



Ramachandran Gopalan

March 30, 1947 - May 11, 2024

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Previous Events

Witness Cremation

MAY 14. 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM (PT)

Irvington Memorial Crematory
41001 Chapel Way
Fremont , CA 94538

Tribute Wall

SS

“ Will miss you a lot maama. You have always been very supportive to us and I am sure you will be blessing us always.

Sangeetha Srinivasan - May 15, 2024 at 05:38 AM

RK

“ Mama gone in a hurry!! I have too many memories and uncontrollable emotions.. so I'll summarize it with what my mother always said about Raman Mama.. he was Kausalya Patti's last son with maximum talent and world conquering competence!!

*Nainam chindanti sastrani
nainam dahati pavakah
na cainam kledayanty apo
na sosayati marutah*

The soul can never be cut into pieces by any weapon, nor can he be burned by fire, nor moistened by water, nor withered by the wind.

Baghavad Geetha 🙏

Ram Krishnamurthi - May 14, 2024 at 10:13 PM

VR

“ He was Intelligent, kind and always helpful. Such a loving brother. We had such unforgettable happy days when we were kids.

He was an entertainer and helpful person. You'll always live in our hearts!

Bimbi

Vidya Ramakrishnan - May 14, 2024 at 09:49 PM

KE

“ Uncle, this was not a loss I was ready for. I have always felt the warmth and affection of a family member in your presence. Thank you for extending that to me. Everyone has talked about your humor, your wit, your authority and kindness- you’ve lived your true and genuine life with everyone and left a piece of you in their lives. It was great to know you and you will be missed!!

-Keerthana

Keerthana - May 14, 2024 at 08:54 PM

SR

“ Dear Raman mama,

You have always been like a father figure for us during our growing up years. You had a great sense of humor and a bit of satire in your jokes which we used to enjoy growing up. Wish you could have lived longer spreading the joy and unending love and warmth you had for everyone around you. We will cherish your memories and you will always hold a special place in all our hearts.

Much love,
Suhasini

Suhasini Ramakrishnan - May 14, 2024 at 08:08 PM

RA

“ A life full of trials and yet consciously positive and content - Homage to the lively Ramachandran who shared his joy and happiness with us all.

Rajan

Rajan - May 14, 2024 at 12:46 PM

KA

“ My grandfather (G Ramachandren) is a mysterious but very funny person. He is a sweet guy at heart, He would always make me laugh and do drama. He was the best thata I could have ever asked for. I had endless memories of him.

One of my favorite memories was whenever my grandfather visited me, He and I would be playing chess together. I always have fun when I am playing against thata. I loved spending time with thata and he loved spending time with me.

Another one of my favorite memories was when me and him would be playing hide and seek. I was an incredibly good hider and seeker. I would always find thata extremely fast and he would take a while to find me. Me and thata were close and we would have a fun time when we were together.

My grandfather was a wonderful person. I was very shocked and devested when I heard about my grandfather. I thought he would be there for a longer time. I was not ready for this at all.

I know that I will not be able to see, hear or talk to my grandfather again, but I know that he will always be looking down on us from heaven. I will always be thinking of the memories that I had for him, and he will always be in my thoughts. I will always be missing him, but I will never forget about him.

By Kamakshi komandur

(The best kuttiazhagi (small, beautiful girl) in the world

Kamakshi - May 14, 2024 at 12:42 PM

RK

“ Today I'd want to honor the memory of G. Ramachandran, whom I affectionately referred to as 'Ramu' despite my mother's insistence that I not do so. We often called him as 'Drama Rama' since he was the maestro of drama but majority of the time we lovingly called him Thatha.

He was a character in our life who kept us all on our toes, especially my grandma Bhooma/ Koki, by arguing with her for the most ridiculous reasons or refusing to do what she said. But, despite their differences (which we found to be amusing), he still loved her and was always there for her, continuously looking out for her.

His mischievous antics and joyful personality offered us all the joy we didn't realize we needed. But beyond the theatrics, he was the most loving and devoted grandfather anyone could ask for. One of his greatest pleasure was seeing his grandchildren smile and hearing our laughter. He was the entertainer in our family, the source of countless jokes and playful teasing. He was obsessed with his phone and enjoyed taking the most random pictures of the things around him and sharing them with all his children and grandchildren, it was his way of capturing memories.

My little cousin sister Tanu said that he is in heaven now and watching us make him proud through his camera. Another one of our favorite memories of him was him wishing good morning in the silliest manner, singing "Baiiiiiiiiiiii" before we left and "Haiiiiiiii" when we returned and him singing the silliest version of Happy Birthday which I found to be very silly, but now I will miss it. Now whenever I step outside him singing " Baiiiiiiiiiiii" will ring in my head.

Thank you thatha for the endless memories, for your lessons wrapped in laughter and for the love you have showered on all of us.

We'll miss you G. Ramachandran.

Your eldest grandchild and granddaughter

Revathi

Revathi Komandur - May 14, 2024 at 12:16 PM

RR

“ *Dear mama,*

Growing up, we all admired and loved you for your style, witty humor and unwavering zest for adventure. Your affection for the whole family shone brightly in your warm welcome and boundless excitement for each and everyone. It is too soon for you to be gone from our lives.

You will forever occupy a cherished place in our hearts.

Kichi

Ram Ramakrishnan - May 14, 2024 at 07:10 AM

VA

“ *You could see immediately how much thatha loved his kids or grandkids. Every video call he went on, he would always be so happy and it always made me feel good no matter how I felt before. He always wanted the best for us and his family. He always believed in me. I'm so grateful for the time I spent with you over the years. There's so many more things to say that I just can't put into words. I know that you always will be with me.*

-Vaibhav

Vaibhav - May 14, 2024 at 01:06 AM

