



Michael (Sonny) Esparza Domanski

April 30, 1952 - February 8, 2026

Michael Esparza Domanski, or Sonny as he's fondly called, passed away on Sunday, February 8, 2026, in Harlingen, Texas.

Sonny was a man of many passions; he cherished fishing and hunting, but it was his love for gardening that truly flourished, especially when shared with his beloved wife of 50 years, Consuelo R. Domanski. His loud, distinct voice could be heard in any gathering, as he had a unique ability to connect with everyone he met. To Sonny, there was never a stranger—only a friend waiting to be made.

A kind and caring soul, Sonny was always ready to lend a helping hand, embodying the spirit of generosity. He was preceded in death by his cherished wife, Consuelo; his mother, Frances Ann Domanski; and his sister, Mary M. Domanski.

Sonny will be dearly missed by his three daughters, Ashley Domanski, Arlem (Orlando) Rocha, and Florinda Mares, along with four grandchildren: Malcolm Orlando Rocha, Rowan Gael Rocha, Jose Mares III, and Michael Edward Mares. He also enjoyed the company of his two great-grandchildren, Joel Julian Mares and Joey Mares, and many other relatives who held him dear.

The family wishes to extend their heartfelt gratitude to Anderson Personal

Care Home and Amable Hospice for their compassionate care during Sonny's final days.

A heartfelt graveside service will be held at 10 AM on Friday, February 20, 2026, at San Benito Cemetery, where loved ones can come together to honor Sonny and gently lay his ashes to rest beside his beloved wife.

In celebration of his life, we invite you to share your favorite memories of Sonny with the family, as we find comfort in the stories and love he shared with all of us.

Cemetery Details

San Benito City Cemetery

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

San Benito City Cemetery

Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest condolences for your loss. I have fond memories of Sonny. He would always stop by and visit with mom and dad (The Coy's). I remember his friendly voice and caring heart.*
Amelia Coy Howland

Amelia Howland - February 19 at 12:15 PM

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“ *Robert Halpin (Butch) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Michael (Sonny) Esparza Domanski.*



Robert Halpin (Butch) - February 13 at 07:16 PM

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“ *Robert Halpin (Butch) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael (Sonny) Esparza Domanski.*

Robert Halpin (Butch) - February 13 at 07:16 PM