



Lewis E. Lyman

May 9, 1907 - March 8, 2012

LYMAN, Lewis E.

1907-2012

On Thursday, March 8, 2012 Pastor Lewis E. Lyman passed away peacefully at Valle Verde Health Center in Santa Barbara. He was surrounded by many of his family. He was two months shy of his 105th birthday. In 2007 the SB News-Press featured Lewis on his 100th birthday as one of several centenarians living in Santa Barbara at that time.

Lewis was born in Stockton, CA on May 9, 1907 and married Vera Hollis in San Francisco on August 1, 1937. Lewis and Vera served as a pastoral team for the Seventh-Day Adventist church throughout the western states for over 55 years. Lewis continued to be a minister at heart until his death.

Lewis & Vera retired in Santa Barbara in 1972 and built, with their own hands, the house that Lewis continued to live in up until his hospitalization in June 2011. Vera, his beloved wife, passed away in November, 1992.

Lewis is survived by his son, Dr. George Lyman and his wife Cynthia of Santa Barbara, his daughter Nona Lyman Nordby and her husband George of Redmond, Washington, a granddaughter Ginger Lyman Thornburgh and her husband Peter of Santa Clarita, CA, three grandsons: Grant Lyman and his wife Dawn of Santa Barbara, Nicholas Nordby and wife Julia of Redmond, WA, and Marc Nordby and his wife Heidi of Pt. Orchard, WA. He also loved

and enjoyed his 9 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service is scheduled for this Saturday, March 17 at 3 p.m. at Adventist Grace Fellowship (meeting at the First Christian Church), located at 1915 Chapala St., Santa Barbara. If you choose to honor Lewis, please make a donation in his name to your favorite charity.

The family wishes to acknowledge the splendid care given to Lewis by the nurses, aides, and staff at Valle Verde Health Center as well as Doctors Armet, Cavins, Clark, Kupperman, and McFadden.

Tribute Wall

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“ My sister has searched for Pastor Lyman for years and could obtain NO info on him.

Now finally, she found this and shared with me. Pastor Lyman married me and my husband in Enid, Oklahoma in 1948. He and his wife, Vera, were so kind to this young couple. My husband to be was baptized by Pastor Lyman, after Bible studies, before we were married. It is so good to know about this wonderful family after all these years. God bless their children and grandchildren. Gwen Bacilla

Gwen Friend Bacilla - September 20, 2015 at 11:40 AM