you !!!

March 31 at 6:27 PM



**Tiffiney Rae** posted:

Ray, I just want you to know how much I love and care for you.....I really hope you are with your loving wife and family and that they are making sure you are OK. I still can't believe this has happened and we'll, just everything. I'm so sorry for all of my poor behavior. So sorry! If you are watching, please see how this, your death, has devastated me. I honestly wish we would have gotten married. I wish we would have had more time MY RAY. Your family asked me to stay away and I have. Out of respect to you.....I just quietly disappeared but baby I'm still here. Wishing we could be together just one last time. Shoot. I will never forget us. Nothing could ever compare. You were such a wonderful man. I'm so grateful for the time and love we shared together. Take good care my man. No more pain or fear... or disappointment. I love you forever Ray. Thank you for teaching me so many things. I love you!!!-Your girl--- Tiffiney Rae

February 6 at 6:34 PM



**Tiffiney Rae** lit a candle in honor of Raymond.



February 6 at 6:19 PM



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RN

**Renee Neal** posted:

Oh little Brother it's been 193 days since you and a 193 days of missing you I had to write something about you but I think I just didn't want to accept the fact you are gone. I realize now that you have all the qualities of a man I've been looking for my whole life but I d I didn't need one cause I had you. You were strong and brave, you had charisma. Everyone was drawn to that innocent love. Maybe because you were my little Brother but I saw the child in you. Our whole life we were stuck like glue. If you saw Raymond I was right beside you. A friend said you were so damn cute. You were so handsome but it was your big heart you just loved people and always willing to help. You were so intelligent I learned so much from you. I am so lost without you. I loved looking out for you making toll house cookies. You were a genius you actually made me a vacuum with things you had in the garage because you couldn't watch your pregnant sister sweeping the carpet. To give just one memory of your wouldn't give the other million justice. It's taken me 193 days to be brave enough to tell the world what a jewel you are. I can't hold back my tears there will never be anyone in this world that will come close to our love. You were my protector and I was yours. Nae is what you called me when you were learning to talk and it stayed with us. I'm sorry about our childhood but as long as we had each other there wasn't a mountain we couldn't climb. And it seemed like you were always climbing. I always wanted you to experience life when you didn't have to climb and Damn it my heart worked hard. You were almost there. You fought adversities and the hour before you passed my final act of love was happening unbeknownst to me you were taken your last breath as I was trying to tell you The news we had been waiting for my act of love looking out for my little Brother. They were serving the complaint for the half a million dollar lawsuit for the injustice of one man's cruel treatment taking everything you worked so hard for. I was your big sister and I wasn't going to let anyone try to take what you built away from you. Damn it that half a million dollar lawsuit died with you. My final act of love over a hundred hours my heart poured into it because nobody was going to mess with you not while I have a breath and nobody and nothing ever stopped me from loving you. Anne and Barbara shared some beautiful funny about you. My heart is broken through I always thought we would go together and apart of me said you forgot to take me with you. But I have a life and Beautiful Children and one of the best days of my life my first Granddaughter was born but just a week later was one of the hardest days of my life . I had a beautiful Granddaughter and a week later I lost you. But I remember 2 things that I can sat about that. As I watch your tired body try to rest I could see your body was exhausted but that wasn't going to stop you from looking out for the things you loved more than life your 3 sons. But I remember the last time you spent the night with me and the I had for you I asked God to let you get some rest so that darn prayer was answered I just wasn't ready for you to go. I remember on mom's birthday you said I hope I can go like mom. You said God loved her so much he just took her quickly because he loved her so much she didn't have to suffer and went out strong because she was an angel. Yes and it is true about you God knew your heart and he too just lifted you up to Heaven strong and brave no pain no suffering because like Mom he loved you so much. I felt like I was in a near fatal accident and had to learn to walk again because life as I knew it changed forever. I know you are there waiting for me Mom, Dad , you and my Beautiful Son Cory will be there and Ethel and we will all be there no pain no mountains to climb . You fought right up to the end . Most people just don't have the love and compassion to overcome adversities

August 15 at 3:36 PM



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**Chad** posted:

Raymond you taught me many things about life but most importantly you taught me how to man up. My memories of you wrenching on engines with Metallica blasting in the background is something that I still enjoy to this day. You were such an influence on my youthful years and I'll never forget you uncle Raymond, may you find peace in paradise and watch over us all until we meet again one day. I love you uncle.

September 13 at 3:09 PM



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AM

**Anne Micalizzi** posted:

Dear Raymond my little brother, your big sister Anne. I love you and miss you so much. I have many wonderful memories of you and me. You loved us all so much. You lived life your way. You were loving, caring, strong, smart, and mostly funny. You loved company you liked to tell us about things how they worked. My brother was a friend, a protector, a fix it man for all kinds of things. I was proud to tell others you are my brother. As children we spent a lot of time together. This one memory I have was I decided to make some cookies for us we had very little ingredients but made them best I could. Those cookies would not come off the tray and here's my brother running all around the house with the cookie tray upside down. You took myself on a motorcycle ride WOW!!! What a ride laying it down around the corners. You loved to drive you drove us 80 miles an hour in your Chevy wind blowing in our faces listening to music all the while talking to me about them. You worked on my cars brakes electrical, I am so glad my mother met my dad Ray Neal Jr, and made us a WONDERFUL brother. I will forever miss you. I am so blessed to be your big sister. I pray for you. I know you are at peace. You are with loved ones Mom, Dad Ethel, Cory. You loved your boys so much and grandkids. LOVE YOU MY BROTHER RAYMOND, YOUR SISTER ANNE.

August 26 at 4:21 PM

DB

**Dylan Bennett** August 27 at 3:42 AM

Uncle Raymond, when I was growing up, coming to your house on Palm Street was my favorite thing to do. I still remember the day I first met my cousins, Jake, Kyle, and Tyler. Coming over to see them and Grandma gave me so many memories. I remember you telling me if there was anyone who was to hurt me or make me feel scared to let you know right away. You were an intimidating man to those who knew you but to those who didn't you were a very generous and charismatic person. You were our family's protector and I will never forget that. Later in life you became more than just my uncle but a dear friend. I remember I first saw just how great of a mechanic you were when you took out my radiator and water pump out of my old Dodge Dakota, you knew exactly what to do and what tools you needed for the job. It was the beginning of you working on every car I had ever owned, you were my favorite mechanic and still are. I paid you what I could but I believe you mostly helped me because you liked doing the work and spending time with me. I often said you could be a comedian because you were so good at telling funny stories. I can't tell you how many times you made me laugh so hard I couldn't breathe. I love you Uncle Raymond, I'm sorry your time here was cut so short. I'll keep these memories alive and continue to teach others what you taught me.

DV

**Deborah Del Valle** lit a candle in honor of Raymond.

August 26 at 1:33 PM





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**Tiffanee** lit a candle in honor of Raymond.

Uncle Raymond, Words can't express the pain and sadness that not only how I feel but our entire family feels right now. You are the most wonderful great personality uncle I've ever known and I was/ am so blessed to have you as my uncle. You can make anybody who's having a bad day do a complete 180 with just your smile. You had a way of making people laugh and feel better. You were a protective uncle when we needed to be protected and your the sweet caring Uncle when we just needed to laugh or feel better. You were So amazing at working on cars you reminded me so much of Grandpa. Every time I saw you you'd always say hi Tiffy with smile on your face and you would make my heart feel so good. I remember when I was a little girl you had a motorcycle and I remember I got so jealous because you took all the boys for ride on your bike but you wouldn't take me ,not knowing then that the reason why you didn't take me was because I was just a little girl and you wanted to protect me and you didn't want me to get hurt. I didn't realize I was different because I played with all the boys so I figured I was just like them but you knew little girls needed a little more protection. My heart is so sad but at the same time rejoiceful which is the most confusing feeling in the world I'm sad because I miss you but I am happy because you're in heaven now with Grandma, Grandpa, Cory and Aunt Ethel. Until we meet again happy trails I love you Uncle Raymond Love your niece, Tiffy



August 15 at 3:36 PM



**Jim Plageman** posted:

He was a great friend to everybody and loved by all I miss you dearly dawg I know your with your lovely wife and that is a blessing I know your grateful for I'm grateful for everything you ever did and I'm honored to call you my friend I'll never forget the day you started that car that everyone said would never run again so dome a favor tell Tom I told you so I love you dawg you was a great father and your boys are proud of you I'm proud of you dawg rest in peace my friend

August 25 at 7:54 PM



**Jo C.** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Raymond.



August 25 at 11:34 AM



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TI

**Tiffanee** lit a candle in honor of Raymond.

Raymond, You are my little brother first, then my brother and friend. When you were little you slept in my room a lot. You asked me all the time if you could sleep in my room, I had twin beds in my room You slept in one, me in the other, but every morning when I woke up you were in the bed with me. You were the cutest little boy, I remember when you were two years old and you found a penny, mom thought you were taking a nap but instead with just your diaper on you walked a mile to the P&A store to get a gumball out of the gumball machine, luckily a neighbor recognized you and brought you home. Then two years old again mom thought you were taking a nap, she was just feet from you talking on the phone and when she hung up and turned around you had taken the dining room table completely apart, another time you're supposed to be sleeping ..now you are three years old, you got into the garage and took the carburetor out of dad's motorcycle. Then time went by you had your injuries and surgeries and hospital stays all of us then began to spoil you. You grew into a typical little boy and it wasn't until you were just about a young man that you had us on high alert, like the time I believe you were eleven and I was at the dining table you picked me up in the chair and ran around the house with me screaming my head off, or the time I was watching you make brownies and you said that I was watching you and to stop it and you pretended to throw a beater at me and the brownie mix hit me in the eye we both froze until I realized I could see and we both laughed. And the time you were twelve I came out to my car to go to work and you had picked up my car and put it on the sidewalk and you hid behind the bush laughing, And the time I took you and your friend Andy to Jack in The box, it was rumored at that time that they were using horse meat. I told you that as I drove through the drive-thru for you to roll your window down and order what you wanted and you asked for a HeeHee Burger Then you became my big brother, my protector, bug killer ,check the closet, turn the lights on in the dark rooms, and fix things that broke. You knew how to fix so many things like Dad did, then we lost dad and you stepped right in, and you fixed things for us then you fixed things for our kids. I love you and I always will. I will miss you to my very last day. I know we shall see each other again one day because the lord loves you more and took you home where you are safe and loved. I hope you all you feel is Love from the Lord God our Father, Mom and Dad, and us. Until we meet again my brother I will keep loving you. your sister, Barbara

August 15 at 3:36 PM



TI

**Tiffanee** lit a candle in honor of Raymond.

August 15 at 3:36 PM





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