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CSM Francis Aquinaldo, (U.S. ARMY, Ret.), 93 years young and a 55+ year resident of Leesville, LA was reassigned on October 15, 2018 to report for his final Tour of Duty in Heaven. He had a peaceful passing in Hollister, CA. Francis, was born September 16, 1925 in Laoag, Ilocus Norte, Philippine Islands. At a very young age, his family relocated to Hilo, Hawaii where he spent his formative years with his parents, brothers and sisters. In April 1945 he married the love of his life, Mary. Together they led an amazing life and raised two wonderful boys, Glenn James and Wayne, traveled throughout the world while Francis, with great pride and honor, served his country. Francis served with distinction for our country in the Korean and Vietnam wars. Over the course of his illustrious military career he was highly decorated and received many commendations and medals. True to his humble upbringing and disposition, he never spoke of his many commendations or the many ways in which he served his country until his final months of life. In 1975, Francis retired after 32 years of distinguished service. He will be remembered for many years to come for his patriotism and his love for his wife and his Ohana.

Francis was preceded in death by his parents Teodoro Sr and Agatona (Miquel) Villanueva, his younger brothers and sisters, Victoria Villanueva Abasial, Leoncio “Toy” Villanueva, Calvin “Muso” Villanueva, and his youngest son, Wayne Aquinaldo.

He leaves behind his loving and devoted wife of 73 years, Mary Blaquera Aquinaldo; son and daughter-in-law Glenn J. and Karen Aquinaldo of Salinas, California; and daughter-in-law, Peggy Aquinaldo of Savannah, Texas. He is also survived by his brothers, Teodoro “Ted” and his wife, Lee Villanueva of Lakewood, WA; Benjamin “Ben” and his wife, Michiko Villanueva of Victorville, CA; and his sisters, Pacita Villanueva Oasay of South San Francisco, CA; Norma “Hachi” and her husband Peter Hacsí, Kula Maui, HI. Francis is also survived by numerous loving and caring nieces, nephews, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren.



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A memorial service will be held on Saturday, December 1, 2018 at 1:00 P.M. in the Labby Memorial Funeral Home in Leesville, LA. At Francis' request a celebration of his life and scattering of ashes in Hilo, Hawaii will be held at a date to be determined later. The family also wishes to personal and heartfelt "Mahalo" to Jerry and Felicidad Kankelborg of Clearview Care Home, along with their care staff, and Bridge Hospice, for the care, kindness and service provided to Francis in his final weeks of life. We are eternally grateful.

Aloha | [ə 'lō ,hä]) – is a word commonly used to say hello, goodbye, and I love you. It is also used to convey love, affection, peace, sympathy, pity, kindness, mercy, and compassion. So, in the Spirit of Aloha, the family invites friends and family who knew, loved, and respected Francis to please, pause a moment today to share a photo, story or anecdote in his honor on this website.



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Anonymous posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss. As you remember your love one, may your treasured memories and Almighty God bring peace and comfort to your broken hearts. (Psalm 147:3)

December 10 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Psalm 90:10 says that the days of our years are 70 years, And if because of special mightiness they are 80 years. May the memories of the wonderful times you shared together bring a smile and joy in your heart.

December 3 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

To the family, so very sorry for your loss, your precious family will remain in our prayers. As you take each day one step at a time and hold on to the loving memories of your loved one, may God grant you strength to see each day through. 1 Corinthians 4:7

December 2 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

You are not alone during this time of sorrow and pain. May God give your family strength and comfort to help you endure this loss. As you remember your beloved one, may the God of peace give you comfort and peace in every way. May you find strength from the love and care that surrounds you and comfort in the memories that you shared. Please accept my sincere condolences. 2 Thessalonians 2:16,17.

November 30 at 7:00 PM



Jamie posted:

My condolences to his family and friends.

November 29 at 7:00 PM



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NH

Nan Hester posted:

I did not know him , just wanted to thank him for his service to our country. Aloha!

November 29 at 7:00 PM

LS

Leroy Sanders posted:

CSM Aquinaldo, Francis was one of a kind, a good man who knew his friends and always had a friendly greeting, he also was known for his jogging....the road runner,please accept my heart felt condolance, he will be missed by all who knew him...Aloha!

November 28 at 7:00 PM

RJ

Rose Mabini Jones posted:

Unknown to me, but known to Our Heavenly Father and those who cherish his memory. I am truly thankful for your service, Sir. God bless your memory and your family.

November 27 at 7:00 PM

WF

Williams Family posted:

SHARING YOUR LOSS

November 25 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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