



Cesar Jaime

May 5, 1955 - June 1, 2008

Cesar Jaime, of Oakhurst N.J., died on Sunday June 1st. Cesar's generous, fun-loving spirit and boundless kindness made him a beloved partner, friend, son and brother.

Born in Puerto Rico, Cesar moved to NYC in 1981 and graduated from the Physician Assistant program at Cornell University. Cesar worked for many years at the Burn Unit of Sloan Kettering in NYC and subsequently at the Plastic Surgery Department of Lenox Hill Hospital also in NYC. A graduate of the Boston Culinary Institute, Cesar was an accomplished chef.

In 1988 Cesar moved to Boston and New Hampshire with his long-term partner, Marc Halper. 2003 brought Cesar and Marc to Asbury Park, N.J. where Cesar pursued a career in Real Estate as an agent and Office/ Sales Manager at the John C. Conover Agency.

Everyone who knew Cesar loved him. He had an infectious smile, a memorable laugh and a zest for life. His charisma, style, elegance and grace made Cesar a center of attention at any gathering. Cesar was a passionate world traveler and spent his summers in Fire Island Pines, N.Y. and Moultonborough, New Hampshire.

Cesar is survived by his partner Marc Halper, his mother Petra and his father Diego, a brother Luis and a large extended family. He leaves a legacy of beauty for those who were fortunate enough to know him.

Family and friends are asked to go directly to church on Friday.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 5. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
Tinton Falls, NJ

Visitation

JUN 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bongarzone Funeral Home
2400 Shafto Road
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Service

JUN 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Mount Carmel
805 Pine Street
Asbury Park, NJ

Tribute Wall



“ To a very special and kind person...the type of individual who exuded such a warm and caring vibe.. someone who cared only about the joy and beauty of life. You will surely be missed Cesar. Until someday when we all may dance together again...
Dave###imported-begin###Dave Syrek###imported-end##

June 05, 2008 at 05:15 PM



“ You were a great friend and I will dearly miss you.
Jerry###imported-begin###jerry bohms###imported-end##

June 05, 2008 at 11:49 AM



“ I was sad to hear of the passing of Ceaser, we spent some amazing times together over the years and he was a ture friend. His smile was infectious and we had some amazing laughs. We celebrated brithdays and wonderful moments at the cabin in New hampshire.

My heart goes out to Marc at the loss. I will remember him as a warm hearted and generous soul.

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June 05, 2008 at 02:48 AM



“ I am so very sad to read of Cesar's passing to a better place. I have known him while he was in Boston. Joy and a beautiful spirit is what comes to mind when I think of Cesar. A sense of mischief was ever present. Always making fun of the size of my penmanship! :) He held a special quality of making people comfortable and happy looking at his smile. He will be missed! Marc, I am so sorry for your loss! My sympathy to you and both families at this time of loss.##imported-begin##Debralee Quinn##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 11:56 PM



“ Cesar's friendship was/is a treasured gift. His powerful charisma was tangible from the first time I met him. That first evening was a dinner at Jay's house. Cesar was a bit late because he had a Closing. I was talking to "Cesar's" Marc and the room was buzzing. As soon as Cesar walked in, everything stopped. All eyes went to Cesar and all arms went around him. It has been that way ever since. The next memorable night was an awards dinner - yes Cesar was receiving one for outstanding sales- and people were lined up to say hello to Cesar. Cesar was a star - a white light in a harsh world. He loved without demands; he gave without expectation; he was sweet and kind and very generous. Cesar was loyal beyond words and ethical to a T. And no-one knew how to have fun like Cesar did. I will miss him wildly and love him forever. There is a part of my heart that will always belong to only him. Marc, please know I am here for you - no matter what you need -any time - any where.##imported-begin##Betsy Old##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 11:27 PM



“ I am very sad todayjust found out Cesar is no longer in this plane of life but he is still around. He has the most beautiful smile I have ever seen and his soul is solid. I know this from the time I saw him for the first time and then spending time with both of you.

Marc, I would love to do something for Cesar in Puerto Rico. I am here in the island and will wait for your call. I have been living here for a year and a half. I am never leaving.

Please call me at
508 596 7157

Love, Maru##imported-begin##Maru Fusté##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 10:31 PM



“ I was deeply saddened by the passing of Cesar. I knew him when he lived in Boston. He is remembered for his charm and caring manner. My heartfelt sympathy##imported-begin##Roberta Goldman##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 10:15 PM



“ Dear Cesar: You will be missed by many. I met Cesar in 2005 when we purchased our summer home with his help. He was wonderful to deal with during and after the transaction. A true professional. May he rest in peace. Charlene, Joseph and Jennifer Barbetta##imported-begin##Charlene Barbetta##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 09:00 PM



“ Cesar was a wonderful, sweet and warm-hearted man who loved life to the fullest and who gave everyone around him his best at all times. I will fondly remember the many wonderful times we shared in Boston, New Hampshire and in Greece. My heartfelt condolences to Marc and to both families.##imported-begin##steve smith##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 07:55 PM



“ Marc we are so sorry for your loss. We will miss his laughter, jokes, and great food. How awesome it was to know him.
Dawn Ellis, Weichert Realtors##imported-begin##Dawn Ellis##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 04:33 PM



“ Dearest Marc,
Our hearts are overwhelmed with sorrow for such a loss; not only our loss or yours, but truly everyone Cesar touched. The world has become a little gloomier without him. His laughter, smile, and attitude were what made Cesar such a wonderful person and character too! We know that he is already in the kitchen cooking something because there is no way he will eat whatever they are serving up there!
With deepest love and sadness
Jeff & Cristine##imported-begin##Jeff & Cristine Sinnott##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 12:35 PM



“ Dear Cesar,

You are and will be greatly missed. I consider myself blessed to have had the opportunity to work with you, laugh with you until I cried (oh so many times!), hang out with you, break bread with you and to have you as a friend.

I had no idea that day when Lucille introduced you to me in her office that you would prove to be such a joy to work with and would become a friend not just a co-worker.

Anyway, thank you for touching my life in such a positive way. I love you much. Brianna sends her love too.

Love you always,

Connie###imported-begin##connie king##imported-end##

June 04, 2008 at 10:52 AM