



Daniel Jackson

July 25, 1934 - May 25, 2017

Daniel Jackson passed away on May 25, 2017 at the age of 82 in Modesto, CA.

Daniel was born in Odem, Texas on July 25, 1934 to Jesus Jackson and Agapita Cervantez. Raised in San Antonio, Texas, he moved to California when he was 11 years old.

Daniel was the epitome of a selfless, hardworking American man. In his 20's, he joined the U.S. Army. After serving his country faithfully, he worked as a Fremont police officer for almost a year until settling in as a Fremont Fireman for about 16 years. Before his retirement, Daniel worked for the City of Manteca.

Daniel loved the Lord deeply and would spend hours with Jesus in his prayer chair. He devotedly attended Crossroads Church in Turlock, CA for many years and was a member of the Turlock Sunshine Strummers.

Among his favorite hobbies, Daniel loved to sing and play the ukulele, especially in the mornings after a well-rested night. He also enjoyed going on Princess Cruises with his son.

Daniel is preceded in death by his wife, Gladine Brereton Jackson, who passed in 2010; his son, Zachary Jackson; his step-son, Bill Brereton; his parents and his brothers, Fidel Jackson and David Jackson.

He is survived by his son, Gregory Jackson of Turlock, CA; his daughter, Roxanne Jackson of New York; his two sisters, Lydia Solla and Annie Roman; his brother, Robert Jackson; and many nieces, nephews, and grandchildren.

He is also survived by his three step-children, Alyn Brereton, Ted Brereton and John Brereton.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, July 8 at Turlock Funeral Home, 425 N. Soderquist Rd., Turlock.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Crossroads Church, 1360 N. Johnson Rd., Turlock, CA 95380.

Cemetery Details

Turlock Memorial Park

575 N. Soderquist Rd.
Turlock, CA 95380
(209) 632-9111
<http://turlockmemorialpark.com>

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 8. 2:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
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Tribute Wall



“ *Daniel Jackson*

January 28, 2023 at 09:01 AM



“ *Dear Dad, on this Christmas day, 12/25/18, I know you are doing well in heaven. What a blessing you are receiving to be in the direct presence of Jesus Christ as you celebrate His birthday today. There isn't a day that goes by that my heart doesn't miss you. I rejoice in that day when you and I will be reunited together in heaven and we can worship and praise the Savior together at His feet. I love you Dad.*

Gregory Jackson - December 25, 2018 at 03:14 PM

GJ

“ Dear Dad,

It's been one year since you went to be with the Lord. I know you are doing well in your house in heaven. My heart misses you so much Dad and can't wait to see you again someday. I went to AJ's today and wish you could have joined me for corn bread and clam chowder, but I know the food in heaven is so much better than the food here.

My dearest Dad, my heart will grieve and ache the rest of my life until I'm reunited with you in heaven, but at the same time I take comfort in the fact that you are doing pretty good in heaven and I know that Jesus Christ is taking good care of you.

Take care dad. Tell God I said hi.

I love you.

Greg

Gregory Jackson - May 25, 2018 at 02:52 PM

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“ *Becky Jackson (Daniels Neice) lit a candle in memory of Daniel Jackson*



Becky jackson (daniels neice) - June 27, 2017 at 11:15 PM

DK

“ Dear Dan,

Throughout the many years that you were my neighbor I always felt I could share anything with you. You were a wonderful Christian man and like an uncle to me with a heart as big as the world. You had a special way of making me feel good about who I am, and like Christ you loved your neighbor as you loved yourself. I always admired your talent of playing the ukulele and singing, all the wonderful songs that came from your heart. You're the best friend and neighbor a person could pray and hope for.

I was double blessed when your son Greg moved in with you. He never hesitated to pray for me and my family. You were a great father figure to him and a wonderful hero to look up to. I am truly blessed to have had you in my life Dan. I will miss you and never forget your wonderful smile and laugh that was contagious.

I'm sure you're playing a harp shape ukulele for the king of kings and the Lord of lords, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, forever and ever. I can't wait to see you in your glorified body at the feet of our Lord where I soon hope to be.

*Your brother in Christ,
David*

DK - June 27, 2017 at 08:19 PM

GJ

“ Dear Dad:

*There isn't a day that goes by that my heart weeps and aches for you. The ache is deep. I miss you so much. Most of all, I will miss all of the times that you gave me a hug and told me that you love me.--
- This was often. I will miss seeing you minister God's love to people you didn't know . . . you were just being you. I will miss seeing you interact, with a happy heart, with young children and babies all of the time. I was (and still am) the "timid one" at times; but you weren't afraid to love people, including those you didn't know, and this I will miss. You were such a good example to me of a dad who loves the Lord and cares for people, it just comes naturally to you. You were and STILL are a man after God's heart.*

Dad, I wish I could share one more day with you on earth, but I know I will see you again someday. I'm glad you are with the Lord Jesus Christ in heaven in full health without any aches and pains. I can't imagine how beautiful your heavenly home is. Tell Jesus I said hi. I love you Dad. You are my hero, my buddy, and best friend.

Love,

Greg

Gregory Jackson - June 27, 2017 at 05:32 PM