



## Robert Onate

April 10, 1969 - August 28, 2023

It is with devastating sorrow that the family of Reed Oñate announce his passing on Monday August 28, 2023 in Roseville, CA, when Reed went to his eternal home with Jesus.

Reed was instrumental in the development and construction of thousands of homes and businesses throughout the Bay Area, and took pride in his role in shaping the future of his community and providing others places to live and call home. One of his fondest memories was being a part of the team responsible for the redevelopment of the San Francisco waterfront in the 90s, an area where his son calls home today.

A renaissance man in his own right, Reed was an artist, a writer, a welder, a father, and a man with a beautiful sense of aesthetics. With a white-collar job, but a blue-collar heart, Reed was just as likely to be visiting a museum or creating a beautiful oil painting for a loved one as he was to be making his own bricks or building a pergola in his back yard from scratch.

Always on a mission to make people laugh, Reed delivered his clever quips and so-bad-they-were-good “dad jokes” with a gleam in his hazel-green eyes and a sweet smile. Generous with his time and easy to have a conversation with, Reed was undoubtedly what you would call a people person.

Reed was deeply cherished and beloved by his family and friends, particularly by his parents Robert and Judy, to whom he constantly showed his love and compassion. It was a mission of Reed’s to make sure his Mom and Dad were safe and well in their elder years, and it was a mission he was delivering on in spades.

Reed was also a dedicated brother to Pilar and proud father of Reese, and to both he was devoted and irreplaceable. He enjoyed nothing more than rising them from their beds before the sun had a chance to wake up just to enjoy a round of golf with his two favorite people. A bother they don’t find so bothersome anymore.

He loved and was loved by his Aunties Margie and Dolores and cousins on both sides of his family. Reed was also fiercely loyal to the dear friends he made throughout his life, both new and old.

Reed is the beloved and cherished Son of Robert and Judy, Father of Reese, Brother of Pilar (David), Nephew of Margie, Dear Friend to Debi, and cousin and friend to many more.

Reed was preceded in death by his grandparents Robbie (Ray), Benjamin, Carmen, & Nemecio as well as his Aunties Dolores, Carmen (Michael), Emma & Uncle Bill. All of whom Reed loved immensely and they him. There are no words sufficient to describe the kind of man Reed was, but he will live in his family's hearts and minds with a deep, abiding love for eternity. Rest in Jesus' arms until we see you again.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 19. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

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

*No food or drinks allowed inside Chapel area or Funeral Home*

## Funeral Service

SEP 20. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (PT)

Rockville Stone Chapel  
4219 Suisun Valley Road  
Fairfield, CA 94533

*Burial to follow*

## Burial / Committal Service

SEP 20. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (PT)

Rockville Cemetery  
4219 Suisun Valley Road  
Fairfield, CA

# Tribute Wall

CP

“ Reed was one of the nicest person I have ever had the pleasure to know. My condolences to Pilar and Reed’s parents. God loves him so much.



Clara (Trigg) Parker - September 19, 2023 at 06:46 PM

LT

“ Lori T. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert Onate.

Lori T. - September 19, 2023 at 05:56 PM

GM

“ Gregg Nelson & Michael Maples purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Robert Onate.



Gregg Nelson & Michael Maples - September 18, 2023 at 04:26 PM

JC

“ Jennifer C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert Onate.

Jennifer C. - September 15, 2023 at 01:07 AM

LS

“ I am so glad I had the opportunity to have Reed join me and Pilar on the golf course. We would have never guessed that after high school we would enjoy our younger brothers company so much. I will miss his sense of humor and how we would laugh at his silly jokes. Gone too soon but never forgotten. RIP,  
Lani Smith



lani smith - September 12, 2023 at 11:18 PM