



Joseph P. Medeiros Jr.

Born: February 22, 1923

Died: December 21, 1999

As For Us

*'Though most won't venture enough to meet,
As for us, we'd hug and kiss each time we'd greet,
A man who's smile and simple ways,
Turned hearts of stone to hearts of clay.*

*'Though many will never be blessed to see,
As for us, we'd commune with daily,
A soldier who's medals are worn within,
A servant sergeant in humble skin.*

*'Though some will never dream nor conceive,
As for us, we've seen and now believe,
A man of faith, there is none greater,
Who mirrored his life after his creator*

Written By: Ekolu Kalama(Grandson)

O B I T U A R I E S

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Joseph P. Medeiros Jr., 76, of Kilohana, Molokai, died Dec. 21 in Kaulakakai, Molokai. He is survived by wife Prisca B.; son Edwin; daughters Natalie Wilson, Paula Anderson, Tess Washington and Choppie Kalama; sisters Violet Tate and Hilda DeSilvas; brothers Clarence Medeiros and Micheal Madreau; 14 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren. Services: 9 a.m. Feb. 19 at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church in Kaluaaha, Molokai. Memorial services and burial: 10:30 a.m. Feb. 19 at the home of Edwin and Diane Medeiros at 5.5 miles east of Kamehameha 5 Highway. In lieu of flowers, donations suggested to the Father Damien building fund. Aloha attire.