



Joseph A. Donato

March 5, 1952 - August 14, 2006

Joseph Allen Donato born on March 5, 1952 passed away on August 14, 2006 at the age of 54. He is preceded in death by his uncle Dean Robert Hayden. Survivors include his beloved father Joseph and Mary Ellen Donatto, beloved mother Jean Donatto, fiancé Sonia Penn, his loving daughters Helen Corine Donatto and Adrian Crenshaw, and Peggy Lee Gardner and husband Trent, step-son Richard D. Penn Jr., sister Frances Allen and husband Bill, 3 grandchildren Corey Ryan Webb, Hunter Trent Gardner, and Tiffany Ann Gardner, 3 nieces Elizabeth, Diana, and Cynthia, and other loving family members and friends.

In lieu of flowers donations maybe made to the St. Peter St. Joseph Children's Home on 919 Mission Rd. San Antonio, Texas 78210.

Services

Visitation will begin on Friday, August 18, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. with a rosary to be recited at 7:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Saturday, August 19, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church located on 125 W. Whittier. With a procession from the funeral home at 9:30 a.m. Services will conclude at the church. For personal acknowledgement you may sign the guest book at www.missionparks.com in the obituary section.

Tribute Wall

SR

“ Please know that your entire family is in my thoughts and prayers during this very difficult time.

Staci Reaves - August 21, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ We would like to express our sincere sympathy. Although, we could not be with you at this time of deep sorrow, please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Gerianne and John Collins - August 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ Our heart breaks for the pain you are going through at this time. Joe Allen was "One-of-a-Kind" and he will be missed so much by all of us. You will be in our prayers for the days ahead.
Debbie & Malin

Debbie & Malin Thompson - August 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ MY HEART AND PRAYERS ARE WITH ALL OF YOU. KNOWING JOE, EVEN FOR SUCH A BRIEF TIME, WAS ONE OF THE GREAT JOYS OF MY LIFE. HIS SENSE OF HUMOR AND GREAT ATTITUDE BROUGHT A BLESSING INTO MY OWN DIFFICULT TIME. I'M GOING TO MISS THE LAUGHTER AND THE MAN. THE W

JEANNE GUTHRIE - August 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VE

“Helen, We have such fond memories of your dad. He had an amazing sense of humor, there was never a dull moment around him.
Love all

Vanessa O'Keefe & Olga Evans - August 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CH

“God Bless you all. I have a great memory of Joe Allen and that was when Mary Ellen, Joe Allen and I were at our 20th school reunion. We really had a great time. He was so much fun to be around and I can still see him laughing. That is the way I will alw

CINDY HOSEK - August 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SB

“Helen, Your dad love you so much. He always lived his life to the fullest. I know we will all miss him deepley. He will always be alive in spirt and in our hearts. Our prayers are with you.

Steve and Linda Barnett - August 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

WM

“Joseph A. Donato

Wayne Mayfield - August 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“Helen, You have my deepest condolences. I feel privileged to have known your Dad. He could always make me laugh, which in turn always brightened my day. His laughter and love for you were his greatest passions. You will always be in my thoughts and praye

Carl Chambliss Jr. - August 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ To Helen, Jean, Joe, Frances and the whole family, my deepest sympathy and condolences are with you, and my fondest and funniest memories are with Joe, may he finally rest in peace.

Sabrina Evans - August 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ HELEN, You have our deepest condolences. We have great memories of your "Dad". He will always be rememberd for his since of humor, his laughter and his love for life,family and you. You will always be in our thoughts and prayers.

JANICE VYORAL & PEPIE - August 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM