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Andrew Guarnieri

AYER — Andrew Guarnieri, 58, the beloved husband of Tuey Guarnieri, died Friday, Aug. 1, 2008, in Las Vegas, Nev.

He was born in Boston on Nov. 20, 1949, the son of Andrew Guarnieri of Littleton and the late Violet (DiNitto) Guarnieri.

Andrew joined Instrumentation Laboratories, Inc. (IL) in 1969 as an electrical engineer. He continued until his departure in 1984 as engineering manager. Leaving the world of medical testing equipment, he joined Kurzweil Music Systems in 1984 as director of international development. Andrew not only was responsible for all of the design and development, he started the first manufacturing ventures with companies in Singapore and Malaysia. He was fortunate enough to work with such musical luminaries as Stevie Wonder, Kenny Rogers, the Moody Blues, and Emerson, Lake & Palmer.

His work at Kurzweil combined Andy's love of music and travel. He worked and visited most of the major cities in the Far East, including Tokyo, Hong Kong, Bombay, Singapore, Seoul, and Bangkok.

Bangkok became a place of special significance since that is where he met the love of his life, Tuey. In 1986, his wife, Tuey, and his son, Lin, joined him in Acton. He celebrated a banner year in 1989 with the birth of his daughter, Anshalee, and a new company, Guarnieri Engineering Associates, an engineering company assisting companies to design, develop, and test products for the electronics industry.

He continued to travel all over the world with his wife and children while pandering to his hobby of photography. Andy won many awards for his photos, that included the Emerald Buddha in Bangkok to Mickey Mouse in Disney World.

In addition to his wife and father, he is survived by two children, Lin and Anshalee Guarnieri, all of Ayer; a brother, Ron Guarnieri of Las Vegas, Nev.; a nephew and two nieces.

Services will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 16, at St. Anne's Catholic Church, 75 King St. (Route 2A), Littleton.

For those who wish, contributions in Andy's memory may be made to the Boston Buddha Vararam Temple Building Fund, 124 North Road, Bedford, MA 01730.