

"To the most remarkable man in our lives. My father is an 83 year-old father of 14, grandfather of 22 and great-grandfather of 10. While growing up I always remember how hospitable my father was to all of our family and friends and how much everyone has always loved him. From the bottom of all of our hearts, Dad, we pray that God allows you to spend many more Father's Days with us. From all of us, thank you for teaching us to be hard-working individuals and to always love and care for each other."

**- Alicia Marquez,  
DWP and Club Rep**



Dad [Burtcher Henderson, Retired, Public Works], thanks for always being there for me. I love you so much. Happy Father's Day!

**- Love, Robin Smith-Gregory,  
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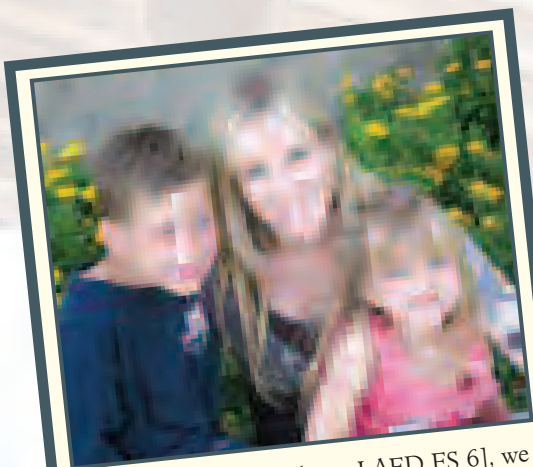
"We are so proud of our dad, Germain Mendoza, Sr. Housing Inspector, Housing. He is a father of five, a father-in-law of one, a grandfather of two and a godfather of four. My dad has always been a very hard worker and has instilled good morals in all of us We all love you very much, Dad. Happy Father's Day."

**- With all our love, Stephanie,  
Chris, Mark, Ian and Michael**

# Happy Father's Day!

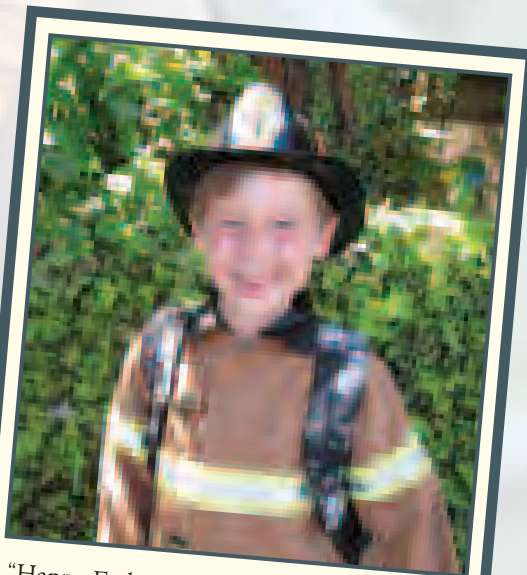
Here are the personal messages sent to *Alive!* by some very loving and grateful children who wanted to pay tribute to their DAD.

## Enjoy!



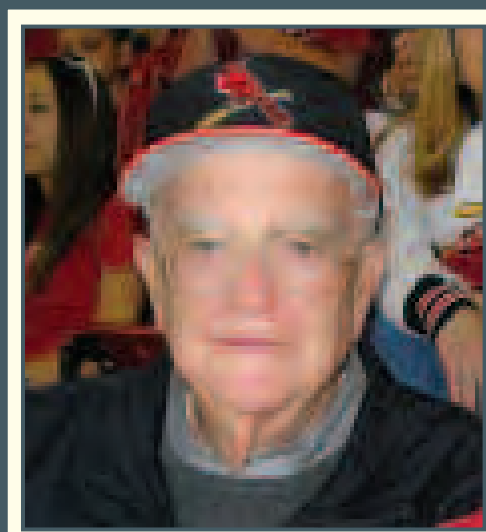
Dear Daddy [Dan Hibma, LAFD FS 6], we love you because you are a neat firefighter and fun to play with. Most of all ... I love you because you are our dad. You are the best daddy in the whole entire world. You are very special to us. Happy Father's Day to the most amazing guy we know.

**- Love, Jake, Emily and Julie**



"Happy Father's day to my hero. Thanks for being a great dad! I love you with all my heart."

**- Love, Jake**



"Dad, thanks for everything. And I promise to finish editing your book."

**- John Burnes, *Alive!* editor**

**From all of us at the Club,  
to all the Fathers,  
HAVE A GREAT DAY!**