



John Mercado Belles

SEP 22, 1934 - DEC 8, 2023



Scan to Visit



MICHAEL
MEMORIAL PARK & MUSEUM

Table of Contents

Obituary	Page 3
Tribute Wall	Page 4



John Mercado Belles

SEP 22, 1934 - DEC 8, 2023

John Belles Obituary

John Mercado Belles, 89, of Jacksonville, Florida passed away on December 08, 2023. He was born on September 22, 1934 in Hilo, Hawaii.

He is survived by wife, Anita L. Belles; sons, John C. Belles, Jr., Jonathan Belles; daughter, Betty Stopper (Russell), Teresa A. Bex (Vincent), Marcella Belles; brother, Marcus M. Belles; sister, Lupe Null (George); 7 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren.

Funeral Service will be held on Friday, February 09, 2024 at Mililani Mortuary Makai Chapel. Visitation begins at 9:30 am; and service 10:30 am. Burial 1:00 pm at National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific (Punchbowl).

To send flowers
to the family, please visit our floral store.

[Read More](#)



Tribute Wall

John Mercado Belles

SEP 22, 1934 - DEC 8, 2023

TF

Teresa Bex & Family posted:

B4 was purchased for the family of John Mercado Belles by Teresa Bex & Family. Send Flowers You will be missed, beloved dad and grandpa. Teresa Bex & Family

May 14 at 3:59 AM

NM

Nick And Sally Morley posted:

B5 was purchased for the family of John Mercado Belles by Nick and Sally Morley . Send Flowers

May 14 at 3:59 AM

DB

Debra Belles posted:

I remember how Uncle Johnny would always make me laugh. He was kind and loved his family very much. He will be missed. May he rest in peace. In loving memory, Your niece Debra

February 8 at 12:08 PM

AM

Anne-Catherine And Mickey posted:

Wishing you peace, comfort, courage, and lots of love at this time of sorrow. Our heart goes out to you at this difficult time. We are thinking of you and sending caring thoughts your way. With love, Anne-Catherine & Mickey

February 7 at 10:24 PM

SM

Stevie Yap, Nephew (Belles Through Mother) posted:

Uncle John was a wonderful great man. He was good to me all my life. I miss him dearly. A strong devoted Family Man. He had a beautiful sense of humor. I adored Uncle John.

February 4 at 5:32 AM

SM

Sally M posted:

Uncle was generous, kind, and lots of fun. He was very devoted to his family. Rest peacefully uncle, you will be missed. 🙏🙏»

February 4 at 4:52 AM



Tribute Wall

John Mercado Belles

SEP 22, 1934 - DEC 8, 2023

DH

Donna Belles-Hall posted:

Uncle John was a wonderful person. He was one of my dad's (Manuel) favorite brother. In Suisun, CA, my dad & Uncle John went on long walks together. Their favorite thing to do was fishing. My dad called Uncle John all the time; they would talk for hours; all kinds of stories. Uncle John is truly missed. Rest in peace.

February 4 at 3:01 AM

DH

Donna Belles-Hall posted:

Uncle John was a wonderful person. One of my dad's (Manuel) favorite brother. When they lived in Suisun, CA; my dad & John went on long walks together. Fishing was their best time together. My dad called Uncle John all the time; talking stories. Uncle John liked doing hobbies; like making model airplanes. My dad & Uncle John lived going to the airbase; watching the jets take off. The 50th wedding anniversary party was so much fun! Good memories! Uncle John is truly missed.

February 4 at 2:45 AM

LS

Lisa S. posted:

I only met my grandpa on my dad's side twice and I didn't get to spend a lot of time with my grandpa on my mother's side so Grandpa Belles was my grandpa to me. I always enjoyed his laughter and sense of humor. I have been part of the family for 25 years and we all shared a lot of good times together as a family. I remember a particular trip to Wet and Wild park in Orlando and Grandpa and I went on the highest and steepest slide. I was nervous when I got to the top. Grandpa was having a blast and was encouraging me to go ahead. He went ahead down the slide like it was no big deal so I had no choice but to go down the slide after him. It was a lot of fun. I'll always remember his smile, his hard work as a father and grandfather and he will be missed deeply.

February 3 at 3:07 AM

JS

Jacob Sylva posted:

An awesome grandpa that had a heart of gold, a loving and wonderful person. Had a great sense of humor and is was very knowledgeable. Love and aloha you will be missed.

February 2 at 5:13 AM



Tribute Wall

John Mercado Belles

SEP 22, 1934 - DEC 8, 2023

TB

Teresa Bex posted:

Dad was hard working and loved his family. He also volunteered his time to his church family. He loved fishing. One night while we were in the Florida Keys and we went fishing. Dads pole got a big strike and he had a struggle reeling in his catch. When he finally got it out of the water we saw glowing eyes and spiny legs. It was the biggest spiny lobster we ever saw. He finally got it on the pier. We couldn't believe it, we thought it was a large fish so he ate it the next day. It was one delicious. We had a lot of fun together.

February 2 at 2:43 AM

HS

Harold S. posted:

John was an amazing grandfather that cared deeply for his family. He was the hardest working individual that I have ever known. He was a great American and he loved his country. He often spoke about his service in the U.S. Army. He was originally from Hawaii, and he had the memory of a history book. I enjoyed our hikes in the mountains of O'ahu, which often turned into really cool history lessons. I will always remember our great fishing adventures, which turned out to be positive childhood memories. John was a good Christian and I know he is in a better place now. He will always be remembered and deeply missed. A hui hou.

January 29 at 5:07 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring John by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



Scan to Visit



MEMORIAL
MEMORIAL PARK & MORTUARY