

On behalf of the Cassuto family, I am devastated to report that Alex Cassuto passed away on October 13 2024, with his wife Barbara of 54 years by his side. The cause of death was an apparent heart attack.

We will fondly remember Alex as an excellent economics professor, a researcher in forecasting and statistical methods, department chair, the CSUH/EB Outstanding Professor of 1988-89, Academic Senate chair, deputy provost, and probably the most collegial faculty member who ever existed among us.

If you wish, the family suggests a donation to the Jewish National Fund to plant a tree in Alex's memory. (Please go to [shop.jnf.org](https://shop.jnf.org), scroll down to select "plant a tree in Israel in memory" and "trees for Israel certificate" and follow the instructions.)