



*Our Deepest
Sympathy*



The Right Hon. Sir Allan Fitzgerald Laurent Louisy, KCMG

It is with immense sadness and heaviness of heart that The Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court has learnt of the passing of one of the region's legal luminaries, the Right Hon. Sir Allan Fitzgerald Laurent Louisy, KCMG. He was one of the first judges of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court (1967 – 1974), serving alongside the Hon. Sir Keith Gordon and the Hon. Justice E. St. Bernard.

Sir Allan moved on from the judiciary to active politics, and thereafter became the second Prime Minister of independent Saint Lucia. The Government and people of Saint Lucia recognized the sterling contribution of this great man awarding him the highest national award, the St. Lucia Cross in 1998. He was also conferred with the Award of the Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George on Thursday March 31, 2005.

Born September 5, 1916 in the village of Laborie, Sir Allan's early schooling was done at the Laborie Infant School, which was followed by his secondary school education at the St. Mary's college. He then moved on to gain higher learning at the Inns of Court, Middle Temple, in the United Kingdom. His proficiency as a legal practitioner was well known throughout the region, serving as Crown Attorney in Saint Lucia, Montserrat, Antigua, Dominica; as Senior Magistrate

in Antigua, and Resident Magistrate and Registrar of the Supreme Court and Court of Appeal in Jamaica.

Besides his dynamic public life Sir Allan served in various capacities as Chairman, Director and President on several boards and organizations. He was also an avid cricketer, football player and athlete. He also found much pleasure in gardening, fishing, reading, and playing dominoes.

Sir Allan passed away Wednesday March 2, 2011 at his sea-side home in Saphyr Estate, Laborie at the age of ninety four years.

The Hon. Chief Justice Hugh Anthony Rawlins; the Judges and Administrative and Support staff of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court extend heartfelt condolences to the family members and friends of the late Sir Allan. May they find consolation in the memories they shared together, and the knowledge that he made an indelible contribution which has resounded beyond the shores of Saint Lucia.

May his soul rest in peace!