



Jose DaSilva

August 12, 2022

Jose DaSilva, 50, of Lancaster died on August 12, 2022 at Rose City Nursing and Rehabilitation. He was born in Brooklyn, NY and raised with 14 brothers and sisters. He was the adopted son to the late Viriato and Carmen DaSilva in what was a tough upbringing.

After moving to Ephrata at a young age, he graduated from Ephrata HS. He took college courses in Florida and while down there he enjoyed the beach, playing beach volleyball and swimming in the ocean.

Jose was a skilled construction worker and was a Bowmaker at Lancaster Archery Supply. He loved motorcycles and riding in biker groups, his cat Hades, reading Anne Rice novels, heavy metal music (Pantera was his favorite) and a little country in later life. His girlfriend Beth Newman cooked his favorite meal of grilled cheese with fried egg.

Jose is survived by his five sons: Jordan DaSilva, Brendan DaSilva, Austin DaSilva, Jason DaSilva and Sage DaSilva and his mother Jeanne West. Crystal DaSilva is the mother to his four other sons. He is also survived by his brothers and sisters: Tim, William, Toni, Terri, Traci, Tami, Michael, John, Robert, Karen, Kim, Lisa, Nancy and Alicia.

No services will be held but the family asks that everyone keep Jose in their prayers.

Tribute Wall



“ Jose DaSilva

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ Brandon lit a candle in memory of Jose DaSilva



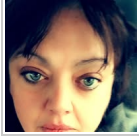
Brandon - October 30, 2022 at 04:37 PM



“ I hadn't been in touch with Jose for quite some time but I'll always remember he was one of the first people to give me a nickname. #drano. My brother and I were both in Crystal and Jose's wedding about 31 years ago. Thinking of all of the family during this time.



Dana - August 18, 2022 at 09:18 AM



“ 18 files added to the album *Memories of Jose*



Crystal Dasilva - August 15, 2022 at 08:10 PM

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I will always be grateful for the 4 grandsons Jose and Crystal gave us. I loved him like a son and am sorry we lost touch and were never able to reconnect. I remember him walking to Turkey Hill at night when Jordan couldn't sleep with him tucked in his coat to keep him warm. He loved taking the boys for rides on his motorcycle. I will always cherish the beautiful letter he wrote to each of his 4 grandsons while he was in motorcycle mechanics school in Florida. I know he loved them in his own way.

Carol Zimmerman - August 16, 2022 at 11:41 AM

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I'm sure Jose is finally at peace.

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