

My Journey to Carlsbad

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I came to North County from Santa Rosa California in 1981. I was 11 years old. My Grandma and Papa lived in Vista California. My mom and I moved in with them for a little while then they moved to Oceanside. We stayed in Vista till 1986. As being a kid in North County if you had a love for the ocean as I do you always made it to Carlsbad beaches to swim surf and enjoy the sunshine on the sandy beach shore.

in 1986 moved to Colonia Guerrero Baja California for about 6 months or so. Then back to Vista till 1988. I then moved to Lynnwood Washington to graduate High School and lived with my Dad. In 1989 I moved back to North County to reside with my BFF in Carlsbad off Alga. I've over the years moved away and always came back to North County and mostly have stayed in Carlsbad. It's been my favorite place to live over the years and I have grown to love living here. I feel blessed to be a Carlsbad local and I won't move away as long as my kids are in this area. Carlsbad is my family's home where my kids were raised, and we all have a strong connection to this community and hope to always be here.