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Aliana Contreras

Age: 2 years

My favorite tree is the
enormous Italian-Box Pine at 1912th,
at the entryway to Capitol parking.
It is like a blue whale surround
ed by lesser cetaceans. I always
stop at it whenever I'm passing by.

David Zinner

When I moved to Sacramento
8 years ago I had a limited
budget for the backyard
landscaping. I received 5
trees from Smop. I found
an Evergreen that a neighbor
ripped out and threw in
the gutter as if it were
not a living thing. I
rescued it and it is my favorite
and best Tree!

Marisol Contreras ^{age 11}
8/19/10

I have ~~the state tree~~
the state tree
in my back yard.
That is so ~~cool~~ cool.

I was married in an urban
forest and will always
think fondly of my wedding day
and how nature crated my marriage
from the beginning. I love our
Sacramento Urban Forest.

Keep on planting.  Paul & Kay
Stephen

2010, ~~July~~ 4 / It was ~~born~~ on 1999
August / born July 1st

So far I have had a great child hood
I have done many things that other kids
have not got to do. My dad put
up 2 swings on our huge ~~tree~~
tree one of them is a circle ~~oak~~
and my dad will push us really
Really high it is so fun I love my
DAD. were also blessed to
have many other trees, I love my

I used to live in
the Sacto. area 4-2 years.

I live at the beach now.

You are lucky to have so many
big trees - RICH

John Fiedor
Davis, CA

Aug 4, 2010

I have always been impressed with the number of trees in Sacramento. It is environmentally sound and also reminds me of the protective nature of trees that I remember from childhood. I always enjoyed the opportunity to sit in the shade on a hot day or to play for hours.

One of my favorite trees is the majestic English Oak on H St. in McKinley Park. It's beautiful canopy & leaves have been greeting walkers, joggers, and many others for decades, and I hope it will be with us for many decades to come

Lisa Prince
Sacramento

Aug 4, 2010

When I moved to Sacramento in 2004, I was amazed by the variety of trees on the Capitol grounds. I promised myself I would notice a different tree with each visit.

Every time I walk through "my park" I see something new, alive, + beautiful!

On my first day of
working for Stanford
Home for Children -
Spring 1988 - I
was parked under
one of downtown
Sacramento's
magnificent trees.
I was about to
return to work,
my lunch break
being over, when
I heard a huge

"Crack!" + a
limb - the size of
a small tree - fell
on my car + I had
to be "sawed out"
of my parking space!

We had a lot of
rain that Spring.
The bush foliage
filled with water,
making the limbs
too heavy to support.

Lynn Orloff
Sacramento
8-4-10