



Benjamin Anthony Perini

October 21, 1963 - March 19, 2023

Benjamin Anthony Perini went home to his Lord on March 19, 2023.

Benjamin, 59, was born on October 21, 1963 in West Palm Beach, Florida. Benjamin served his country honorably during Desert Storm. Ben was deployed to Saudi Arabia with the Army's 7th Transport Group as a missile operator. During his active duty, the Army authorized and awarded Ben: Marksman Badge Rifle M-16, Army Achievement Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Combat Infantryman Badge, Kuwait Liberation Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal W/1 Bronze Star, Humanitarian Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Army Label Button and Army Service Ribbon.

Ben's happy place was the beach. He loved surfing. Catching and riding the waves. The sun, wind and surf at the ocean brought him great joy and peace. The beach is where we all knew to go to find Ben when he was not working. Ben spent time with family, friends and co-workers fishing in both fresh and saltwater. Who came home with the biggest and best fish tales are memories that will grow and be shared by his many fishing companions.

Ben was a passionate "Florida" sports fan. You knew not to disturb Ben when he was watching his beloved Miami Dolphins and the University of Miami Hurricanes. Ben would watch all the games together with his father or brothers or (if not at the same location), they would watch "over the

telephone”.

Ben was a great cook. His initial interest came from his parents preparing meals for the family. He honed his culinary skills while working alongside professional chefs. His family would ask him to cook the favorite and traditional recipes for the holidays and special celebrations. He took great pride and joy in cooking for his family and friends.

Ben was a carpenter. His professional life was centered in the construction industry. He developed knowledge and carpentry skills while working in the multi-family, commercial and residential housing sector. Ben was a professional and skilled carpenter specializing in the construction of high-end custom homes.

Ben was a gentle and loving son, brother, uncle and friend who will be greatly missed by all who shared and were a part of his life. Benjamin was predeceased by his Parents: Gloria Bates (Tobey) Perini; Louis R. Perini, Jr.; Siblings: Tobey Anne Perini; Paul Vennard Perini.

Ben is survived by his loving sisters, brothers, niece, nephews, sister-in-law and brothers-in-law: Penny (Perini) McBride and husband Gary McBride; Sarah Perini, Lisa (Perini) Shannon and husband John Michael Shannon; Rita Perini, Louis Perini, III and wife Cynthia Perini, Susan Perini; Phillip Perini, Tiffany (Perini) Bachmann and husband Jonathan Bachmann; Hanna Mia Perini; Valerie Perini; Freddy Distasio and wife Elizabeth, and Jace Bachmann.

A celebration of life will be held on Sunday, June 4, 2023 at Carlin Park, 400 South State Road A1A, Jupiter, Florida 33477 from (11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.). Ben’s family, friends and beloved surf buddies will help celebrate Benjamin in his final “Paddle Out” to rest amongst the waves, surf, sun and sand in the place he called home. The “Paddle Out” will be at 12:00 p.m. A Barbecue will

follow the “Paddle Out” in the Laurie Schobelock Pavilion at Carlin Park.

The family requests that donations be made to the Veterans Administration in Benjamin’s honor.

Please visit <https://www.va.gov/ogc/giftstova.asp>.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN 4. 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Carlin Park
400 South State Road A1A
Jupiter, FL 33477

Tribute Wall

MS

“ Ben and I served in the same unit in Fort Lewis pre Desert Shield in early '90 and '91. Our platoon was made all the better by his hardworking ethic and dedication to mission completion along with the brotherhood that we all shared. His infectious laugh and quick wit was always on display and he was just an absolute joy to be around. He introduced us all to Rush Limaugh and regaled us with stories of his Grandpa back home in Jupiter. He couldn't wait to get back home after his time in service. He and I did most of the cooking on the BBQ grill that we chained to the tree in front of our quad, having been "rotated" around post, getting repainted every time it was pinched. He also signed off on our ability to surf on an ironing board even though we all knew we were rubbish. What a blast we had. It is impossible to forget him and I was so sad to find this obit after doing a random online search for him. I would very much have liked to have seen him again after all these years. I hope he lived a great life after his service to our nation and offer my sincerest condolences to his friends and family. You all can be proud that the Ben you influenced was well received by those of us who had the honour of knowing him.

With gratitude,
Matt Schuster

Matt S. - January 03, 2025 at 07:36 PM



“ Benjamin Anthony Perini

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM

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“ To all my siblings : One of our great story tellers is rlding his eternal wave of great peace!!! Thank You for keeping me in laughs regarding friends & Family. Thank You for teaching me your great cooking skills as well as how you navigated thru life's many mysteries. I miss your voice over our phone calls , and am praying for our Lord & Savior to welcome you home. All of my eternal thanks and may you rest in peace!!! Phillip xxxooo

PhillipPerini brother #10 - May 06, 2023 at 12:56 PM

NP

“ Our sincere condolences to Ben’s siblings and family. Our Mothers (Stella and Mrs. Perini) raised us all together as kids. Although we all grew up and went separate ways, the love has never ceased. We are praying that God strengthens each of you during this heartbreaking time. Love Stella’s Kids (Natasha, Yolanda, Connie & Tater).



Natasha Potter - April 06, 2023 at 05:32 PM

SU

“ Susan lit a candle in memory of Benjamin Anthony Perini



Susan - April 06, 2023 at 04:30 PM

JD

“ I have known Ben for 45+ years. We surfed Costa Rica for our first time together. We surfed and skated as kids all the time. So many good times with this man. I will never forget how you loved to tell stories. And you could get everyone laughing. I will truly miss you. But never forget you. Another Juno Boy gone way before his time. Rest in peace my friend. And catch that perfect endless wave.



Jeffrey Davis - April 02, 2023 at 11:08 AM

SR

~Knew Ben in high school, and he definitely had that surfer vibe. Thank you for your military service, Ben. Condolences to the entire family. I'm so sorry for your loss. RIP Ben. Susan Protting Ravn

Susan Ravn - August 17, 2023 at 02:13 AM

SR

Believe I made a comment to Jeffrey Davis' post instead of own post. fyi RIP Ben.

Susan Ravn - August 17, 2023 at 02:25 AM

TK

“ Please tell all our friends up there I send my love, I love you buddy and wish you were still here with us!



Tracey Kinlin - March 29, 2023 at 07:07 PM