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Joseph Paul "Joe" DeCento was welcomed into Heaven suddenly on June 1, 2015, in Houston, Texas at the age of 64. He is preceded in death by his parents, André Charles deCento and Gwendoline Marjorie Challenger deCento, and one nephew, Colton deCento. Joe is survived by lifelong partner, Pete O. Cruz, Jr., three brothers, Ron Mary, Albert Susie, Michael Deborah, and two sisters – Michelle and Andréa, numerous nieces, nephews, grandnieces, and grandnephews.

Joe graduated from Our Lady of the Lake University San Antonio with a Business/Marketing Degree and worked in every aspect of the box industry for over 45 years. At the time of his death, Joe had been employed as Purchasing Manager with Corrugated Concepts and Packaging for over 11 years.

Visitation will be Saturday, June 6, 2015 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. with a Celebration of Life ceremony at 1:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment to follow at Mission Burial Park South.

In Lieu of flowers, please consider donations "In Honor of Joe DeCento" to

Camp Discovery at www.visionworkscamps.org/donate or to a homeless shelter of your choice. A Celebration of Life service is planned at a later date for those in the Houston area.