



## Tiasamoa Samuel Setoki Wesley

November 5, 1943 - May 8, 2021

Tiasamoa Samuel Setoki Wesley, a Father, Grandfather, great grandfather, a brother, an uncle and a resident of West Valley, UT passed away peacefully on Saturday, May 8th 2021 surrounded by his family.

Tiasamoa is survived by his wife Vaeauote Wesley, his children, Conrad (Mary Kay) Setoki, Donald Setoki, Kijiana (Travis) Storey, Nephi (Roberta) Setoki and Pearl (James) Doe. His step children, Lucky (Margaret) Lualemaga and Bruce (Daisy) Lualemaga along with 32 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his late wife, Maria Amouta Wesley, his parents, Setoki & Maraea Wesley and his sister Matilda Moe.

Tiasamoa was born in Suva, Fiji on November 5th 1943 to Setoki Tausia Sokmani & Maraea Irava Tukilangi. He is the oldest boy and the second oldest of 12 siblings. As a youth, he lived in Fiji where he was the valedictorian of his high school class and had the highest test score out of all the school's in Fiji. He had scholarships and He wanted to be a doctor but opted to forgo that dream to stay and work to help his father in supporting their family. He was instrumental in helping his siblings further their education overseas. Tiasamoa received his Bachelor's Degree in Political Science from BYU Hawaii in 1993. He married the love of his life Malia Vaeafe Amouta in 1965, and together they raised 5 children. They were later sealed in the Hamilton New Zealand temple in 1976. Malia passed away on January 23rd 1998. On September 11th 1999,

Tiasamoa married Vaeauote Luanu'u Muliaumaseali'i and have been residing in West Valley, Utah.

Tiasamoa devoted his life in serving those around him especially his family. As a result of his generous spirit and kind heart, he was loved and respected by many. He served as a Bishop, a counselor in the Bishopric, a member of the High Council, a home teacher, and a friend. He would give the shirt off his back to help someone in need without thinking twice. He loved his grandkids and was known by some of them as the one dollar grandpa because he would always give them a dollar bill every time he saw them. Tiasamoa loved music and was often seen playing the piano, ukulele, harmonica or guitar. He also loved singing and would do so in any family gathering. He spoke 5 different languages; Rotuman, English, Samoan, Hindi and Fijian fluently.

Funeral Services will be held at 10am, Saturday, May 15th 2021 at the Copper Hills 9th Stake Center, 6710 West 4145 South, West Valley City, Utah. Family service will be from 10:00-11:00,

Viewing from 11:00-11:45 and The Bishop's service at 12:00. Burial will be at The Eastlawn Memorial Hills Cemetery in Provo; 4800 North 650 East.

The Wesley Family will gladly receive friends and family on Thursday, May 13th and Friday, May 14th from 6:00-9:00pm at 1033 N 800 W, Orem. No Fa'a Samoa. Fa'amolemole Taofi Le Malo.

# Cemetery Details

## East Lawn Memorial Hills

4800 East Lawn Drive  
Provo, UT

# Previous Events

## Family Program

MAY 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Copper Hills 9th Stake Center  
6710 West 4145 South  
West Valley City, UT

## Viewing

MAY 15. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (MT)

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## Bishops Service

MAY 15. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (MT)

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6710 West 4145 South  
West Valley City, UT

## Graveside Service

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MAY 15. 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM (MT)

East Lawn Memorial Hills  
4800 East Lawn Drive  
Provo, UT

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tiasamoa Samuel Setoki Wesley*

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