



Joseph Anthony Abreu

September 23, 1935 - June 5, 2015

Joseph Anthony Abreu entered into rest on June 5, 2015 in Fremont, at the age of 79. He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Shirley Abreu. His children, Brenda DeCosta (Larry) and Joseph M. Abreu (Paige); grandchildren, Lauren Dupuis (Mike), Lindsay Putre (Chris), Steven DeCosta (Carin), Megan Abreu and Logan Abreu. He was preceded in death by his parents, Manuel and Mabel Abreu, daughter Joela Abreu and sister Bernadine Goularte.

Joseph was a life long resident of Fremont. He was born on September 23, 1935 in Niles and graduated from Washington High School in 1954. He was a realtor for 40 years and owner of Century 21 Mission, member of Elks 2121 in Fremont and Washington Parlor Native Sons of the Golden West. Avid golfer and fisherman who always enjoyed trips to Alaska every year fishing for salmon and halibut.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, June 11, 5-8pm with a Vigil service at 6:30pm, at Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, June 12, 12pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 37588 Fremont Blvd., Fremont, CA 94536. A private family burial will take place at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward. In lieu of flowers the family asks for donations to be made to Holy Spirit Catholic Church or to donors favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

Holy Sepulchre Cemetery

26320 Mission Boulevard
Hayward, CA 94544

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

Fremont Memorial Chapel
3723 Peralta Boulevard
Fremont, CA 94536
1-510-793-8900
fremontchapeloftheroses@yahoo.com
<https://www.fremontmemorialchapel.com>

Vigil

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Funeral Mass

JUN 12. 12:00 PM (PT)

Holy Spirit Catholic Church
37588 Fremont Boulevard
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Tribute Wall

RJ

“*Rosemary, Wayne and Jen purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joseph Anthony Abreu.*



Rosemary, Wayne and Jen - June 11, 2015 at 04:32 PM

JF

“*Joe was a wonderful realtor to work with. I remember him well from the days when I was an agent at his century 21 realty office in the 1980s. He spared no effort to always make things right for the agents working in his office. The Christmas parties were always a huge extravagance and the best. We always greeted each other in Portuguese my native language his second language. We also talked about how I now live in the land where his parents and grandparents used to grow potatoes in their farm in north Fremont. Yes Joe was a wonderful man that I am glad I had a chance to meet and know.*

Rest in peace my friend

Joe Fraga

Joe Fraga - June 11, 2015 at 04:24 PM



“*Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph Anthony Abreu.*



June 11, 2015 at 12:01 AM

DR

“ *Denise L Rose purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of Joseph Anthony Abreu.*



Denise L Rose - June 10, 2015 at 11:35 PM

JF

“ *Joe was a wonderful boss and friend. My mother Jackie Scott worked for him for many years. I cherish our years at Century 21-Mission, we had a great group of people, made many good friendships and I have fun memories from back then. It was like a second family. Joe created that. I am a so glad, I was able to stop by a few months ago to say 'Hi' to Joe and Shirley. I am sending prayers to Joe, Shirley and the family. Joe you touched many lives and are going to be greatly missed by many...*

Jennifer France - June 10, 2015 at 11:25 PM



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Fremont Memorial Chapel - June 09, 2015 at 03:47 PM

HD

“ *Helene Drexler purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Joseph Anthony Abreu.*



Helene Drexler - June 09, 2015 at 02:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Anthony Abreu.*



June 08, 2015 at 11:41 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph Anthony Abreu.*



June 07, 2015 at 05:53 PM