

OBITUARY

Jorge Fernandez, age 54, of Hackettstown, NJ formerly of New York City, NY died Friday, June 8, 2018 at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, New Brunswick, NJ. Mr. Fernandez was born November 19, 1963 in New York, NY. He was the son of the Iris (Maurino) Fernandez and the late Pursiano Fernandez. In addition to his father he is preceded in death by his mother in law and father in law, Mary Ann and William Gratacos.

He was employed by Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ as an Area Manager for many years. Jorge was a very generous, hardworking and dedicated husband and father. He had a enormous spiritual love of God, was known for his ability to make people laugh. Many will remember his love of hats, especially his Russian hat or his favorite Fedora. Jorge enjoyed boxing, all types of music and a good cigar.

He is survived by his loving wife: Julianna (Gratacos) Fernandez, his cherished children, Rachel and Elijah Fernandez; his devoted mother Iris (Mourino) Fernandez, a brother, Jose Fernandez and wife Yolanda, a sister, Rosaura Fernandez, 3 brothers in law, William Gratacos and wife Carol, Richard Gratacos and wife Donna, Brian Gratacos and wife Valarie, 2 sisters in law, Patricia Wilder and husband Blaze, Suzanne Mahler and husband Robert, many nieces, nephews, cousins, great nieces and nephews and his beloved dogs, Vader, Brutes and Laya.

Visitation will be Wednesday, June 13, 2018 from 1-5 pm at Cochran Funeral Home, Inc., 905 High Street, Hackettstown, NJ with services beginning at 5pm with Mr. Jose Fernandez of Bethel Life Center, East Stroudsburg, PA officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Star 99.1, P.O. Box 9053, Zarephath, NJ 08898 or to Eleventh Hour Rescue, P.O. Box 218, Rockaway, NJ 07866 in memory of Jorge.

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