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Anthony William "Tony" Ortagus, died unexpectedly on March 24, 2016 in St. Augustine. A native and lifelong resident of St. Augustine, Tony worked as a cook for the Santa Maria Restaurant right out high school as well as many other local restaurants. Most recently, Tony had been working as a painter for several local contractors. He was a talented painter and enjoyed his work. He occasionally attended Good Shepherd Ministries. More than anything, Tony was a loving son, father, brother, uncle and friend. He is survived by his wife, Teresa, and his children, Cheyanne and Anthony "TJ" Ortagus Jr., his mother, Chris Osteen, his sister, Amy Szczepanik (David), all of St. Augustine; a sister, Mandie Stevens (Jason) of Palm Coast; brothers, Patrick Osteen of St. Augustine, and Ralph Ortagus (Amber) of West Virginia. He was a beloved uncle to his many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, Ralph Ortagus, and his step father, Joseph Osteen. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 am on Thursday, March 31, 2016 at St. Johns Family Funeral Home with Pastor Don Rimer officiating. St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ I would like to extend my sincerest condolences to the Ortagus family during this most difficult time. Death is an enemy that robs us of the precious gift of eternal life. That is why our Heavenly Father has made this promise: " Do not be amazed at this, for the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out. " John 5 : 28, 29. Tears of sorrow will be replaced with tears of joy. Until then may you continue to draw strength and comfort from Jehovah, family and friends.

M. Verdell - April 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Tony, We will never forget the twinkle in those beautiful brown eyes, that handsome face or the love you gave. Your kind heart and free spirit will always live in our hearts. We love you! Love, Doda

D. Blevins - March 30, 2016 at 12:00 AM