



<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>September 18, 1930</i>
<i>Date of Commitment</i>	<i>May 31, 1998</i>
<i>Date of Death</i>	<i>July 10, 2009</i>

*Richard Kuphaldt was born to William and Hazel Kuphaldt in Bingham Canyon, Utah on September 18, 1930.*

*Rich attended Compton High School and Compton Junior College. He earned a Bachelors Degree in Engineering from the University of California at Berkley and a Masters in Public Administration from the California State University at Sacramento.*

*Rich worked for the State of California, Department of Water Resources for more than 25 years. Fishing and camping were two favorite pursuits and Rich also had a reputation as a man who could fix anything, but his true passion was for his family.*

*He met and married JoAnn and in the 57 years they spent together they raised ten children: June, Rita, James, Patricia, Joseph, Harold, Kenneth, Mary, Ann, and William. He leaves behind his devoted wife and his beloved children plus twenty six cherished grandchildren and one great grandchild.*

*A long time member of Divine Savior Catholic Church in Orangevale, California, Rich served as a Eucharistic Minister and in the bereavement ministry. He (along with his wife, JoAnn) made commitment as a Lay Salvatorian on May 31, 1998. Fr. Neil Seidel was his sponsor. As a Lay Salvatorian, he participated in the Global Food Bank. Along with his other commitments he was also a member of the Knights of Columbus.*

*A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at Divine Savior on Friday, July 17 at 11:00 a.m.. Rich will be greatly missed by his family and friends. We thank God for Rich's life and the special gift that he brought to the Salvatorian family.*