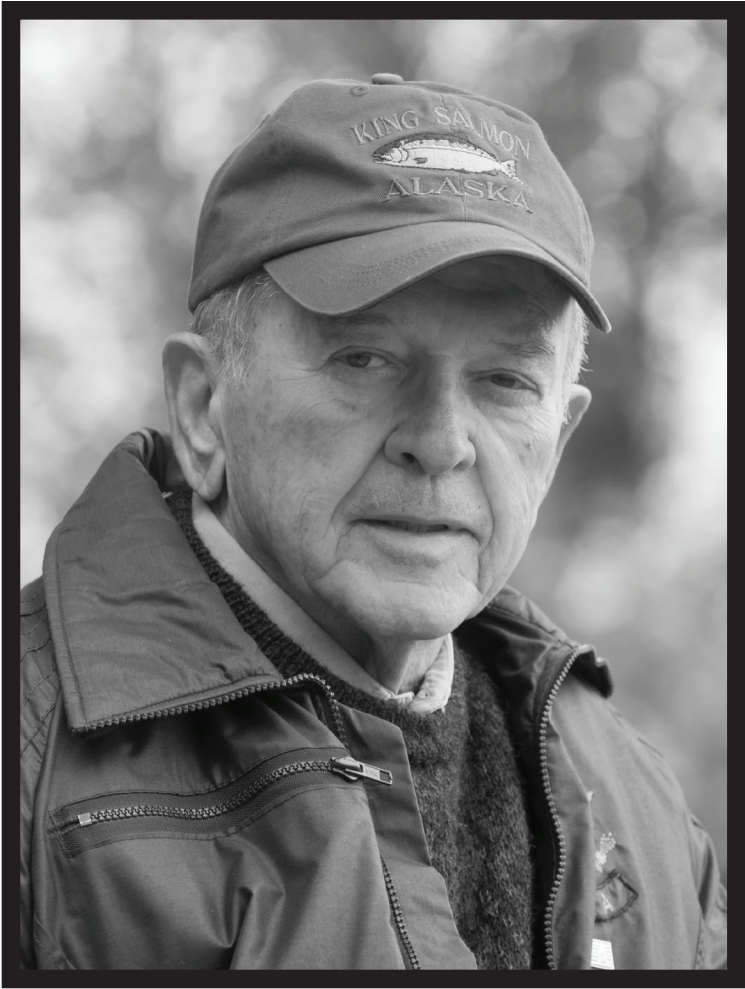



# SENATOR TED STEVENS

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## *Celebration of Life*



1923 – 2010



*“I really must pinch myself to fully understand that I am privileged to speak on the floor of the U.S. Senate. Coming from the boyhood I had, I could never even have dreamed of being here today. And home is where the heart is, Mr. President. If that is so, I have two homes – one is right here in this Chamber, and the other is my beloved State of Alaska. I must leave one to return to the other.”*

– Ted Stevens



*A Celebration of the Life of*  
**SENATOR TED STEVENS**

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**Archbishop Francis T. Hurley**

**The Ven. Norman H.V. Elliott**

**Rear Admiral Barry C. Black (Ret.), USN**

*Chaplain, United States Senate*

**Dr. Jerry L. Prevo**

**Anchorage Baptist Temple**

Anchorage, Alaska

August 18, 2010

## ORDER OF SERVICE

### PRELUDE

Alaska Brass

United States Air Force Band of the Pacific

*America the Beautiful*

*Ode to Joy*

### PROCESSION

Alaska Brass

*Onward Christian Soldiers*

Dennis Stephens and  
Robert G. White, pipers

*Amazing Grace*

*Creag Guanach*

### GATHERING PRAYER

**Archbishop Francis T. Hurley**

**The Honorable Lisa Murkowski**  
United States Senator, Alaska

*"A Legacy of Dreams"*

Dr. William Ransom Wood

I would leave a legacy of dreams  
To bridge the generation gap,  
Igniting fires within the mind  
Of youth and old alike  
Until no Alpha or Omega shows,  
Only the eternal flaming spirit  
To light the path of change.

I would leave a legacy of dreams  
That here where tundra and taiga merge  
May breed the best,  
A stalwart, sturdy race of many roots  
Free and fresh and keen  
As the great North Wind,  
Creating crystal magic  
From the natural things at hand.

I would leave a legacy of dreams,  
Sculpture a realm of courtesy and respect,  
Of joy in doing,  
Of pride in workmanship,  
Where each might show  
And understand compassion.

I would leave a legacy of dreams  
That each might know his own,  
Yet share and share in peace and amity,  
Shunning ever the base, the Godless urge  
To do another in.

I would leave a legacy of dreams  
For all to seek beyond  
The bottom line of NOW  
To where greener grasses grow  
So sprightly for tomorrow.

I would leave a legacy of dreams. . .

## HYMN

Juliana Osinchuk, pianist

*Faith of our fathers, living still,  
in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword;  
O how our hearts beat high  
with joy whene'er we hear that glorious word!*

*Faith of our fathers, holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death.*

*Faith of our fathers, we will strive  
to win all nations unto thee;  
and through the truth that comes from God,  
we all shall then be truly free.*

*Faith of our fathers, holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death.*

*Faith of our fathers, we will love  
both friend and foe in all our strife;  
and preach thee, too, as love knows  
how by kindly words and virtuous life.*

*Faith of our fathers, holy faith!  
We will be true to thee till death.*

## PSALM 121

### Dr. Jerry Prevo

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills,  
from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh from the LORD,  
which made heaven and earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved:  
he that keepeth thee will not slumber.

Behold, he that keepeth Israel  
shall neither slumber nor sleep.

The LORD is thy keeper:  
the LORD is thy shade upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day,  
nor the moon by night.

The LORD shall preserve thee from all evil:  
he shall preserve thy soul.

The LORD shall preserve thy going out and thy coming  
in from this time forth, and even for evermore.

TRIBUTE

**The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr.**  
Vice President of the United States

TRIBUTE

**The Honorable Mitch McConnell**  
Minority Leader  
United States Senator, Kentucky

TRIBUTE

**The Honorable Daniel K. Inouye**  
President Pro Tempore  
United States Senator, Hawaii

*Battle Hymn of the Republic*

*Mine eyes have seen the glory  
Of the coming of the Lord;  
He is trampling out the vintage  
Where the grapes of wrath are stored;  
He hath loosed the fateful lightning  
Of His terrible swift sword;  
His truth is marching on.*

*Chorus*

*Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!  
Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!  
Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!  
His truth is marching on.*

*I have seen Him in the watchfires  
Of a hundred circling camps  
They have builded Him an altar  
In the evening dews and damps;  
I can read His righteous sentence  
By the dim and flaring lamps;  
His day is marching on.*

*Repeat Chorus*

*In the beauty of the lilies  
Christ was born across the sea,  
With a glory in His bosom  
That transfigures you and me;  
As He died to make men holy,  
Let us die to make men free;  
While God is marching on.*

*Repeat Chorus*



**PRAYER**

**Rear Admiral Barry C. Black(Ret.), USN**

**NEW TESTAMENT  
READINGS**

**Rear Admiral Barry C. Black(Ret.), USN**

John 14: 1–3

I Thessalonians 4: 16–17

Romans 8: 38–39

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

*Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come.  
Thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us,  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
Amen.*

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE     The Ven. Norman H.V. Elliott

*The People respond to every petition with Amen.*

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Almighty God, who has knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship, in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: Grant, we beseech thee, to thy whole Church in paradise and on earth, thy light and thy peace. *Amen.*

Grant that all who have been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection may die to sin and rise to newness of life, and that through the grave and gate of death we may pass with him to our joyful resurrection. *Amen.*

Grant to us who are still in our pilgrimage, and who walk as yet by faith, that thy Holy Spirit may lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days. *Amen.*

Grant to thy faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins, and serve thee with a quiet mind. *Amen.*

Grant to all who mourn a sure confidence in thy fatherly care, that, casting all their grief on thee, they may know the consolation of thy love. *Amen.*

Give courage and faith to those who are bereaved, that they may have strength to meet the days ahead in the comfort of a reasonable and holy hope, in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love. *Amen*

Grant us, with all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, to have our consummation and bliss in thy eternal and everlasting glory, and, with all thy saints, to receive the crown of life which thou dost promise to all who share in the victory of thy Son Jesus Christ; who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## THE COMMENDATION

**The Ven. Norman H.V. Elliott**

Give rest, O Christ, to thy servants with thy saints.

*Where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing,  
but life everlasting.*

Thou only art immortal, the creator and maker of mankind; and we are mortal, formed of the earth, and unto earth shall we return. For so thou didst ordain when thou createdst me, saying “Dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.” All we go down to the dust; yet even at the grave we make our song: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Into thy hands, O merciful Savior, we commend thy servant Ted. Acknowledge, we humbly beseech thee, a sheep of thine own fold, a lamb of thine own flock, a sinner of thine own redeeming. Receive him into the arms of thy mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light. *Amen.*

PRAYER

**Dr. Jerry Prevo**

RETIRING PROCESSION

*Green Hills of Tyrol*  
*When the Battle is O'er*

*The congregation is asked to remain in place  
until dismissed while the family exits.*

ANTHEM

Alaska Brass  
*Armed Services Medley*

## REPRESENTING THE UNITED STATES SENATE

The Hon. Joseph R. Biden, Jr.

The Hon. Daniel Inouye

The Hon. Mitch McConnell

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Lieutenant General Charles H. Jacoby, USA, Director of Strategic Plans and Policy (J5), Joint Staff

Lieutenant General Daniel Darnell, USAF, Deputy Commander,  
U.S. Pacific Command

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Coast Guard

Major General Thomas H. Katkus, The Adjutant General for the State of Alaska,  
Commander of the Alaska National Guard, Commissioner of the Department of  
Military and Veterans Affairs

Brigadier General Raymond P. Palumbo, Commanding General,  
U.S. Army Alaska

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Neil Bergt	Jim Jansen	Frank Reed
James Billington	Jay Johnson	Catherine B. Reynolds
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	Jack Potter	

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Catherine Stevens	Elizabeth Stevens
Susan and David Covich	Ted and Junko Stevens
Sara-Ann Covich	Sally Stevens
Laura-Beth and Phil Sexton	Ben and Elizabeth Stevens
John-Peter Covich	Susan Stevens
Beth Stevens	Ben Stevens Jr.
Walter and Debbie Stevens	Augie Stevens
Rachel Stevens	Teddy Stevens
Ann Stevens	Lily and Preston Becker


*The Stevens family expresses our deepest sympathy for the families of Bill Phillips, Terry Smith, Dana Tindall, and Corey Tindall.*

*We pray for the speedy recovery of Sean O'Keefe, Jim Morhard, Kevin O'Keefe, and Willy Phillips.*

Our heartfelt gratitude to the wonderful staff who served Senator Ted and the State of Alaska for so many years, and to his beloved Oscar Detail. You will always be a part of our family.

*Memorial donations may be made to:*

**North to the Future Foundation  
701 W 8th Ave Ste 700  
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*Withhold no sacrifice, grudge no toil, seek  
no sordid gain, fear no foe. All will be well.*

*Those who serve supreme causes must not  
consider what they can get but what they  
can give.*

*...never give in, never, never, never, never –  
in nothing, great or small, large or petty –  
never give in except to convictions of honour  
and good sense.*

*I am prepared to meet my Maker. Whether  
my Maker is prepared for the great ordeal  
of meeting me is another matter.*

– Sir Winston Churchill  
