When one's father has died

Lord as I remember my father who has died, I thank God for the wonder of his being, that he was created in your image and likeness. Now as I mourn for him, I pray that I may recall how he loved and cherished me throughout my life. Comfort my lonely heart as I grieve for him. I believe that the bond of love between parent and child endures forever.

Amen.

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