



Banshi Patel
March 23, 1947 – June 5, 2016

“One man’s life, when motivated to do a few big things well, and countless small things with great kindness and generosity, can touch thousands of other lives.”

Our beloved Banshi -- father, husband, son, brother, uncle, cousin and friend -- remains in our hearts and minds as a man who conquered life with grace, happiness, boundless energy, devotion, loyalty and love.

Banshi personified the American Dream. He came to the U.S. in 1971 and built a bountiful life based on hard work, and, above all, kindness and generosity to everyone he encountered.

In his business, Banshi took the greatest joy from the friendships he made with people from across the U.S. and around the world. His business life was imbued with a sense of deeper purpose -- to create jobs that gave people the opportunity to raise their families while enjoying each day at work and at home.

For Banshi, life was an adventure.

Countless notes from around the world have come to the family during these past few weeks. They all mention Banshi’s extraordinary generosity, his humility, his goodness and his zest for life.

Although we have the sad task of saying goodbye, we can take comfort in seeing all the things about Banshi and his life that we can be grateful for.

He would want nothing less from us.

