# Celebration of Life Perry Kurt Stribling

Sunrise May 8, 1961 BELOVED
Husband,
Son, Brother,
Uncle, Nephew,
Cousin, Friend

**Sunset June 15, 2019** 



**Friday, June 28, 2019** 11:00 am

**Thompson Funeral Home** 3601 - 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Sacramento, CA

# **Obituary**

Perry Kurt Stribling was born to Clyde, Jr. and Eddie Jean Stribling on May 8, 1961 in Sacramento, California. He was the second of four children. He is survived by his wife Cecilia Stribling, both parents, siblings, Sandra Harris and Richard and Leslie Stribling, nieces, Jessica Harris and Sienna Dancer, nephews, Jason Harris and Dominique and Donovan Sanders, as well as a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

Perry began his life growing up in Courtland, near the river, where he played in the pear orchards and relished in the joys of childhood. His family moved to Sacramento which became his lifelong home that provided opportunities to flourish and develop his most precious relationships.

While attending Luther Burbank High School, Perry met and later married his high school sweetheart, Cecilia. They shared a life together for 38 years. In 1994, he joined Shiloh Baptist Church and became an usher and President of the Sacramento District Valley. His career was filled with working for the State of California, operating his business, Precision Wireless, and most recently wireless contract work; contributing over 30 years of exemplary knowledge and expertise to the technology industry.

Perry was a distinguished gentleman who lived with class and personified a quiet, strong, and refined presence. His ability to think deeply, pursue and achieve dreams, and desire to have a good time led to a life well-lived. His hosting of Kentucky Derby days, penchant for sharp ties and shoes, contribution of cream pies to family gatherings, distinctive smile and chuckle, and witty banter during NBA Finals' games will be forever missed.

Perry, it has been an honor, privilege, and pleasure to be part of your life.

Forever in our hearts

# The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven Hallowed be thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory. For ever and ever. Amen.



## **Brother**

## In Life and Love, Perry was a Brother to Many...

You gave no one a last farewell, Nor ever said good-bye. You were gone before we knew it, and only God knows why. A million times we will miss you. A million times we will cry. If love alone could have saved you, You never would have died. In life we loved you dearly. In death we love you still. In our hearts you hold a place, no one else can fill. It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone, for part of us went with you, the day God took you home We will meet again someday I know in a better place. I thank God He made you our brother

While you were here on earth.

# **Pallbearers**

Richard Stribling David Clark

Fred Harris Brent Lamont Clark, Jr.

Jason Harris Darren Mitchell

# **Honorary Pallbearers**

Harold Boyd Marvin Boyd
Billy Boyd Mack Clark, Sr.

# Acknowledgements

The family of Perry K. Stribling, wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for your flowers, visits, calls, cards, prayers, and every thought and act of kindness shown during the loss of their loved one.

May God continue to bless each and every one of you with the knowledge and wisdom to recognize the vision and path He has prepared for your life, and the lives of those you cherish.

## **Celebration of Life**

# Processional Rise Up

**Opening Prayer** 

Pastor Larry D. Weaver, Sr.

**Spiritual Medley** 

Billy Boyd

Acknowledgements

**Trayce Gilkey** 

**Obituary** 

**Karla Browning** 

**Expressions** 

Limit remarks to 2 minutes

**Walk Around Heaven** 

**Beverly Office** 

**Eulogy** 

Pastor Larry D. Weaver, Sr.

**Brother Poem** 

Leslie Moore

#### Recessional

It's So Hard to Say Goodbye

#### Interment

Odd Fellows Lawn Cemetery and Mausoleum 2720 Riverside Boulevard, Sacramento, CA

#### The Lord's Prayer

Pastor Larry D. Weaver, Sr.

### **Repast**

Harris Family 8164 Cottonmill Circle, Sacramento, CA