



Luis Estyvan Maradiaga

January 25, 2012 - November 7, 2024

Luis Estyvan Maradiaga, age 12, of Pottstown, and formerly Gilbertsville, PA, passed away on Thursday, November 7, 2024 in the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia following a courageous 16-month battle with brain cancer. Born on January 25, 2012 in Phoenixville, PA, he was a son of Luis Alfredo Maradiaga and the late Melissa Brittney Nicole (Dinich) Maradiaga.

Estyvan was a beloved 7th grader currently attending Pottstown Middle School. He was a talented artist who was passionate about drawing. He enjoyed fishing with his dad, watching scary movies, and listening to music. Estyvan looked forward to family vacations, most notably to Disney World, as well as the airplane rides. He was also fond of the mountains and camping, as well as going to the shore and Ocean City, NJ.

During last year's NHL Season, Estyvan was honored by the Philadelphia Flyers during the "Hockey Fights Cancer" campaign, and he dropped the ceremonial first puck on the ice at a Flyers game.

Estyvan was always giving back to others. In that spirit, and at his own request, as a final act after his passing, Estyvan chose donation through the Gift From A Child organization at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. It was his hope that this gesture would help brain cancer research, and other children would not have to go through what he went through.

In addition to his father, Estyvan is survived by one sister, Ava-Marie Custer; paternal grandparents, Silvia Camejo and Lelo Carcamo; maternal grandparents, Linda Melice and Mark Dinich; Uncles and Aunts, Jose Maradiaga, Lazaro Camejo, Rebecca Dinich, Savannahjo Melice and Lexie Melice; many Great-Aunts, Great-Uncles, and cousins including Great-Aunt Lisa Colletti and Great-Uncle, Wayne Colletti; as well as his most recent caregiver, Reyna Guardado and her children, Estyvan's best friends, Mario, Bryan, Yahaira, and Crystal Guardado.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service at Valley Forge Baptist, 616 S. Trappe Road, Collegeville, PA on Thursday, November 14, 2024 promptly at 11:00 AM. Officiating will be Rev. Scott E. Wendal. Burial will follow in the Washington Memorial Chapel Churchyard, Valley Forge, PA. Friends will be received from 9:00 AM-10:45 AM at Valley Forge Baptist. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his name to the Ronald McDonald House by visiting rmhcphilly.org/donate, to the Make-A-Wish Foundation by visiting wish.org/donate, or to the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia by visiting chop.edu/donate; all of whom assisted the family over these difficult times. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, PA. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Washington Memorial Chapel Churchyard

2000 Valley Forge Park Road
King Of Prussia, PA 19406

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **14**. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Valley Forge Baptist
616 S. Trappe Road
Collegeville, PA 19426

Funeral Service

NOV **14**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - November 13, 2024 at 08:16 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga.



November 12, 2024 at 10:31 AM



“ From The Dixon Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga.

From The Dixon Family - November 11, 2024 at 11:59 PM



“ From The Dixon Family purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga.



From The Dixon Family - November 11, 2024 at 11:59 PM

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“ Marlene Grisafi & Donna Uro planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga.

Marlene Grisafi & Donna Uro - November 11, 2024 at 10:44 AM

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“ Marlene Grisafi & Donna Uro purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga.



Marlene Grisafi & Donna Uro - November 11, 2024 at 10:44 AM

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“ Praying for your family at this difficult time. We will forever be grateful for the friendship Luis had with our daughter, Rowan. I looked forward to seeing your drawings that you would share with Rowan. Rest in peace, you will be missed.



Brittany Kenyon - November 10, 2024 at 09:25 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Luis Estyvan Maradiaga.



November 10, 2024 at 12:42 AM



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