



## Tony Marco Olivas

July 21, 1972 - October 11, 2025

Funeral Services will be transmitted on Zoom on Friday, October 17, 2025 at 11:00 A.M.

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Tony Marco Olivas, 53, passed away on October 11, 2025, in Lehi, Utah. He was born on July 21, 1972, in Green River, Wyoming, to Manuel Raul Olivas and Joan Carolyn Aaron. He married Alejandra Rangel, and they were sealed for time and all eternity in the Jordan River Temple on July 22, 1995.

Tony spent his childhood in Las Cruces, New Mexico, where he was lovingly referred to in his mother's diary entries as her "lap baby." He was known as a kind and gentle boy who adored his siblings and was often considered the best-behaved of the six children. He attended Oñate High School, where he formed lifelong friendships that endured until his passing. Charismatic and outgoing, Tony was elected Student Body President and was known for being the life of the party.

After high school, Tony served a mission in the Dominican Republic, where he learned Spanish and shared the gospel with countless families. His impact was lasting—many still remember his kindness and dedication. Tony carried the missionary spirit with him throughout his life, always eager to share his

faith with those around him.

Following his mission, Tony attended Brigham Young University, where he met the love of his life, Alejandra. After just one month of dating, they knew they were meant to be together and were sealed in the Jordan River Temple.

Tony and Alejandra welcomed their first daughter, Bianca, in September 1996. He graduated from BYU in April 1998 with a Bachelors in Business and Finance and a minor in Spanish, and together they built a beautiful family, welcoming three more children—Vanessa, Maya, and Marco—between 1998 and 2004.

Over the years, Tony and his family lived in several states, including New Mexico, Arizona, North Carolina, Florida, and Utah. Tony worked as a Mortgage Loan Officer for various banks across the country. He had a passion for cooking, cherished time with the family pets, and found joy in spending time with his children. He and Alejandra shared a love for exploring new places, trying different restaurants, and were always on the lookout for the next big adventure for their family.

Later in life, Tony became dedicated to improving his health and discovered a new passion for fitness through the F3 group. This lifestyle change brought him fulfillment and a renewed sense of purpose. He actively participated in community service, including a notable effort aiding the 2024 flood victims from Helene in North Carolina by helping pilot planes over affected areas.

Tony is survived by his beloved wife, Alejandra Olivas; his children, Bianca Duffin, Vanessa Feletoa, Maya Seegmiller, and Marco Olivas; and his cherished grandson, Theodore Ray Duffin.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Manuel Raul Olivas and Joan Carolyn

Aaron.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude to the Jordan Willows 10th Ward for their unwavering love, support, and service during this difficult time. We also wish to express our deep gratitude to the F3 group, whose support and brotherhood profoundly impacted Tony's life. Through F3, he found renewed purpose, strength, and lasting friendships that brought him immense joy. A special thank you to the compassionate staff at Holy Cross Hospital – Mountain Point for their care and kindness in our time of need.

Funeral services will be held on October 17, 2025, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints at 2161 W Grays Dr., Lehi, Utah 84043. A viewing will take place from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m., followed by the funeral service from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Interment will follow at the West Jordan Cemetery at 12:30 p.m.

Please share memories and condolences at [www.serenityfhs.com](http://www.serenityfhs.com)

# Previous Events

## Viewing

OCT 17. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

Jordan Willows 10th Ward  
2161 W Grays Dr,  
Lehi, UT 84043

## Funeral Service

OCT 17. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

Jordan Willows 10th Ward  
2161 W Grays Dr,  
Lehi, UT 84043

## Interment

OCT 17. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (MT)

West Jordan City Cemetery  
7925 S 1300 W,  
West Jordan, UT

# Tribute Wall

KG

“ Tony is a connector. He loved people, and he was such a loyal friend. When I moved to Las Cruces as a nervous 8th grader at Sierra Junior High School, Tony noticed me wearing a BYU t-shirt and said, “Hey, I bet you go to my church!” Tony invited me to hang out with his friend group, and we have been friends ever since.

As teenagers we had an amazing youth group. We gathered frequently, we laughed a lot. Tony was always in the middle of whatever jokes and pranks we played on each other. All the swagger and confidence he would display was met with an equal portion of loyalty and love. We competed in playground and church sports, frequently on the same team and occasionally on opposite teams. Whatever competitive fire we started with faded away after the game. But only for a moment. Tony would always remind us if he won. He was an amazing trash talker. He would infamously boast about being the better one-on-one basketball players in our youth group, but he did not win every time.

Even though we would go months without talking, Tony would be the one to reach out and reconnect. Whenever he would call me, he would always start by saying my first and middle name—I knew it was Tony every time. Over the years we bonded over family and food, especially green chiles. I hoped to meet up with him more frequently after he moved back to Utah. I wish there were more time, more meals, and more sporting events to share. Until meet again, Tony Marco. Rest in the Lord my friend.



JH

“ Tony was an inspiration to me and to so many of us. He showed the way to lead with love, dedication, and example. His story of change and improvement was so motivating. How grateful I am to have had the privilege of rubbing shoulders with him. His legacy will live on in our hearts forever.

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**James Harris** - October 17, 2025 at 11:29 AM

SF

“ Sue Ford lit a candle in memory of Tony  
Marco Olivas



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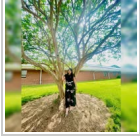
**Sue Ford** - October 17, 2025 at 08:57 AM

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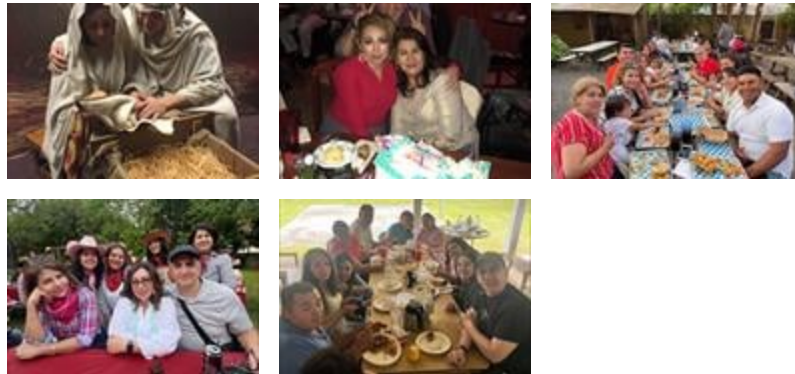
*Like a comet  
Blazing 'cross the evening sky  
Gone too soon  
Like a rainbow  
Fading in the twinkling of an eye  
Gone too soon  
Shiny and sparkly  
And splendidly bright  
Here one day  
Gone one night  
Like the loss of sunlight  
On a cloudy afternoon  
Gone too soon  
Like a castle  
Built upon a sandy beach  
Gone too soon  
Like a perfect flower  
That is just beyond your reach  
Gone too soon  
Born to amuse, to inspire, to delight  
Here one day  
Gone one night  
Like a sunset  
Dying with the rising of the moon  
Gone too soon  
Gone too soon*

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**Sue Ford** - October 17, 2025 at 08:58 AM



“ No tengo una década de conocer a Tony, pero si tuve el suficiente tiempo para darme cuenta del gran ser humano que era, perdimos un gran amigo, fue muy servicial conmigo y mi esposo, desde que le conocimos. Lo extrañaremos Tony y solamente deseamos fortaleza y consuelo para su esposa Alejandra y sus hijos.



Grissel Gutierrez - October 16, 2025 at 10:37 PM



“ I met Tony last year from when we moved to Saint Johns from Charlotte. Since then shared many fun moments, workouts as well as deep conversations within our F3 Group. His calling to move to Utah left me extremely sad, however we continued to talk daily, up till last Saturday when I received the tragic news.

Tony was inspiring, goofy, creative and above all a true friend, always willing to step up, always willing to lead, always willing to help others out. You will truly be missed my friend 😞 Till we meet again Brother!



Corné van Dongen - October 16, 2025 at 07:15 AM

EV

“ Conoci a Tony hace más de 10 años. Desde entonces fuimos familia, mi familia era su familia y su familia era la mía. Compartimos tantas aventuras, fuimos felices y lo sabíamos. Me dolió cuando se mudaron a Florida, pero esto es diferente, el dolor de su partida deja un gran vacío en toda nuestra gran familia. Hasta pronto Tonyto



Erik Ventura - October 15, 2025 at 09:46 PM

AF

“ Tonitoooooooo!!!! Fue un gran ser humano!! Vivirá por siempre en nuestros corazones ❤️❤️❤️. Siempre Paciente. Servicial, excelente Esposo, Padre, chef, y lleno de mucho amor para compartir. Les amamos olivas Family y se Que Nuestro Padre Celestial está con ustedes.



Aceituno Family - October 15, 2025 at 07:40 PM

NP

“ We met Tony 30 or more years ago in a small town in the Dominican Republic. He taught us the gospel. He liked Tease. and called my sister and me "little sisters." That was the beginning of a beautiful friendship that lasted all these years. We kept in touch and talked about our families and even our pets. We talked about how we were getting older, but like he would say we are "viejevos" (meaning we look good). I'm grateful for the opportunity to have met him and for him to teach me the gospel. My family and I love him, and we have another reason to behave well in this life so we can see him again. We love you Tony to the moon and back.

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**Nelly Pujols** - October 15, 2025 at 05:27 PM

HD

I met Tony over 30 years ago in San Jose de Ocoa in the Dominican Republic he taught really good gospel principles that helped to remain active in the church. You will be missed Tony.. Till we meet with our King again.

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**Huascar Diaz** - October 15, 2025 at 06:18 PM

MG

“ I met Tony at a stake youth event when we were teenagers and he immediately befriended me. He was obviously the more popular, more athletic, and certainly the more attractive guy, but he always made me feel like \*I\* was the star! I always admired his ability to make everyone he knew feel like a million bucks. We reconnected after our missions and though we were miles apart in different states, we would banter over his beloved 49ers football team being better than my Broncos, and have a laugh about lots of things. I was so looking forward to connecting with him since he had moved to Utah and am so sad that never happened. What stood out was how much he **ADORED** his wife and kids and especially his new baby grandson, which was the last picture he sent me of him holding his grandson.

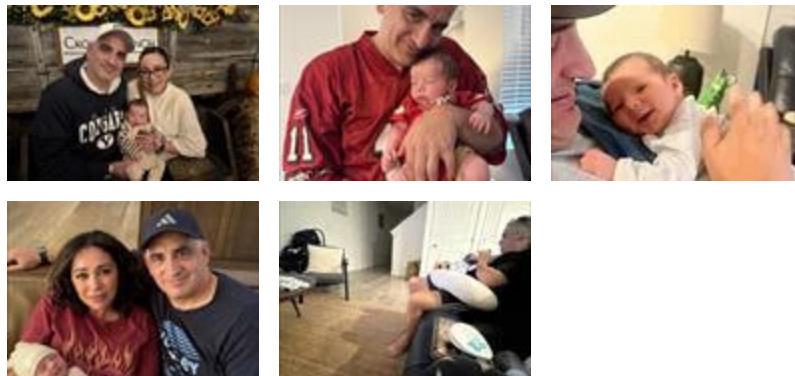
*Rest well, dear friend, until we meet again.*

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**Mike Gray** - October 15, 2025 at 01:54 AM

BD

“ Although Teddy won't grow up with his grandpa, he will know how much he is loved by him. My dad was so excited to be a grandfather, and he loved my son so much.

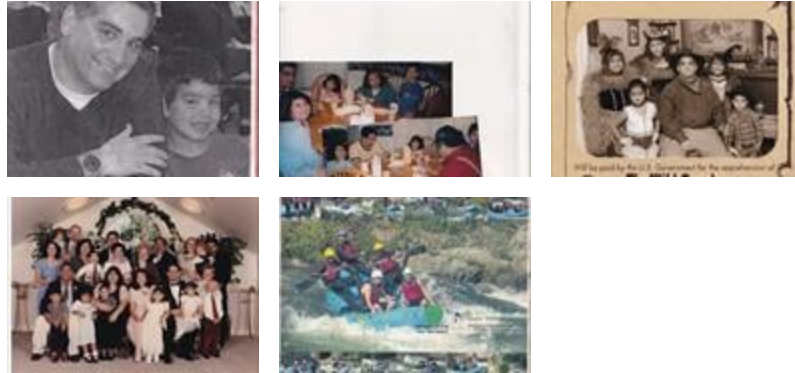


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**Bianca Duffin** - October 14, 2025 at 04:53 PM

VF

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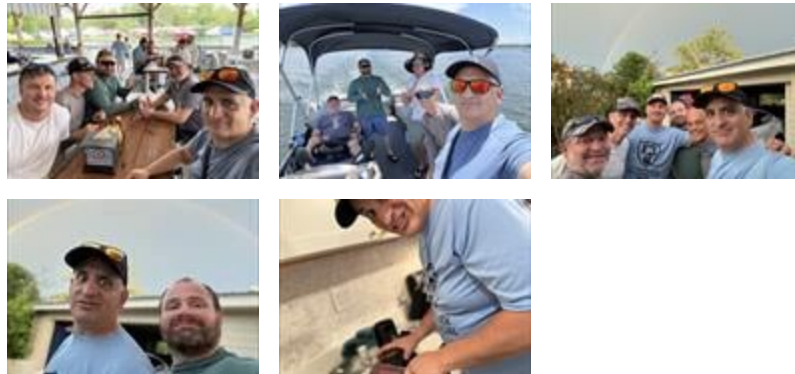


Vanessa Feletoa - October 14, 2025 at 04:36 PM

EW

“ What a great man to drive us “Sad Clowns” to a better life and purpose rooted in fitness and God!!!

*Will miss you Pinto!*



Eric Welden - October 14, 2025 at 10:37 AM

VF

“ 20 files added to the tribute wall



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**Vanessa Feletoa** - October 14, 2025 at 09:56 AM

MS

“ One perfect golden afternoon, my mom told all of us kids to go play in the front yard and wait for Dad to come home. We knew the sound of his convertible from a mile away — that familiar rumble of the engine (one of many cars just like it he'd own over the years). The moment we heard it, we jumped for joy. Daddy was home!

But this time, there was something unexpected in the front seat — a little golden retriever with the softest fur and the sweetest, curious eyes. We squealed with delight as Dad scooped him up and placed the wiggly puppy on our bellies. He licked our faces clean while we giggled so hard our sides hurt.

Dad always had a flair for surprises. He didn't just give gifts — he created moments. And that sunny day, with the smell of cut grass and puppy breath in the air, became one of those memories that still feels like pure childhood magic. 🌻



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**Maya Seegmiller** - October 14, 2025 at 09:35 AM

TA

I just barely met Tony in June at his Mom's memorial. I met six amazing cousins that day and he was one of them. I am so sad to hear of his tragic passing and sad that I had not known him better. My love and prayers to his family, friends and siblings.

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**Teresa L Aaron** - October 19, 2025 at 01:17 AM