



John Abran Martinez

September 14, 1952 - July 31, 2024

John Abran Martinez, age 71 passed away July 31, 2024 at his home in Barnsdall Oklahoma. He was born September 14, 1952 in Long Beach California to Manuel Ocataviano Martinez and Ava Charlene Draper.

On September 11, 1976 he married Kathy Darlene Babb and the two were married until her passing April 25, 2018. He then remarried Katherine Elezabeth Toon June 2, 2019.

John worked at Baker Hughes/Petrolite from June 30, 1990 until his retirement in 2011. In 2019 he began working at Bartlesville Assisted Living and later leaving in 2023.

After retiring from 21 years at Baker Hughes he cared for his wife for many years at home, he was devoted to her for 42 years.

John was an amazing husband and father. He enjoyed cooking and was the Best! He enjoyed playing golf and taking his stepson Timothy the last few years of his life. He loved spending time with his family and friends and riding his motorcycle. Let's not forget his hobby of playing the slot machine on his phone! (of which he would ignore your call at times because it was intense). He loved going to concerts and out with his wife Katherine. He loved being a grandpa without a doubt. John loved the residents at the Bartlesville Assisted

living center and their families. He is highly spoken of by many of the employees and friends. John was loved and he loved well. He was such a great dad and grandpa. He has made an impact on so many. His faith in God was unwavering and he leaned on it throughout his life, and it has grown more and more even up to the day he was received in Glory.

John is preceded in death by His parents Marty and Charlene Martinez and his late wife Kathy Darlene Martinez.

He is survived by his Wife Katherine Martinez of the home. Sons' John and his wife Delores of California, Jason and his wife Jayme of Barnsdall and Timothy of Barnsdall; Daughters Christy and her husband Matt of Claremore, Angela and her husband Marty of Collinsville, Amanda and her husband Danny of Bartlesville; Grandchildren, Tapanga, Alyssa and husband Skylar, Brent, Andrew and wife Rossy, Ariel, Jakob, Christian, Katie, Cammeron, Olivia, Maura, Amanda, John Jr, and Oscar; Great Grands, Brynlee, Danny, Alyssa, and Octavia; Sisters Patricia and her husband Robert of California, Jeanie Benart of California as well as many brother & sister in laws, nephews and nieces.

John loved his family very much!

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Lighthouse Family Worship Center
13749 OK-11
Barnsdall, OK 74002

Lunch for family to follow

Tribute Wall

RM

“ Reggie, Mary, and all staff at BAL & MLC purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John Abran Martinez.



Reggie, Mary, and all staff at BAL & MLC - August 09, 2024 at 02:54 PM

DP

“ Uncle John. Thank you for making us feel so special. I know your family is missing you here on earth, but we will see you again in heaven. Prayers for peace and comfort beyond all understanding to Jake, Christy, Angela, Amanda, your wife., grandkids and family 🙏❤️

Dee Babb Pavia - August 07, 2024 at 02:03 PM

PB

“ Paul Butler purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of John Abran Martinez.



Paul Butler - August 07, 2024 at 10:36 AM

PB

“ Paul Butler planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Abran Martinez.

Paul Butler - August 07, 2024 at 10:36 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Abran Martinez.



August 03, 2024 at 06:52 PM



“ Caitlyn & Rainer Etzweiler, & Cindy Baca planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Abran Martinez.

Caitlyn & Rainer Etzweiler, & Cindy Baca - August 03, 2024 at 06:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Abran Martinez.



August 02, 2024 at 10:50 PM



“ The Kelley Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Abran Martinez.

The Kelley Family - August 02, 2024 at 10:50 PM

DC

“ Denise C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Abran Martinez.

Denise C. - August 02, 2024 at 07:31 PM

CW

“ Charlotte W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Abran Martinez.

Charlotte W. - August 02, 2024 at 07:22 PM

RP

“ I met John when I was 22 yrs old. I met he and Kathy through my husband at the time(Keith Christy) Jake was only 3 yrs old, and we had a toddler. Needless to say we spent so much time together, eating out, hanging out at our house, watching John and Kathy dance, he loved dancing. Through a mutual friend we all came to Christ together and I have to say it was one of the best times of our lives, and the best decision we ever made. I will miss my brother but I know your new address is so much better than ours💕, I will be praying for Katherine and all the kids for comfort and strength, your sis Rita Parks

Rita Parks - August 02, 2024 at 06:26 PM

TC

“ Tom and Rita Parks & Michael Christy purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of John Abran Martinez.



Tom and Rita Parks & Michael Christy - August 02, 2024 at 06:17 PM

TC

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Tom and Rita Parks & Michael Christy - August 02, 2024 at 06:17 PM

SH

“ Shane&Doris Babb, Nate&Sara Hatfield purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of John Abran Martinez.



Shane&Doris Babb, Nate&Sara Hatfield - August 02, 2024 at 06:08 PM