



# Martin Vigil

October 3, 1955 - January 9, 2025

Martin Vigil was born October 3rd, 1955, in Charleston, South Carolina to Martin and Doris Vigil, and died peacefully at home on Thursday, January 9th, 2025.

After his birth, the family moved to Denver. Martin graduated from Regis High School and attended the University of Colorado Boulder.

He was united in marriage to Jane in September of 1993. Together, Martin and Jane enjoyed many activities, including fishing, volunteering, cooking, watching the Minnesota Vikings and traveling, especially to their lake home in Minnesota.

Martin worked as a meat cutter for 13 years and then served the city of Denver as a police officer for 34 years.

He was also a wonderful host for countless gatherings. His sense of humor and cooking expertise always resulted in a good time for everyone. One of Martin's favorite times of the year was Christmas when he would delight kids by being Santa. His personality and costume were perfect for the occasion!

Martin was deeply devoted to his wife, Jane, as well as his aunts and uncles, in-laws, nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Martin was a kind, generous, loving man, who was always checking in to see how everyone was doing, and was the first person to help anyone in need. His kind heart and loving personality will be deeply missed by all those who knew him.

Martin is survived by his wife, Jane, nephews Austin, Jason, Matt, Chad, Andrew, Paulmer, Adam and Mike; nieces Ashley, Michelle, Serene, Dawn, Robyn, Jamie, Rachel, Shanna, Catie, Elizabeth and Carrie; and 38 great-nieces and great-nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, mother and sister.

A celebration of life will be held in Minnesota later this year.

Memorials can be sent to:

Hospice of the Red River Valley  
c/o Sue Sorensen  
1701 38th Street South, Suite 101  
Fargo, North Dakota 58103-4499

