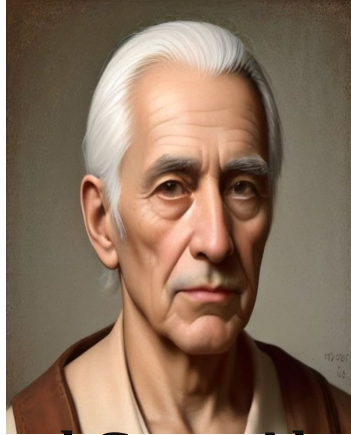




Manuel Costa Almeidas

February 11, 1953 - August 28, 2026

Providence, Rhode Island

Manuel Costa Almeidas died in Providence on August 28, 2026. He was 73. Born in Providence on February 11, 1953, into a Portuguese-American household that treated work as a language. He learned early that a day is something you finish, not something you wait for.

He brought shine to metal until it looked inevitable. A buffing wheel tuned by ear was his signature; piecework never made him careless. Colleagues still mention a buffing wheel he could tune by ear.

He married Isabel in 1978. They kept a house that stayed modest when the neighborhood did not. They raised two daughters through public schools and ordinary weather. After Isabel died in 2019, he kept the routines that still made sense: the walk, the garden, the Sunday call.

Neighbors remember a porch light left on for anyone walking home late. He liked early mornings before the heat or the noise. He died in Providence, among streets he never needed to explain. The porch still expects a returning step.

Services

A memorial gathering in Providence with coffee afterward. In lieu of flowers, a gift to a local workers' fund, clinic, or neighborhood library is welcome.

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