



Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos

June 14, 1931 - September 29, 2022

Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos, age 91, of Stevensville, MD, passed away in his home on Thursday, September 29, 2022. He was born in Cadarroeira, Portugal, on June 14, 1931, to the late Antonio Santos and the late Maria Inacio Santos. He was the youngest of three children.

Al came to America when he was 21 and married Sara "Bernice" Large in 1953. They shared 61 happy years together until her passing in 2014.

He enjoyed working and building Santos Construction Company along with his family and employees for over 45 years. He was a long-time parishoner at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Riverdale, MD, and St. Christopher's Catholic Church in Chester, MD.

As a devoted husband, father, grand- and great- grandfather, uncle and friend, he will be missed by the many lives he touched. He was known to many as "Pop." He is survived by two daughters, Adamaria (Santos "Robert") Galeas and Tina (Mike) Belasco; four grandchildren, Alan (Belinda Carrington) Santos, Kristina Santos, Addie (Remy) Belasco Ekvall and Sally (Gaven Harter) Belasco; and three great-grandchildren, Isabella Santos, Angelina Santos and Lillian Kidwell.

"Pop" enjoyed helping his friends and opened his home to all. Whenever

anyone visited, he loved giving golf cart rides and touring his grapevines, fruit trees, and "fig" trees.

A visitation will be held on Thursday, October 6, 2022, from 10:00 am to 11:00 am with prayers beginning at 11:00 am at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, 106 Shamrock Road, Chester, MD 21619.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the American Heart Association, 415 N Charles St, Baltimore, MD 21201.

The service will be live-streamed to view on this webpage, so please click "view memorial webcast" when the service time begins if you wish to watch it virtually. Link will appear at 11 AM under the "Tribute Wall" tab.

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Prayers

OCT 6. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

OCT 6. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Gate of Heaven - Silver Spring
13801 Georgia Avenue
Silver Spring, MD 20906

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 06, 2022 at 10:51 AM



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 05, 2022 at 01:12 PM



“ *Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ I am so sad to hear of Al's passing. He and Bernice were like family to me. I grew up next door to them in Edmonston and spent many good times with Al, Bernice, Adamaria and Lil' Tina! He always had a big smile and a hug for everyone. My condolences. Love, Big Tina

Janet LaFrance - October 14, 2022 at 02:54 PM



“ Pop is my adopted grampa. He welcomed me into the family and we shared many Sunday morning breakfasts. I will miss you dearly, Pop!! “Keep on truckin!”💕💕💕

Belinda Carrington - October 06, 2022 at 06:15 PM



“ Love, Joaquim&Matilde Nazario&Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



Love, Joaquim&Matilde Nazario&Family - October 05, 2022 at 02:18 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.*



October 05, 2022 at 10:55 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.*



October 05, 2022 at 10:42 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.*



October 05, 2022 at 10:32 AM



“ *The Plumbtree family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.*



The Plumbtree family - October 05, 2022 at 10:17 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 05, 2022 at 10:10 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 04, 2022 at 05:05 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 04, 2022 at 12:44 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 04, 2022 at 12:25 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.*



October 04, 2022 at 11:40 AM



“ *Adamaria and Tina, and family, I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember us all loading up into my dads volkwagon to come spend the weekend with ma, your mom and "Uncle Al the kiddies pal". My mom Pat and your mom were like sisters. I was so sorry to hear she passed before I could get them together one more time. Last time I saw your parents were at my grammom Pegs funeral. He was such a fun guy with endless energy. Time has a way of getting people out of touch, as death does, people separate. Please know all us coming there every summer was the hightlight of my childhood. Even with the cursing bird. What cherished memories. Thinking of you all. Linda will be coming to represent us all. Love to you all. Lori (Wira) Gayliard*

Lori Wira Gayliard - October 04, 2022 at 11:34 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.*



October 04, 2022 at 10:23 AM

LH

“ Uncle AL was our favorite fun Uncle. Every summer we traveled to Maryland to visit Aunt Bernice and Uncle AL. We admired how he built his own business and lived life to the fullest. We know he is so happy to be with Bernice again.

Linda Hallwig - October 04, 2022 at 08:50 AM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 03, 2022 at 09:15 PM

CF

“ Cesar Lopez and Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



Cesar Lopez and Family - October 03, 2022 at 08:39 PM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 03, 2022 at 07:00 PM

DA

“ AL was was a wonderful man and the best Boss I ever had. Your the best. Rest in peace my friend. With Love Darryl



Darryl - October 03, 2022 at 02:57 PM

AS

“ Ashley sent a virtual gift in memory of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos



Ashley - October 03, 2022 at 01:43 PM



“ Majestic Heart was purchased for the family of Alvaro "Al" Inacio Santos.



October 03, 2022 at 11:53 AM

WS

“ A great boss, person and friend. I will always treasure our time and conversations together. My heartfelt condolences to the family. Tina, Ada Marie, Alan and family of Al. God be with you. Wayne Shover

wayne shover - October 02, 2022 at 06:18 PM

CP

“ *Everyone loved our AI! Forget you never my friend and beloved neighbor! Rest In Peace AI Mike and Charli Plumbtree*



Charli Plumbtree - October 02, 2022 at 12:31 PM