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Joseph Marto, 83, of Deep Creek, Florida has passed away Thursday July 21, 2016. He was born May 26, 1933 in Camden, New Jersey the son of Michael and Jean (nee Caramna) Marto and moved to this area 5 years ago from Somers Point, New Jersey. Joe graduated Woodrow Wilson High School in 1951, after attending high school he was awarded a scholarship at the Academy of Arts in Philadelphia. His lust for life led him to the Race Track where he became a jockey. After suffering a spill he went on to enter into Masion De Paris School of Beauty Culture later to teach Advance Styling at the school. He was judged the top wig stylist in America, and went on to achieve success in the wig industry, in platform performing, and was a winner of many competition styling awards.

Joe was the president of the New Jersey Master Hairdressers and Cosmetologists Association, and also President of the Delaware Valley Affiliate.

Joe active agility led him into still another endeavor "Bullfighting". As President of Bravo Enterprizes he promoted "The Festival of Matadores" at the Philadelphia Arena. Joe went on to become a Jockey's agent, breeder of Thoroughbreds, and a well known trainer, also owner of numerous businesses through out Atlantic City, New Jersey, and President and Manager of his Condominium Association, in Somers Point, New Jersey.

Joe will be greatly missed by his beloved wife Nancy Peraine of 24 years and there Shih Tzu Napoleon. Survived by his daughter Gina Gill, granddaughter Lea Burdette, and grandson William Gill, granddaughter Lea Burdette, and grandson William Gill, great granddaughters Kara-Lisa, and Katalina. Joe is reunited in Heaven with his daughter Lisa Marto.

Memorial donations may be made to Tidewell Hospice of Port Charlotte, Florida. In memory of Joseph Marto.



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Service provided by Fort Myers Memorial and Royal Palm Memorial.
To pay your respects on-line please visit www.royalpalmemorial.com.



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JM

Joseph Marto posted:

Wish I knew him... He is my grandfather and I am named after him

June 24 at 10:10 PM

JM

Jeff Millman February 7 at 7:14 AM

Jeff Millman from Atlantic City originally cinnaminson just like your grandfather unbelievable!

JM

Jeff Millman February 7 at 7:08 AM

I can only imagine and your frustration and not knowing your grandpa as they called him little big man Joe. He was quite a character and him and I have so much in common that I have to tell you the story one day. And what few things I know about you 7 ft tall jockey Joe Grandpa. He was a piece of work and they broke the mold when they made him for sure. I put bigger diamonds in his hand and he has ever seen before let alone help. Lizard in from Brazil Rio de Janeiro to be exact. My name is Jeff Millman. Same initials as your grandpa JmThat's only one of the small coincidences. I'm on Facebook and if you ever want to exchange a few words about little big man Joe throw me a message I'll tell you a couple things that other people don't know. I wish I had someone to tell me about my grandpa true I never knew either. He was not quite the character yours was that's for sure. God rest and bless his soul. Along with his daughter. Something told me just to look up Joe this morning so I did. God bless you my friend. You've got good DNA! Along with many other positive qualities! 🙏

GW

Gene And Donna Wilson posted:

Farewell, Good Friend:We miss our times with you and Nancy. Sharing of meals at the Library III, working on the Condo Board, trips to Virginia, and breakfast at the diner in Somers Point. We learned a great deal about your adventurous life during those days.Your greatest accomplishment was your fourteen-year pursuit of the person who took your daughter Lisa's life. You had to deal with police, prosecutors, private investigators, and the U.S. Government, but you never gave up. Your persistence paid off with the arrest, trial and conviction, of her husband.Rest in peace, Joe. You really deserve it.God bless.Gene and Donna

August 22 at 8:43 AM

SH

Steven Hoffman posted:

Joe was a good man. A good friend. I'll never forget how he supported and helped me over the years. Nancy, take care of yourself. I'm so sorry you lost your Joe. Rest in peace good friend.Steve Hoffman

August 11 at 12:43 AM



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TW

T. Wisser posted:

Dear Nancy, We were so surprised and sad to read of Joe's passing. He certainly was one of a kind. Our life was made richer just in the few years we knew him. We have fond memories of him and his stewardship at Harbor View. We are certain that you miss him. Our condolences to you and your family, Tom and Carole Wisser

July 30 at 10:09 AM

NM

Nancy Marto posted:

Joe I miss you and love you more than life. You were my lover, my soulmate, and my best friend. I will never forget the love you and I shared. I will love you till the end of time.

July 30 at 9:04 AM

JT

Joan Buenzle Taylor posted:

I attended Woodrow Wilson High School in Camden, NJ, graduating in 1951. He was always a swell guy and proud that he was my classmate. RIP, Joe. Love, Joan

July 29 at 3:03 PM

MP

Margie Prosinski posted:

The passing of a great man. My heart is heavy I know he is with his beloved daughter, Nancy I pray that God sends you the strength to get through this most difficult time. I admired Joe for his fight and his loyalty to what he believes in God be with you and him Love Margie Prosinski

July 29 at 10:43 AM

JD

Joseph V Dibianca posted:

Joe, was a very close friend of mine and will be sadly missed. The ache in his heart for the loss of his Daughter Lisa, is finally silenced and replaced with the joy of being with her. I'll miss our daily calls.
Joe DiBianca

July 29 at 3:22 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Joseph by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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