



Morten Olaus Awes

December 2, 1943 - December 18, 2018

No obituary found for this tribute.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 10. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (PT)

Aztlan Mortuary
7856 La Mesa Blvd
La Mesa, CA 91942
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Graveside

JAN 11. 2:00 PM (PT)

MIRAMAR NATIONAL CEMETERY
5795 NOBEL DR
SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

Tribute Wall



“ *Morten Olaus Awes*

January 28, 2023 at 12:52 PM

“ I just found out about Tenny's passing today, 03 February 2019.

A special bond existed between us as children. Our mothers were in the hospital together, and I preceded his birth by three days. Our houses were a block apart, which changed in 1949 when we moved next door to them. We were playmates, then school mates. And, as kids, we got in trouble together, learned together, explored the neighborhood together, and somehow survived. His father was a grocery store owner; mine was a postman. He developed a broader circle of friends than me; I was introverted and not athletic.

He graduated from Point Loma High School in 1962, a year behind me. I pursued a course in electronics. Tenny's was architecture, schooling at Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, and we seldom saw each other thereafter except on those rare occasions when my Navy ship was in port and I was visiting my mother. He inherited the house after his parents had passed, as did I. Yet we always remembered the annual phone call, and my last one to him was on his birthday, December 2, 2018.

His passing, announced in the PLHS Alumni bulletin, came as a shock. When I had spoken to him on his birthday, I heard the same familiar voice, the same evangelical zeal that I share, the same jocularly I had expected. My family either knew him or knew of him.

We know that there are many of us who were left behind: his family, his friends, his colleagues and parishioners. Fortunately for those of us steeped in faith, we know he has graduated to eternal life, and we will know him again some day. Despite the void of his absence, he will always be in our hearts, a reminder of the beautiful person who shared his life with us. For deep inside we always have a sample of everyone who has come into our life, and Tenny was there for many years of upbringing.

Especially for Bonnie, my deepest condolences. You were very special in his eyes and in his heart, and it showed. And to the rest of the Awes clan, know that we care.

Requiescat in Pace.

Bill Berry

AB

Bill Berry,,

Tom Burke here. I remember you well as living next door to him on the corner. I too called Tenny every birthday, also the last time in '18. I never knew that you did too. I thank you for what you did to remember our old friend.

A T Burke

A T Burke - September 11, 2019 at 10:26 PM



Bill Berry, I just thought you'd like to know that Tenny mentioned you many times to me. He had great admiration for you, and always had a story about you, which was very complimentary. He could tell a story better than just about anyone. I miss him a lot.

Tom Bailey

Tom Bailey - September 21, 2020 at 06:00 AM

MW

“ *There is so much to be admired and respected about Dear Tenny. His infectious smile, kind nature, loving heart, intelligentsia, and the love of the Lord an seeking out his word. There is more to this man. I am blessed to have known him. We are all better for knowing him.*

God bless the Awes family. You will remain in our prayers..

Marsha Wright

Marsha Wright - January 12, 2019 at 03:15 PM

TC

“ *Tenny was a man you will always remember. His thirst for knowledge and love of the Lord was a gift. He was kind, always there to help, detailed in what he did and will be missed by so many. He made a difference.*

Love and prayers in Christ Jesus,

Trinity Baptist Church

Trinity Baptist Church - January 12, 2019 at 03:07 PM

LB

“ I can really never remember not knowing Tenny. He lived just around the corner from me and we often walked to Silvergate Elementary together. His humor, smile and upright posture made him a standout wherever he went and he will be dearly missed by all who knew him. I know there will be deep loneliness for you Bonnie now that Tenny has left your side but I am oh so very glad you "found" each other again and shared such a wonderful life together filled with giggles, happiness and support. Lee and I send our biggest hugs and tons of love to you, Bonnie, and your family and to Tenny's as well, especially Karen. The heavens will be brighter with a new shining star to guide his loved ones through their grief and on to happy memories of a fabulous man. With our sympathy, Lee and Kathy Brown

Lee and Kathy Brown - January 10, 2019 at 06:31 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Morten Olaus Awes.



January 10, 2019 at 04:22 PM

IF

“ Infor Cloverleaf Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Morten Olaus Awes.



Infor Cloverleaf Family - January 08, 2019 at 09:15 AM

BL

“ Tenny is one of the finest people I have ever been blessed to have in my life. Charlie and I have always cherished every moment with him and Bonnie, yet I had taken for granted that I'd have many more visits to look forward to here on this earth to enjoy his wisdom and his friendship and fellowship: he was brilliant, a thinker, an intellectual, he knew and loved the Bible, and he was a compassionate sweet gentleman who was so easy to be around. Thank you Tenny. We offer our condolences to Bonnie and the rest of his family and friends. Barbara and Charlie

Barbara and Charlie Laughery - January 07, 2019 at 01:33 PM