



Joseph Anthony Costa

June 19, 1958 - November 2, 2025

Joseph Anthony Costa passed away on November 2nd, 2025 at the age of 67. Joe was fighting congestive heart failure for three years, but never lost his sense of humor during the battle. Born in Lisbon, Portugal on June 19th, 1958, his parents were Angelo and Benvinda Costa. They moved to America when Joe was eight years old.

As an adult, Joe decided to join the United States Air Force, serving for three years. During his time in the military he had a son with his then wife, and upon completing his service he moved to Kings Park on Long Island, where they had their second son.

Pops introduced sports to his children at an early age, cherishing the moments watching the boys play. While working as a machinist, his company moved to Florida, and in 1993 he packed up his family and relocated. After a few years, Pops decided to start his own painting company, eventually meeting his future wife, Jacqueline Mariotti-Costa. She loved everything about Joe and he loved everything about her, and they were married on May 5th, 2007 on the beach in Cape Coral, Florida. They grew together, sharing wonderful moments like winning championship softball games with their sons.

The Bandit had a rich life, full of extended family, friends, and dogs. Never one to end a celebration too soon, Pops kept the card games, darts, and music

going, sharing his love of sports, movies, and Portugal with everyone.

Joe Costa is survived by his wife, Jackie, son Joseph Andrew Costa and his wife Breanne and their sons Troy and Kamden, son Matthew Anthony Costa and wife Bridgett. Stepsons Scott and Michele Newbury and family, Christopher and AnnMarie Newbury and family, Zachary and Michelle Newbury and son, Matthew and Elizabeth Newbury and son. Cousins Victor, John, Maryanne and Michael Cruz. His family in Portugal, Tia Sofia, Xana and Marcia. Extended family, Joe and Dina Tumbarello, Helen, Joanne, Joey, Dawn Tumbarello. Also the many friends he considered family.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I will always remember that infectious laugh*
Rest in peace Pops ❤️

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