



## Michael Panizzon

October 19, 1970 - November 26, 2024

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the passing of our beloved son Michael Panizzon. He was born in Santa Barbara on October 19th, 1970 and passed away on November 26th, 2024. He is survived by his parents Maria and Dante Panizzon; brother Daniel Panizzon; niece and nephew Maya and Gabriel Panizzon and their mother Virginia; aunts Sofia, Nerella, Virginia (Bennie), Elsa (Per); and uncles Aldo, Tony (Lisa) in addition to numerous cousins, their families and many wonderful friends. Michael was preceded in death by his grandparents who he missed dearly.

Michael had mental and physical disabilities. For more than 30 years he attended the Alpha Resource Center where he was loved and cared for by their wonderful staff. Attending Alpha was the highlight of Michael's days. Michael loved people, he had a great memory and was the ultimate prankster which usually involved playing tricks on people, especially by hiding their things and then asking the person about them. Michael's favorite pastime was gatherings of family and friends, always wearing his happy smile and seldom forgetting people he met.

Michael will live on forever in our hearts. We love and miss you Michael.

A Celebration of Life for Michael will be held on:  
Saturday, January 11th, 2025 at noon PT

Alpha Resource Center  
4501 Cathedral Oaks Road  
Santa Barbara, CA 93110

In lieu of flowers, please donate to:

The Alpha Resource Center  
4501 Cathedral Oaks Road  
Santa Barbara, CA 93110

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

199 North Hope Ave  
Santa Barbara, CA 93110  
(805) 687-8811  
[http://www.archdiocese.la/directories/cemeteries/info.php?cemetery\\_id=3](http://www.archdiocese.la/directories/cemeteries/info.php?cemetery_id=3)

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN 11. 12:00 PM (PT)

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