



Charles Anthony Moraff (Tony)

May 25, 1945 - March 8, 2024

In loving memory of Charles Anthony Moraff (Tony) of Philadelphia PA, who died peacefully on Friday March 8, 2024. Tony was born on May 25, 1945 in New York City to Ivan and Virginia (Harrold) Moraff. He was raised between both the city and on Long Island, where he spent his summers and taught sailing at the Westhampton Yacht Club. He was an avid drummer and played in several bands as a teenager, but continued to play drums recreationally well into his adulthood. Tony attended The Choate school in Connecticut and then moved to Philadelphia to attend The University of Pennsylvania, where he obtained both a Bachelor's and Master's degree. In his younger days, he owned a shop in Wayne PA called the The Magical Mystery Tour, where he met many lifelong friends. Tony then went on to become a clothing manufacturer and owned his own business for many years in Chinatown. Tony was also a mentor for several children in the neighborhood, and always had an open door and an open ear for those in need.

Tony enjoyed traveling, playing the drums, long days at the beach swimming in the ocean, cooking, jazz music, and spending time with his family. He is survived by his beloved wife Delois Moraff (Walker), and his loving children Christopher Moraff (Carolyn), Justine Starling (Paul), and Jacquella Walker. He is also survived by his 7 grandchildren, Francesca, Paul Jr, Gizelle, Olivia, Dre'Quahn, Myahn and Raivahn. He will be dearly missed by all.

Private memorial in New York for family only.

In Lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Parkinson's Foundation:

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“ *Marina Young-kelly lit a candle in memory of Charles Anthony Moraff (Tony)*



marina young-kelly - May 17, 2024 at 11:19 PM



He was my first love. I was 16 years old, and he was 17. I am very sorry to hear of his death, but glad to know that later in life, he found a loving companion.

marina young-kelly - May 17, 2024 at 11:29 PM