



Andres Eloy Rivera

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Andres Eloy Rivera passed away peacefully on September 16, 2023, surrounded by his loved ones, and listening to his favorite music. He was 56 years old. Andres was born in Havana, Cuba, and grew up in East Little Havana. He graduated from Miami High School, and later earned his bachelor's degree in Information Technology from Barry University. Andres continued his education at the Florida International University, where he completed a master of science degree in Health Informatics and Analytics. He started his professional career in the non-profit sector and transitioned to health IT. For the past few years and until his death, he enjoyed working as a Clinical Informatics Analyst at Jackson Health System.

Andres had an unapparelled zest for life. His enthusiasm was infectious; he made a lasting impression on everybody he met. One could not resist being excited about the things he was passionate about. He was erudite, intellectual, refined, and generous. Yet, at the same time, he possessed a child-like excitement, dry, and often dark sense of humor, and above all, humanity. Andres could talk to anybody, and he always did. No task was too big or too small to help a friend. He whole-heartedly committed to causes he believed in, with social justice at the forefront of his pursuits.

From an early age, Andres was an avid reader, interested in literature, poetry philosophy, politics, and social studies. Andres pursued many interests, but his love and extensive knowledge of various genres of music and art were truly remarkable. He loved to share music, films, and books. People he met often received e-mails and packages with articles, notes, recommendations for best restaurants, concerts, and upcoming cultural events. He supported local libraries, donated books, but always found and brought home more. He loved exploring new restaurants, museums, and cultural events.

Andres' legacy will live in the hearts of his family, countless friends, and those whose lives he touched. His kind spirit, resilience, and humanity will continue to inspire all of us. He is survived



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by his wife Nicole, her parents, and the family of his friends. Celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, September 30, 2023, from 4 to 6 p.m., at Levitt-Weinstein Blasberg Rubin Zilbert Memorial Chapel, in North Miami Beach. Donations in Andres' name can be made to Miami Rescue Mission (<https://miamirescuemission.wufoo.com/forms/zl6cdnzm03fygc9/>).



Events


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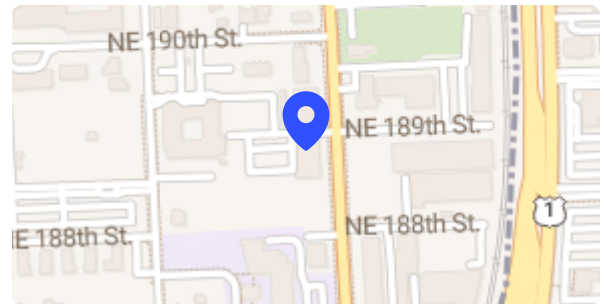
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Celebration of Life

 **Saturday**, September 30, 2023

 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM ET

 **Levitt-Weinstein Blasberg, Rubin-Zilbert Memorial Chapels**
18840 W. Dixie Highway, North Miami Beach FL
33180





Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Rivera family.

September 29 at 1:45 PM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Rivera family.

September 29 at 11:47 AM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Andres.

September 29 at 11:47 AM





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Michelle Vazquez lit a candle in honor of Andres.



He was so special, we often think of him, he always had so much detail with us.. the random phone call accompanied with a package in the mail with a random detail he thought we would enjoy. Every so often something he shared with us, comes up in Victor and my conversations with each other. So insightful, we chuckle as we think of him, his kindness, his passion for culture was contagious. He was a real one, he will be missed. Happy to have shared time together, he was a good friend and a young soul. I'm sure he is looking down at us all jamming out in Warsaw heaven upstairs laughing it up at how late we all are to the party 🍷 What a cool dude, we are honored to have made a friendship with him. Sending our love and prayers

September 29 at 8:03 AM



Nicole Kwapisz October 2 at 6:48 AM

Thank you, Michelle.



Stan Price posted:

I met Andres on several occasions and found him to be engaging and well versed on many subjects. He will be missed. SBP

September 26 at 5:57 PM



Keith Clarke posted:

Andres qualities of engagement, energy, appreciation, attentiveness and high taste in cultural exchange and intellectual analysis can never cease to exist. He won't be missed because he can't be forgotten. He still is, a one of a kind human spirit and high frequency intellectual stimulus, bubbling with love.

September 26 at 9:16 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Andres by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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