

## **Jose Alfredo Maciel**

Jose Alfredo "Joe" Maciel of Austin, was born October 10, 1952 in Austin, TX and was called home to the Lord on January 7, 2019, at the age of 66. Joe is survived by his wife of 28 years Karen Baker, children Pamela Mann (Kenny) and Emily Portis (Doug), 8 beloved grandchildren; four sisters, Anna Maciel, Julia Ortiz, Minnie Arevalo, and Diana Monagas (John); three brothers, Robert Maciel (Rose Ann), Sam Ortiz, and Jesse Ortiz (Mary); aunt Eusebia Perez, and his loving nieces, nephews, and cousins, as well as many brother and sisters in blue. Joe is preceded in death by his parents Isidro and Trinidad Maciel; brothers Martin and Isidro "Cid" Maciel; sisters Pauline, Sara, and Lucille Maciel, and Inez Garza; great-nephew Christopher Contreras.

Born and raised in East Austin, he was proud to serve his community as a Police Officer. Joe dedicated over 30 years to the Austin Police Department. He was a phenomenal Police Officer making many friends along the way and always leaving a positive impression with everyone he encountered. But most importantly he was the most loving individual you could have ever of met. Though you may never have met before, the minute you did, you were family.

Joe had the biggest heart and his family was his greatest joy. He protected and unconditionally loved his own fiercely. He enjoyed spending time with his family, and was blessed to see extended family from Guadalajara over the holidays. Joe loved spending time out on the open ocean, fishing away in his boat. He was a light hearted, jovial human, who could always make a room burst into laughter, keep you on the edge of your seat with his cop stories, or spin fishing tales. His integrity, valor, love, and laughter will be greatly missed.

His family would like to give a special thanks to Dr. Frosty Moore and Dr. Johnny Ross for their care of Joe throughout the years.

Memorial Visitation – Friday, Jan. 11, 2019

5-7:00 p.m. Beck Funeral Home, 4765 Priem Lane Pflugerville, TX 787660

### Services

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