



Chester Lionel Kehaulani Miner Hoapili Sr.

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Celebrating the Life of Chester Lionel Kehaulani Miner Hoapili Sr.

Born August 7, 1946 in Honolulu, Hawaii. Raised in Kalihi where he attended Farrington High School and graduated with the class of 1964. He was a jack of all trades as he was experienced and knowledgeable in just about anything.

As one of Jehovah's Witnesses, Chester believed that the Bible shares a hope of pain, suffering and death coming to an end as brought out in one of his of his favorite scriptures of revelations 21:4.

Besides his warm smile and big hug, Chester was known for having a big heart. He was one who not only spoke of love ad family, but truly manifested it in his dealings with everyone he met.

Chester saw his children as his proudest and greatest accomplishment. The birth of each of his grandchildren are also special moments in his life. His love for his family was beyond measure. In fact, when asked by his grandchildren as to how much he loved them, he often replied with "Taller than two telephone poles meaning alot!"

Chester is survived by his mother, Marietta Kawa who is at her prime at 101 years old; he is also survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Frances Hoapili; sons, Lionel (Samantha), Richard (Marie) and Pomai Hoapili; daughter, Danal (Edgar) Kapu; grandchildren, Elijah, Madisosn, Ke'Alaula and Welaeluli; brothers, Richard Luke, John, Essy, Joseph and Sam; sisters, Marietta Langes, Stephanie Miner, Louise Auwae, Annette Naba and Faith Miner. As well as his many nieces, nephews and 'Ohana.



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Young Ohana posted:

It was always a great encouragement to see Chester mostly at gatherings or at special assemblies & meetings learning bible truths. His warm smile, laughter & especially his demeanor full of Aloha, always made my husband & myself feel happy inside 😊. Most cherished time was in the ICU where both our husbands stayed. It was such a sense of comfort for our ohana knowing you were also there♥. Again Chester was a great encouragement despite his health problems. We had a special kanakapila session one evening & shared song, laughter, & talked story 😊🎵. We will have more times like these as we continue to stretch forward to the things ahead, getting a firm hold on the "real life"! We don't give up! Aloha 'oukou a malama pono!♥😊

July 19 at 2:10 AM



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