



## Claude Sapigao Lobusta

August 8, 1947 - September 20, 2020

Claude Sapigao Lobusta—dedicated husband, beloved father and grandfather, and friends to all—unexpectedly passed away on September 20th, 2020 in Fairfield, California.

Born August 8, 1947 in Asingan, Pangasinan, Philippines, son to Jose R. Lobusta and Jemima Sapigao and brother to Iluminada Santos, Evelyn Galang, Jose Lobusta Jr., Erlinda Jacinto, Bernardo Lobusta, Tessie Lobusta, Joeffre Lobusta.

Claude was trained in the Philippine Military Academy in Baguio City. He continued his education and earned his Bachelor of Arts from José Rizal University. He proudly served as an Officer in the Philippine National Police prior to moving his family from the Philippines to the United States. He became a Technical Engineer at Sea Tel Inc. for 17 years, touring overseas to places such as West Africa and Europe. He enjoyed his retirement by creating projects with his own hands, spending time with grandchildren, and traveling with his wife.

His memory will be cherished and kept alive by his eternal wife and hopelessly devoted companion of 51 years, Adelaida Baguiao Lobusta; his loving children Joyce Lobusta Laurora (Lito), Cherryl Lobusta Ting (Edzel), Hazel Lobusta Javier (Anthony), and Michael Baguiao Lobusta (Anna); and

his thirteen adoring grandchildren.

He will be remembered for his outrageously entertaining stories, dependable work ethic, his contagious smile and corny jokes, and willingness to help out anyone in need. In his later years, when respiratory issues deprived him of energy and strength, it also gave him a gentleness and sensitivity that we all treasured. During this challenging time, he taught us patience and allowed us to express a small measure of the service he had long showed to all of us.

We are blessed to learn many valuable lessons from our dad during his 71 years, among them: “When driving, would you rather get there in one piece or in pieces? I’ll cross the bridge when I get there. Don’t make any promises, just do it. Keep your head up. Calm down, relax, and be happy. Whatever you do in life, do your best and reach for the very top and be the best you can.”

We would like to express our thanks to all of those who provided comfort and care to our dad through the years. Until we meet again, strawberry fields forever.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **25**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Fairfield Funeral Home  
1750 Pennsylvania Ave.  
Fairfield, CA 94533  
(707) 425-1041  
info@fairfieldfuneral-home.com  
<http://www.fairfieldfuneral-home.com/>

## Funeral Service

SEP **26**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

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## Visitation

SEP **27**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

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# Tribute Wall

CT

“ I remember i would walk into your room and say hi and give you a heg, you would pick me up from pre school all the way to kindergarten i waved bye to you i will know that your soul is back in gods hands ❤️

Charmaine Ting - June 19, 2021 at 10:10 PM

AL

“ I bonded with Papa Eddie since day 1 until the very end. When I was from age 0-6 I would sleep with him on the couch or bed because I loved him so much and he would say "Balong, matulog na sa tabi ko." Then I would say "okay po". From the age of 8-13, I would help him build huge things, fix, clean, and also take off rust from his tools using (WD-40) he showed me how to use it then it worked and it took off a lot of rust. Also, he has jokes that will live forever in my life and the Lobusta family and he's hecka funny if you didn't know that. Some things we did before he slept forever is me massaging his back for 30 mins, bring him snacks and food, take care of him since 2010, and chill with him for 24/7. Also, he took care of me and everyone else even though he was sick or tired and he didn't care because he wanted us to be happy. I have a lot more stories to tell that I remember but I don't want it to be really long. Love you Papa Eddie -Angelo (his grandchild) if he was still here he would say "Love you too balong, and give me a heg :)" (Yes heg) <3



Angelo Lobusta - October 28, 2020 at 06:49 PM

 Gloria  
Adapon

“ *Seldom in one's life to have a friendship that last till the end of life itself. We might not be as close in distance but too close by memories we shared for over 50 years of friendship.*

*Life and destiny can steal you away but nothing can take away precious memories. Me and my family will always remember and cherish the great times we shared with you.*

*Thanks for being my best friend. I will miss you till the end.....  
" MAY YOUR SOUL REST IN PEACE "*

*Pareng Boy Adapon*

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**Gloria Adapon** - September 26, 2020 at 09:14 PM

JL

“ *Uncle Eddie was a very funny person. His humor and personality is identical to my late papa, Bernardo S. Lobusta Sr. He was the life of the party and was known for his craziness and laid back attitude. You will be truly missed Uncle. I remember, as a little kid, we used to have get togethers at our house in Moorpark. I always remember Uncle Eddie's laugh and his dancing!! It always made me laugh. When you get all the uncles together, Something crazy was gonna go down. Thank you for all the memories. Love and miss you!!!*

*Joal Lobusta*

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**Joal Lobusta** - September 26, 2020 at 09:03 PM

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**Gloria Adapon** - September 26, 2020 at 06:18 PM

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**Gloria Adapon** - September 26, 2020 at 09:35 AM

RD

“ *Uncle Eddie, an inspiration, a man , a father, a grandfather ....a man who've i could say who prove's the Word "FAMILY". Thank you for all the support Uncle. The very first memory I remembered was when the time you called miles away long distance and says that you and auntie aida had this computer that might i need for my schooling.. you are excited to tell me on that And i do felt it. Unending thank you ever since. You were one of the great people i look up to.*

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**rina dulay** - September 25, 2020 at 08:16 PM

JM

“ It was Oct 17, 2011 when I first met Uncle Ed, Auntie Aida and their lovely family. We bought their "pasalubong" from my BF then Butch, his nephew. Even though it was our first time to have conversation, I can tell that Uncle Ed was a very good man. He always joke around and will tell you a lot of stories about him and his beautiful wife Auntie Aida. There was never a dull moment everytime I will visit them in FF. Uncle, I know how happy you are when Butch finally arrived in here in the US. How we wish we can often visit you and Auntie. But because of this pandemic we can't do that. I am so thankful to witness your 49th year Renewal of Vows and your memorable 50th Golden wedding Anniversary. I will always treasure all your advise to me and Butch. Thank Uncle for welcoming me with open arms as your family. I will miss you jokes. I glad we were able to visit you and hear your jokes again. Rest in Peace Uncle Ed. You will forever have a special place in my heart.

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**Jean Monzon** - September 25, 2020 at 01:46 PM

FF

“ Frank & Julie Fair purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Claude Sapigao Lobusta.



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**Frank & Julie Fair** - September 23, 2020 at 04:40 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Claude Sapigao Lobusta.



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September 23, 2020 at 12:46 AM

JL

“ *Joyce Laurora lit a candle in memory of  
Claude Sapigao Lobusta*



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**Joyce Laurora** - September 22, 2020 at 10:33 PM

FF

“ Claude Sapigao Lobusta

*Eddie (as he is known to most) took on his earth suit August 8, 1947. His mortality took on immortality as he went to be with the Lord on September 20, 2020. Eddie was the epitome of a true family man.*

*Eddie's last breath on earth was his first breath in heaven. He is survived by a lot of people who really loved him and I'm one of them! When Eddie was born, he cried and everyone was happy... Now everyone cries and He is happy. He is with the Lord and has no more pain!*

*I first met Eddie and Aida more than 50 years ago. Julie and I drove from Clark A.B. to Manila so I could ask for his blessing to marry Julie. Not only did he give me his blessing but told me how to ask Julie's Uncles and Grand Father as well. Eddie and Aida accepted me into the Lobusta Family as a brother. AND the entire Lobusta Family accepted me as well. In 1999-2001 Eddie and I worked in Benin, West Africa. I could not have done that without Eddie. Eddie, Kent and I were like the 3 musketeers. We worked together, lived together, and went everywhere together. Thanks for all the GREAT memories Eddie!*

*Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal.*

*No goodbye's Eddie, just see you later my brother. We all love you very much!!*

*Frank & Julie*

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**Frank Fair** - September 22, 2020 at 06:41 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of  
*Claude Sapigao Lobusta*.



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September 22, 2020 at 04:34 PM