\$20,000 REWARD

For recovery and positive proof of Frank (Frankie) Patane's remains.

Please help us find him. My brother Frank Patane has been missing since Aug.11, 2011.

He is 5 feet 10 inches tall weighing 165 pounds. He was wearing a red baseball cap and carrying a walking stick. He often carried two small water bottles stuffed into the front pockets of his pants. He was wearing hiking shoes. He could have been wearing prescription sun glasses and perhaps an old wrist watch.

The 94 trailhead log-in sheet at Sheep's Crossing at Mt. Baldy, shows he checked in early on the morning of Aug. 11 to begin his hike but no indication he ever signed out.

The storms were severe, and we fear he got disoriented and succumbed to the conditions.

My family and I want to thank everyone who helped in the search for Frank last summer and into the fall. With the coming of autumn, it may be easier to see some signs of him or his belongings. We are hopeful that we may be fortunate enough to recover him.



Frank Carl Patane, 60, of Tucson went missing August 11, 2011 near Mt. Baldy.

We pray for his return for closure. Please, if you are hiking keep a look out for him and please be careful.

Anyone who finds any evidence of human remains, whether they think they are his or not, should immediately report it to the Apache County Sheriff's Department located at 370 S. Washington in St. Johns, phone (928) 337-4321 or 1-800-352-1850.

Thank you, Frank Patane's Family.