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CELEBRATING THE LIFE

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A color portrait of Theodore Alexander Larsen, a man with dark hair and a goatee, wearing a dark sweater over a white collared shirt. He is smiling slightly and looking towards the camera.

THEODORE  
ALEXANDER  
LARSEN

MAY 9, 1942 -  
OCTOBER 14, 2007

**Burial Service**

October 20, 2007, 9:00 AM  
Sts. Peter and Paul Cathedral  
St. Thomas, U.S.V.I.

**Interment**

Western Cemetery #1

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Theodore Alexander Larsen, better known as “Teddy”, was born on May 9, 1942, to Pauline and Frederick Larsen in St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands. He grew up with his brothers Evans Petersen, Ludrick Larsen and George Larsen in Altona. He attended the Washington Elementary School, (now Evelyn E. Marcelli School), and later graduated from Charlotte Amalie High School as a member of the class of 1962.

From age 14, Teddy worked bussing tables at the VI Hilton Hotel. On his journeys to and from work he met Pearla Hendricks at a bus stop. Soon after graduating from high school he married Pearla on August 15, 1963. Out of their marriage came four wonderful children Theresa, Monique, Sir Frederick, and Nicole.

Teddy held various sales jobs with Vitraco and West Indies Corporation. He also catered with Frenchie’s Catering. All the while, in the back of his mind, he wanted to build a foundation for his family in which they can all grow and work together. In January of 1980, T & P Cash and Carry, located in Berne’s Ice Plant Alley, was opened. Both him and Pearla managed the day-to-day operations successfully for 20 years. When his son decided to branch off and develop the LeBleu water business, Teddy and Pearla followed and continued to provide valuable management expertise.

Teddy was very devoted to God and his church. His pastime was his family. He believed in bringing up his family in the church; building upon the foundation he established to nurture and guide them through life.

Teddy has always been honest, generous and loving; qualities that awarded him great respect from the community.

Teddy died peacefully at home on October 14, 2007. He surely will be missed.

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*Wife*

Pearla T. Larsen

*Son*

Sir Frederick "Chico" Larsen

*Daughters*

Theresa Larsen-Royals, Monique Larsen, Nicole Larsen

*Grandchildren*

Maurice A. Hendrix, Sir Frederick A. Larsen II, Elaine Larsen, Moesha Blyden,  
Sir Anthony F. Larsen, Sir Michael A. Larsen, William A. Larsen,  
Sir Teddy-Josue Larsen

*Aunt*

Marie Rojas

*Brother*

George Larsen

*Sisters-In-Law*

Evelyn Petersen, Joyce Larsen, Rita Hendricks, Mary Scott, Ann Prince-Hendricks

*Brothers-in-Law*

Antonio Hendricks, James Hendricks, Robert Humphrey, Sr.

*Daughter-in-Law*

Ana Larsen

*Son-in-Law*

Joseph Royals

Special other family and friends too numerous to mention

*PALLBEARERS*

Evans Petersen Jr., Elvis Petersen, Emmet Petersen, Elbert Petersen,  
Sir Frederick Larsen, Gregory Norford

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

George Larsen, James Hendricks, Antonio Hendricks, Niels Jeppesen, Sr.