



Luis A. Monteiro

July 2, 2023

Luis Alexandre Monteiro, “Alex,” beloved son, brother, boyfriend, and friend, passed away tragically and unexpectedly on July 2, 2023, in Colorado, at the age of 24. Luis was known for his kind and loving nature, always willing to lend a helping hand to those around him. He loved his family and friends, and had a passion for travel, loving to explore different cultures and places around the world.

There is so much more to Alex than I (Heather/ mom) could write here—I could never write enough about him. He is my beloved and my first baby. He was the most positive person; always with a huge, beautiful smile on his sweet face. I have no idea how we have even made one step forward without him in this world. It feels impossible, but we all keep carrying on because we must.

Luis worked as a flight instructor in Providence, Rhode Island, where he also spent leisure time weight lifting and practicing martial arts. He loved to paint and be outdoors. Luis graduated from Palo Verde High School in Las Vegas, Nevada, and previously attended Statesboro High School in Statesboro, Georgia.

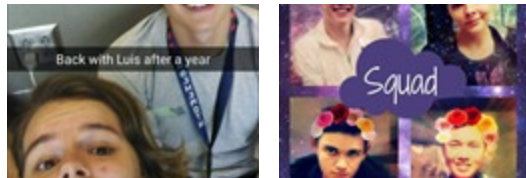
He is survived by his parents, Heather Monteiro and Nuno Monteiro; siblings, Marco, William, and Melina Monteiro; stepparents Carl Braunlich and Carina

Decena; grandparents Pam and Jody Rucker, Wayne and Charlotte Bloodworth, and Carlos and Leonore Monteiro; and by his best friend, Jeremy Klein, and girlfriend, Sulay Restrepo-Suarez. He is also survived by a multitude of loving aunts, uncles, cousins, friends, co-workers, and students. He will be deeply missed by his family and by all who knew him.

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“ In the school year of 2014-15 at Palo Verde High School, I only made a handful of friends, but Luis was one of my treasured few. There were 4 of us who became extremely close while taking pre-calculus together, known affectionately as the Quad Squad. We did theater work together, as well as go be goofy teenagers at the park. I moved away after that school year, but I was able to meet up with Luis again in the summer of 2016. We both went to the same convention in Austin, Texas and I got a chance to grab a picture with him and catch up. We laughed like old times and hung out for several hours. I did not get the chance to see him again after that convention, but it doesn't mean that he was forgotten. My loved ones all know that I recall Luis as being one of the smartest, sassiest, and truly talented people I have ever had the chance to meet, and as one of my best friends when I lived in Las Vegas. I miss you, Luis.



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