



Marcello Cordova Trejo

August 25, 1975 - July 4, 2014

Marcello Cordova Trejo, age 38 of Centreville, VA died suddenly on July 4, 2014. He was a firefighter for Prince William County.

He is survived by his wife Joy Trejo; a daughter Sophia Trejo; his mother Christine Smith; 2 sisters Jessica Smith and Michelle McDevitt and 1 brother Joaquin Trejo.

The family will receive friends at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA on Friday, July 18, 2014 from 5-8 PM and on Saturday, July 19, 2014 from 3-6 PM. A memorial service to celebrate his life will be held at Chapel Springs Church, 11500 New Life Way, Bristow, VA 20136 on Sunday, July 20, 2014 at 3:00 PM.

In lieu of flowers the family request that donations be made to either NFFF.org or KyleWilsonMemorial.com. Local 2598 has established a fund for Marcello and Joy's daughter Sophia. Donations can be made through the Prince William County Employees Credit Union. Checks can be payable to Prince William Professional Firefighter FBO Sophia Trejo

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Visitation

JUL 19. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
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Celebration of Life

JUL 20. 3:00 PM (ET)

Chapel Springs Assembly of God
11500 New Life Way
Bristow, VA 20136

Tribute Wall

VG

“ Joy,

I was trying to look you up and found out a about Marcello. I was shocked and so saddened to hear about his passing.

Please know you and your beautiful daughter are in my prayers.

With much love, Vicki Green

VICTORIA LOUISE GREEN - October 21, 2015 at 04:22 PM

MP

“ *We just learned of Marcello's passing and I am so sorry for your loss. Marcello was a part of the ZJ Boarding House family years ago and was dearly loved by everyone. He had a huge heart, big smile and was a rising star at the store when he decided to move on to bigger and better things. And of all the many employees we've had over the years that tried to become a fireman, he was only one of two that did so.*

We send condolences and love from from the entire ZJ Boarding House family.

Mikke Pierson & Todd Roberts

Mikke Pierson - September 11, 2014 at 07:43 PM

JR

“ Joy,

I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family are in my prayers.

Sincerely,

Jane Richardson

-ACPS

Jane Richardson - August 11, 2014 at 06:15 PM

LU

“ He was a good guy. Knew him in high school and we played a little vball together every now and then at sm pier. My condolences to his family. I'm so sorry.

Luis - August 01, 2014 at 10:54 PM

OD

“ To Joy and Sophia: I am very sorry to hear of your loss and am sending my condolences. Every time I saw Marcello, he was full of joy and smiles. Please know that you are in our prayers.

*Orlander Duncan
The Campagna Center*

Orlander Duncan - July 21, 2014 at 09:13 AM

SB

“ "Sending condolences to you and Sophia, May God wrap his loving arms around you comforting you in your hour of need."

*Sandra Brown
Campagna Center Head Start*

Sandra Brown - July 21, 2014 at 05:58 AM

TB

“ Joy, I send you, Sophia and the rest of Cello's family my deepest condolences. I will continue to have you and your family in my prayers for healing and understanding.

*With a Sincere Heart,
Tawnita*

Tawnita Blay - July 19, 2014 at 05:52 AM



“ Trejo was the most unique person I've ever played ball with. Easily the best player on the field, he just tried to throw easy-to-hit strikes down the middle so more balls would be hit to us in the field. He was more about everybody having fun than winning or impressing anybody, even though he still struck out plenty of guys without trying and led us to the championship last season.

There were only two times I saw what he really could do on the pitcher's mound. One time the other team made him mad because they weren't pitching very sportsmanlike. So he threw his best stuff. From Center Field, I remember seeing the best curveball I had ever seen in my life. Our teammate, Tony, still talks about how I exclaimed aloud, I was so impressed. Needless to say, the other team didn't touch him.

The only other time was a game with a forfeit, so he pitched to both teams as a scrimmage. For fun, he decided to show me his best pitches. For one of them, he told me he was going to throw a sinker, a benefit rarely given to batters! I knew it was coming, but I still hit a weak ground ball to the 3rd basemen.

Trejo made a great game even more fun. I'm sad to hear his passing and wish his family the best.

-Scott

Scott Schlimmer - July 18, 2014 at 01:17 PM

DU

“ The Chief and Members of Dumfries Triangle Rescue Squad were sorry to hear of your loss! Know we are praying for you.

Duane - July 18, 2014 at 02:21 AM



“ *Tropical Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Marcello Cordova Trejo.*



July 16, 2014 at 09:12 AM



“ *Marcello, we played baseball in college and again after our college career ended. You will be dearly missed not only as a great baseball player, but a great friend. R.I.P thoughts and prayers go out to your family and friends.*

David Scanlan

David Scanlan - July 15, 2014 at 09:53 PM



“ *Marcelo, It was great playing baseball with you in california and more of a honor to being a friend... Bless your soul bless your family*

Eric Orue

eric - July 15, 2014 at 03:26 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Please find comfort in God's word the Bible. One day you will see your loved one again. John 5:28, 29.*



sheila gordon - July 15, 2014 at 06:20 AM

CB

“ To the family of MarcelloI am so sorry to hear about your loss. I barely knew him, but heard such wonderful things about him. What a wonderful person. May God bless his loved ones with strength during this very sad time

carole bradford - July 14, 2014 at 10:09 PM

 Tanya Imonti

“ Marcello was the sweetest, happiest, most polite young man I ever met. I have known his family since I was a kid and my heart goes out to his family...especially his wife and daughter.

I remember walking past him at Venice High and he always had a big smile. Rest in peace, now you can share that big smile with God as he watches over you.

Tanya Imonti - July 13, 2014 at 08:23 PM

JD

“ I,am heart broken by the lost you my prayers are with your family.may GOD strengthen us all thru this very hard time. john dunlap

john dunlap - July 12, 2014 at 10:01 PM

GG

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family during this difficult time.

*God Bless,
Gary and Nisha (Hignojoz) Guzman*

Gary Guzman - July 12, 2014 at 03:13 PM

ME

“ I learned today about Marcello. Compared with most of the people posting here, I barely knew him, but over the past 5 years, the men's baseball league team that he managed occasionally played the one that I used to manage. And I'll tell ya, it stood out to me that whenever we managers did the usual pre-game plate conferences with the umpires, he always went out of his way to say how glad he was to be playing, & how his main focus was just on everyone having a great time & on no one getting injured, and that if his guys or my guys happened to win or not, heck, that wasn't the main thing & wasn't as important. And he was ALWAYS like that, EVERY time we played his guys; and was just one of those guys that, even when he'd crank a double to the gap against us (which he sure did more than once or twice!), you couldn't help but feel happy for him. And I'm sorry I don't have anything else to say or anything to make it better for his family. I just know that next time I step on a ballfield, I'll think about him & how he oughtta be there.

--Matt Edwards
Clifton, VA

Matt Edwards - July 11, 2014 at 02:06 PM

CD

“ Sending my deepest condolences to your family. I will continue to pray for strength within your family.

Corease Doty
-The Campagna Center

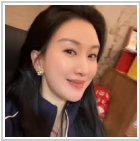
Corease Doty - July 11, 2014 at 11:06 AM

AI

“ *My condolences to the Trejo family. I pray the hearts of you and your family are strengthened during such a trying time in losing your loved one. My thoughts and prayers will be with you.*

*Aiesha Jones
The Campagna Center*

Aiesha - July 11, 2014 at 10:03 AM



“ *I was shocked to know Marcello passed away. I went to Venice with him and I always remembered how funny and kind he was! My deepest condolences to the family and hope that his passing, although tragic, was peaceful.*

Monica Gonzalez-Cazon - July 10, 2014 at 03:02 PM

JM

“ *Joy-
You have no idea how fortunate we are that you guys came into our lives. I will never forget Marcello's constant smiles and laugh. He truly holds a special place in many hearts. Please know we are here for you and Sophie if you ever need anything.*

*Much love,
Julie Mock*

Julie Mock - July 10, 2014 at 11:42 AM

BV

“ *Barbara Valentine lit a candle in memory of
Marcello Cordova Trejo*



Barbara Valentine - July 10, 2014 at 01:55 AM

BV

“ *This is a tragic time in all of our lives who knew and loved Marcello. Marcello was my son Todd's, best friend. Marcello was the life of the party...always hamming it up with his buddies. So handsome, so full of spirit, and kind and loving to everyone. When Marcello and Joy lived in Los Angeles, I would see them often. We attended their breathtaking wedding on the beach in Malibu and knew from the day that Joy and Marcello met, that their marriage was made in heaven. When my son was an LA City firefighter, Marcello and he had a lot in common, and even though miles apart, their friendship stayed strong and bonded over the years. The news has devastated all of us. I can't even imagine the pain both sides of the family and his dearest friends are feeling as we all mourn the death of our loving Marcello.*

My family's hearts go out to Joy, Sophia, and all of Marcello & Joy's families. We have no doubt that Marcello is on a wondrous journey to reap his rewards in heaven. We pray that the sadness in each of your hearts be replaced with the memory of Marcello's kind, loving and nurturing spirit and his ability to give each of you his unconditional love. Our hearts are broken too. Our deepest sympathy is extended to all who feel the pain and loss of losing such a great guy.

We will always remember you Marcello, as you have carved out a very special spot in our hearts that your light will always shine.

*Love,
Barbara Valentine & Family
Los Angeles*

Barbara Valentine - July 10, 2014 at 01:47 AM



“ *i was fortunate enough to attend school with Marcello at Marina Del Rey Jr. High school, the thing that stood out about him was his huge big smile, he treated others with respect, and was a great athlete, we played basketball and he was a great choice to have as a teammate! thanks for the smiles and laughter while we were both growing up! Rest in peace my friend!*

Mike Gabry - July 09, 2014 at 09:40 PM



“ *Marcello will be deeply missed, deepest sympathies to the Trejo family.*

Adrienne Alwag-Aipia - July 09, 2014 at 05:16 PM



“ *Marcello ALWAYS had a smile on his face and jokes to crack or laugh at! My condolences to his family!!*

Brandon Forbes - July 09, 2014 at 04:54 PM

PS

I remember Marcelo from Culver City Little League. He was one of the nicest, sweetest and most polite kids I ever met. Such a sweetheart. Never heard a bad word about him. Always pleasant with a great smile. Condolences to the family, I know he will be truly missed. May God be with you through this difficult time.

Patsy Imonti Sanchez

patsy sanchez - July 14, 2014 at 09:25 PM