



# David Emil Hau'oli Kalama

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## D avid Kalama Obituary David Haw'n Kalama

David Emil Hau'oli Kalama, 73, of Rome, Italy, formerly of Haleiwa, Oahu, passed away suddenly on July 17, 2020 in Haleiwa. He was born on May 10, 1948 in Honolulu.

He was a member of the Haleiwa Evangelical Mission International, and was the IAFB European Ministries Director. He also did missionary work in Mexico through a surfing ministry and worked with churches in the Phiippines, some established earlier by his dad, Rev David M. Kalama.

David retired from the Marine Corps and was a decorated Vietnam veteran. He volunteered for and worked with Vietnam veterans. He also worked at the Kahala Hilton and laer at the Haleiwa Surf Center at Alii Beach Park.

As an avid surfer, David was known on the North Shore as Hawaiian (Haw'n). He assisted many yound people through out his years on "the beach".

David was preceded in death by his birth parents Joseph N Kahapea, Sr and Rebecca Panee Low; his adopted parents Rev David and Violet Kalama; sisters Luana Codero, Jonette Keliholokai and Memory Cummings; brothers Joseph Pake Kahapea and Bernard G. Kahapea.

He is survived by his wife Olive Hortizuela Omaoeng Kalama of Rome, Italy; sisters Shirley Shimaoka of Oahu, Rebecca Clifford of California, Carlete Gonzales of Kauai; brothers Ernest Kahapea of California, Matthew Kahapea of Oahu, Jaseph N. Kahapea, Jr. of California, Peter Kahapea and Nathan Kalama of Kauai and Stacy Kahapea of Washington; and numerous nieces and nephews.



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Private burial services will be at Schofield Barracks Post Cemetery on September 10, 2020 due to the pandemic. Mililani Memorial Mortuary is assisting with arrangements. Donations in David's (Haw'n's) mamory can be sent c/o Haleiwa Evangelical Mission International, P.O.Box1218, Haleiwa, HI, 96712.

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## Tribute Wall

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SU

**Scott Uyeoka** posted:

Aloha oe' and Semper Fi Gunny. I am saddened to hear about your passing.

July 28 at 4:36 AM

NN

**Neil Nepote** posted:

For some reason I was thinking of your today and the last time I saw you in front of the Surf Center in Haleiwa, when we said Aloha to each other. Knew you back around 1970, then surfing with you at Haleiwa. I was so sorry to hear of your passing. RIP Hawaiian.

July 25 at 4:04 AM

RS

**Roseanna Griffin/ Singleton** posted:

I was friends with David Kalama, in La Puente Ca. in 1963 and 1964. We attended the La Puente Foursquare Church, which is the community and church that I grew up in. We were members of the church youth group and also members of the church choir. There were many high school kids that we all socialized with and enjoyed life long friendships with. There were many camping trips and social events our circle of friends enjoyed. David was admired by all at our church and the parents and pastors held him in high regard because he was passionate about his relationship with God. David became a U.S. Marine and moved away after graduation. I married a mutual friend of ours from church and moved. In the year of 2000 I worked in a doctors office in Santa Ana Ca. and crossed paths with David's brother and his wife as patients. And they put David and I in touch with one another and was invited to Hawaii to visit David and his family and his church. We were both stunned and excited to see one another once again so many years later. I was a grandma by then and a widow. It was a real treat of a lifetime to have seen my precious friend and his spiritual devotion. Once again and know how faithful that God had been to us both. Blessings to know of your continued service to God.

March 6 at 2:38 PM

KM

**Kathy Medeiros** posted:

Forever in my heart 🙏, Much LOVE to the family and many friends of David Hyn Kalama 🙏

September 2 at 3:00 AM



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Join us in honoring David by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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