



ZESEN MAO

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Zesen Mao 81, of Sterling, VA, passed on February 21, 2024, in Leesburg, VA.

Born on September 16, 1942, in China.

Zesen worked as an agricultural equipment engineer in China. In 2015, he and his wife moved to the US to be near family.

Zesen spend most of his life in Hunan, China, and witnessed drastic changes in recent history in China. As the older brother of four siblings, he was the bedrock of the family. At young age of sixteen, he left home to work as a heavy equipment mechanic. Before that he had been helping his mother working in farm field to raise three younger brothers. Zesen only had five years of formal education, but he taught himself everything that made him successful in professional career, as well as in life.

Zesen was an avid hobbist of electronic design as a young man. He's built numerous radios, black and white TVs, and home speaker systems. He is a lifetime music lover and enjoys both modern and classic music. He was also an award-winning videographer, and video editor, which was the highlight of his retirement life.

Zesen loves freedom and his new life in the US. He made great friends and tireless studied English language. He received his driver's license at age seventy-eight and US citizenship at age eighty-one.

He leaves his family to cherish his memory including his wife Shunchu Wu as well as three children and six grandchildren.



Obituary

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The family will receive friends to celebrate Zesen's life on Thursday, February 29, 2024, from 4:30 to 7:30pm at the Loudoun County Senior Center at Cascades 21060 Whitfield Pl, Sterling, VA 20165.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.LoudounFuneralChapel.com.




Events


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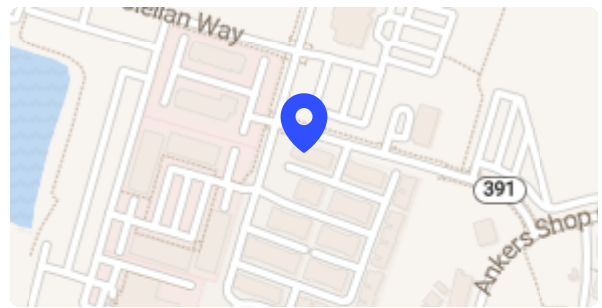
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Celebration of Life


 **Thursday**, February 29, 2024

 4:30 PM - 7:30 PM ET

 **Loudoun County Senior Center at Cascades**
21060 Whitfield Pl, Sterling VA 20165-7273



Cemetery Details

 Cremation/ Interment to be held privately at a later date.



Tribute Wall

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Zesen Mao shared a video to the **Celebration of Life** album.



March 5 at 7:45 AM



Maureen Murphy posted:

To the family of Zesen, I did not know your father/grandfather but I passed him many, many times while walking my dog in Cascades. He always had a smile and a little wave as we passed each other adding a little sunshine to the day ahead. I hope that you can take some comfort in knowing that Zesen touched the hearts of strangers by simply being a smiling face on a walking path. Prayers to you and Zesen. Maureen Murphy

February 29 at 1:01 PM



Yan Mao March 1 at 1:04 AM

Thank you! Maureen. Very appreciated that you let us to know that! Now I know why my dad had made so many friends in here even he was not very good at English. He has magic smile!! He packed his kindness and friendly heart in his smile and send to everyone he met. Thank you, Maureen! You let me understand my dad's magic now. - Yan (Zesen's daughter)



Cambridge Taiji Group planted a Memorial Tree in honor of ZESEN.



February 27 at 1:21 PM



Anonymous sent a Country Basket Blooms to the MAO family.



February 27 at 1:21 PM



Xiaoru sent a Beautiful in Blue to the MAO family.



February 27 at 6:41 AM



Tribute Wall

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徐波 安东尼 sent an Enchanted Cottage to the MAO family.

February 27 at 5:50 AM



顧湘秀 唐佳才 唐柯 唐冰 唐霞 planted a Memorial Tree in honor of ZESEN.

February 27 at 3:41 AM



顧湘秀 唐佳才 唐柯 唐冰 唐霞 sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the MAO family.

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Shawn, Ying And Yaoyao. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of ZESEN.

February 26 at 8:58 PM



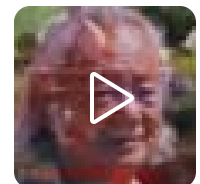
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