



Christian Lee Mattos

December 7, 1954 - November 16, 2015

Christian Lee Mattos lost his battle with cancer, Thursday, Nov. 16th, 2015 at Serenity House. He was born Dec. 7th, 1954 in Santa Barbara to George A Mattos and Charlotte L. Graham. He attended San Marcos High School, where he loved Track and Field. He also loved to run cross country and ran in the annual "Steve Profontain" marathons in Eugene, OR.

Chris was visited by all his closest friends and relatives while at Serenity House. The family wishes to thank Serenity House (the great staff and the volunteers), the Visiting Nurse and Hospice Care, and Dr. Fredrick Kase, of the Cancer Center of Santa Barbara.

Chris is survived by his father, George A Mattos of Santa Barbara, mother, Charlotte L. Graham of Vancouver, WA; two sisters, Rebecca L. Bohnet (Lyle) of Troutdale, OR and Charlene M. Sain (Tim) of Redbluff, CA; and two cousins, Mark M. Mattos (Lee) of Flint, MI and Kelly Mattos of Santa Barbara and three nephews and one niece.

Viewing will be Tuesday, Dec. 1st from 3 pm to 5 pm at Welch-Ryce-Haider downtown chapels. Burial will be Wednesday, Dec. 2nd at 10 am at Santa Barbara Cemetery.

Previous Events

Viewing

DEC 1. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

Welch-Ryce-Haider - Downtown
15 E. Sola St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
(805) 965-5145
info@wrhsb.com
<https://www.wrhsb.com>

Graveside Service

DEC 2. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (PT)

Santa Barbara Cemetery
901 Channel Drive
Santa Barbara, CA 93108
(805) 969-3231

Tribute Wall

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“ It saddened me to see that Chris passed. I was fortunate to have Chris on the Royal Track team when I was the Track coach at San Marcos. I remember fondly how Chris loved to run. Looking back at my records it showed that in the two mile in 1973 he was the 5th best all time two mile runner in San Marcos track history and about the 7th best miler, a very outstanding runner. It is sad that we see our younger athletes and friends pass before us.

I am sorry that I will miss the Burial, I will be out of town.

*With my condolences - Dave Mead
Retired Educator & Track Coach*

Dave Mead - November 30, 2015 at 06:14 PM