



## Vincent Albert Anicich Sr

August 18, 1958 - January 9, 2023

Vincent Albert Anicich Sr was born to Albert and Barbara Gayel (McCutcheon) Anicich on August 18th 1958 in Sacramento CA, the second of six children. He was raised in Rancho Cordova CA, attended St John Vianney Catholic School, graduated from Cordova High School and attended California State University, Sacramento.

He met his bride of nine days and 36 years, Tonya, at the California State Fair and went on to raise five children, Vincent (Eugênia), Natasha, Vanessa, Nathaniel (Janaína), and Austin, in Rocklin CA.

He retired from the information technology field having worked for the State of California at numerous agencies including The Department of Health Care Services and Caltrans. He enjoyed baseball, camping, golf, and traveling with friends and family.

Vinnie celebrated 35 years of sobriety this past November. As an active friend of Bill, he was a speaker, sponsor, mentor and friend. He worked the program for 35 years and his life reflected it.

Vinnie had an encounter with God 35 years ago and he never looked back.

His faith was the cornerstone of his life and poured out of him, whether on the golf course or fiercely loving his grandchildren.

Vinnie was an authentic and engaged follower of Christ and a lover of people, all people.

He was active in his church; and had an especially fervent prayer life. If you knew Vinnie, it is probable he was praying for you. He served in youth

ministries, small groups, youth camps and was an unofficial, yet highly active greeter, going out of his way to make new faces feel welcome and familiar faces feel loved.

In addition to his wife and their five children, Vinnie is survived by five grandchildren: Henry (13), Roman (11), Jaylynn (9), Sonya (7), and Theodore (1); his five siblings: Mike (Jeanne), Chris (Sally), Melinda Lewis (Ty), Kerry Kenney, and Cindy Abercrombie; his in-laws Bob and Murriel Oles, who have held a special place in his heart; and sisters-in-law Robyn Berkler (Mark) and Lorri Vitense. He is also survived by a large extended family including his aunts Dorris Vota and Jackie McCutcheon, and his uncle Donald Long. "Uncle" Vinnie enjoyed a plethora of extended family members, including 22 nieces and nephews; 16 great nieces and nephews, 12 cousins, and many many friends.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN **21**. 10:00 AM (PT)

Doxa Church  
3735 Placer Corporate Dr  
Rocklin, CA 95765

# Tribute Wall

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“ I worked with Vince at Caltrans in CADD/IT. We miss his joyful presence, bright smile, free hugs, and friendly energy. He had much wisdom to share about being a father and a husband. He also shared his Faith and brought a sense of humor to the office. Rest in peace brother, and God bless your family and loved ones.

Raymond Lew - November 18, 2025 at 08:53 PM

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“ Met Vince in the KAIROS prison ministry program. Such an incredible ray of sunshine. He was a practical joker with an incredible heart. I recall the times I'd be hugging someone and Vince would come up from behind and tickle the back of my calves. Of course I'd think it was a bug, a snake or whatever and jump a mile high. Vince would just laugh. I have wonderful memories of this man and they will stay in my heart forever. RIP brother!

Scott Olsen - March 02, 2023 at 02:45 PM

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Oh my. I was missing seeing my friend at church and asked around, finding out that I had missed this news. Knowing that he is with Jesus eases the blow, but what a huge loss for us here! I miss you brother!

Mike Frey - June 04, 2023 at 11:23 PM

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Thoughts and love to the Anicich family, who were great neighbors and always so welcoming of my son, and inspired his interest in church/faith, and included him regularly. Rest in peace, mr Anicich, and we will always remember your kindness, sense of humor- even when our boys were behaving badly.

Linda Lawton - November 03, 2023 at 10:53 PM