



## Luis Sanchez, , Jr

July 2, 1937 - July 4, 2016

Lyford - Luis Sanchez, Jr., 80 of Lyford, TX entered into eternal rest on Monday, July 4, 2016. Luis Sanchez, Jr. born in Harlingen was a long life educator, serving in various administrative positions, including superintendent of schools at Santa Rosa ISD and he also served as a Trustee for South Texas ISD. He was an avid handyman, jack of all trades, carpenter, plumber, contractor and above all good Samaritan, selfless in helping others. He was a loving husband and father. A U.S. Marine through and through, he never gave up. He is preceded in death by his wife Elizabeth "Bettye" Salaiz Sanchez; his parents Luis M. Sanchez and Maria de Refugio Guerrero Sanchez; his sister Blanca Sanchez Vela. He is survived by his wife Emma Molina Sanchez; daughters Denise (Sam) Sanchez Martinez and Cynthia Sanchez; grandchildren Zachary Martinez, Mariel Martinez, Hunter Martinez and Dylan Martinez; his siblings Socorro Galvan, Arturo Sanchez, Mary (Cris) Guzman, Hector (Bonnie) Sanchez, Irma Sanchez (Ruben) Pena, Roy (Nelda) Sanchez and Mary (Jerry) Prepejchal.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated today, Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 10:00am with burial to follow at Restlawn Memorial Park. Honored to serve as pallbearers will be his nephews Rafael Vela, Luis Sanchez, Jay Sanchez, Ruben Pena, II, and Reni Hinojosa, Jr. and Orlando Silva. Honorary pallbearers will be Zachary Martinez, Sam Martinez, Hector Sanchez, Roy Sanchez, Albert Molina and Ruben Pena.

Honors are under the auspices of American Legion Post 205. In lieu of flowers

family request donations may be made to the and The Aurora's House in  
Weslaco.