



Joseph T. Moffat

February 19, 1956 - June 28, 2018

Joseph Thomas Moffat passed away suddenly, unexpectedly and much too soon the evening of Thursday June the 28th, leaving his family and friends in shock and grief. Joe was born in Santa Monica, California to Edward P. Moffat and Josephine Sansone-Moffat on February 19, 1956. His father's work as a district traffic agent for the Denver & Rio Grande railroad led the family eventually to Oakland's Montclair district in 1962 where Joe grew up. Joe's father and mother preceded him in death, as well as his beloved brother and sister, Superior Court Judge Edward P. Moffat II of Madera, California and California St. Bar General Counsel Marie Moffat-Capri of Oakland. Our friend and brother leaves behind his loving wife Maureen Moffat, his children by former wife Robin Moffat: daughter Lisa J. Moffat, sons Joseph T. Moffat II, Patrick P. Moffat and their spouses Danielle and Kim Moffat. They gave Joe his greatest gifts: grandchildren Parker Moffat, Kade Moffat, Logan Moffat, Tyler Floyd and Wyatt Yuill. Also mourning his loss are his stepchildren Sean and Sheleena Traveller, brother John A. Moffat and sister-in-law Nancy Moffat of Pleasanton, as well as brother-in-law Donald J. Capri of Oakland. His many nieces and nephews include John and Megan Moffat II, Stephanie and Ryan Callahan, Gina M. Moffat, Matthew J. Moffat, Sarah A. Moffat, Edward P. Moffat III, plus grand nieces and nephews Courtney J. Callahan, Cara M. Callahan, Brooke J. Callahan, Rory J. Moffat and Devon S.M. Van Loon. Joe graduated from Skyline High School in 1974, but it was clear long before then that he had an extraordinary aptitude for all things mechanical. Cars and especially motorcycles fascinated him. From a teenager tearing through the hills of Montclair on a long line of dirt bikes to cruising with Maureen on his canary yellow Harley, Joe was always building, rebuilding and tinkering with some bike or car. Thankfully, he was always eager to come to the aid of his less adept family members with little or no notice. His generosity is legendary. After school, his interests and talents led him to seek work where he could at least use his hands and hopefully lead him to large scale projects in building, mechanics and technical support. So, in 1976 Joe joined the PG&E workforce and over the years became a master mechanic, welder and much more. He was a foreman on some of the company's largest and most significant power generation projects. In the late 90's, Joe continued his career with Southern Co., Mirant Corp., GenOn and NRG. In 2017 he called it a career after 41 years in his challenging and

demanding profession. Since retirement, Joe had focused on his golf game, enjoying food, wine and Bocce Ball at the Fraternalza, Colombo and Liguri Italian American Clubs, and relaxing with his beautiful family. He was always available to teach the young ones the fine art of dirt-bike riding, lead hikes into the hills and onto the beaches and attend as many of his kids' sports activities as possible. He even coached many teams in a wide variety of sports. He was also very active in the Seniors In Retirement Society (SRS), an organization helping seniors find new ways to express their talents and experience in retirement. Just recently he was asked to become Treasurer for the organization. But nothing gave Joe more satisfaction than his road trips with Maureen on the yellow Harley and the big blue camper--meeting new people, enjoying the scenery and making beautiful discoveries big and small along the way. Dear Joe, it was a joy to know you, and your memory will continue to bring us joy and comfort during this difficult time . A mass of Christian burial will be held Friday, July 6th at 11:00 a.m. St. Dominic's Church, 475 East I Street, Benicia, California. Burial will be private at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward, California. Please visit the online tribute at <http://www.passalaquafuneralchapel.com>. In lieu of flowers the family asks that contributions be made to: Ad Content The California Off-Road Vehicle Association 1500 West El Camino Ave. #352 Sacramento, CA 95833-1945 <http://www.corva.org>

Events

JUL **Mass of Christian Burial** 11:00AM

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St. Dominics

475 East I Street, Benicia, CA, US

Comments



“ I will always love you.



Robin Moffat - July 29, 2019 at 09:59 PM



“ We are extremely saddened to hear the news of Joe's passing. I had the pleasure and privilege of working with him, and the plant rescue team, he was a part of, and a leader of. Joe always cared for his crew, and made sure we were always taken care of when we worked with his team. I thoroughly enjoyed many wonderful moments with him. Godspeed Brother Joe.

Carl Levon Kustin and the Lee & Associates Rescue Family.



Carl Levon Kustin - July 09, 2018 at 05:58 PM



“ From all of us at MCK Services purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



From all of us at MCK Services - July 06, 2018 at 12:52 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 05, 2018 at 01:04 PM



“ Sweet Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 05, 2018 at 04:45 AM



“ Dear Maureen and family,
I don't have the words to express my shock at Joe's passing.

Although we were only friends for a short time, I think we immediately bonded over golf, cars and motorcycles, but mostly through a shared camaraderie with others through Wednesday golf and SIRS.

My sincere sympathy to you all.

Ron Darling

Ron Darling - July 04, 2018 at 05:05 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 03, 2018 at 07:02 PM



“ Lisa Driscoll lit a candle in memory of Joseph T. Moffat



Lisa Driscoll - July 03, 2018 at 06:15 PM



“ We loved Joe with all of our hearts.
He will be truly missed
His family was Dave's family.
Elaine Breen-Brown
David Dill



Elaine Breen-Brown - July 03, 2018 at 06:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 03, 2018 at 05:59 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 03, 2018 at 05:47 PM



“ Joe and I met while I was working at PPP in 1999 and became friends after many years of working together. He was like a brother to me and I will miss him very much. I know his world was surrounded by his three kids and his new wife. He was taken from this world way to soon. May he Rest In Peace!!!!

Ron Gibson

Ronald Gibson - July 03, 2018 at 05:09 PM



“ Jack and Eileen France purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



Jack and Eileen France - July 03, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ Co-workers & Friends from NRG - GenOn purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



Co-workers & Friends from NRG - GenOn - July 03, 2018 at 04:27 PM



“ Joe and I met at PG&E in 1983. We became good friends and stayed close even after we both retired. He was like a brother to me. I will miss him everyday

Bill Greaves - July 03, 2018 at 02:42 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 03, 2018 at 12:34 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Joseph T. Moffat.



July 02, 2018 at 05:41 PM