



Ricardo Garcia Castañeda

June 21, 1961 - August 15, 2023

Ricardo Garcia Castaneda gained his wings at the age of 62 on Tuesday, August 15, 2023 surrounded by his children. He was born in Harlingen, Texas on June 21, 1961. Ricardo is survived by his loving family, children, Ricardo Castañeda, Jr. and wife Elisa, Monica Garfiaz and husband Jose, Rolando Castañeda and wife Jamie, Melissa Guerra and husband Esteban; 17 grandchildren; 6 siblings; many nieces, nephews, extended family members and friends. He is preceded in death by his parents, Tomas Castañeda, Sr. and Sara Garcia Castañeda; several siblings; and mother of his children, Maria Elena Saucedo.

Visitation will be held at Rudy Garza Funeral Home in Harlingen on Saturday, August 19, 2023 from 2:00 PM until 9:00 PM with a prayer service to start at 7:00 PM. Visitation will resume at the funeral home Sunday, August 20, 2023 at 12:00 PM with a funeral service to start at 2:00 PM. All funeral services will conclude at 4:00 PM. Burial of Ashes will take place at a later date.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 19. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Rudy Garza Funeral Home - Harlingen
1702 E Harrison Ave
Harlingen, TX 78550
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Prayer Service

AUG 19. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

AUG 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ My memories with my tio Rick.. I was little girl when he stopped by my house he always make me smile on my face when he bring pizza..he knew pizza is my favorite food lol..always got excited when I saw his truck came by...not just because of pizza..he's my favorite tio..he knew how cheer me up with his smile and laugh.. his smile always bright my day.

Tio Rick, wanted to say thank u for keep in touch w me while u were in prison , listen about my feel that I have been thru in past.. u always make me laugh ..u were the best tio .. sorry I haven't chance to take u out eat pizza..never say goodbye but I'll see u again when god ready for me..luv u tio

Prayers for my Castañeda family

Erica Espinoza - August 19, 2023 at 01:00 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Ricardo Garcia Castañeda.*



August 18, 2023 at 07:48 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Ricardo Garcia Castañeda.*



August 18, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ricardo Garcia Castañeda.

August 18, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ My tio Rick was the best!! Never a dull moment. He always made everyone laugh. I am blessed to have numerous memories of him and they will forever be in my heart. May you rest in peace Tio, and I haven't forgotten you still owe me \$50 for that bet you lost. ☐ Until we meet again. I will miss your random text, especially on Mother's Day. Prayers to all my cousins, May God fill your hearts with comfort. 💜



Digna Perez - August 17, 2023 at 06:17 PM



Monica Garfiaz - August 18, 2023 at 05:45 PM



“ When my baby brother was a truck driver he used to call me at all times of the night and we spend hours talking saying jokes I would sit there talking to him because he was feeling sleepy so we talked for hours that helped him stay away as soon as he got to the truck stop he would tell me ok Adela go to sleep you will be greatly missed my babybro untill we meet again may you rest in peace love you 🥹🥹💜

Adelita Colon (sister) - August 16, 2023 at 11:51 PM

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the memory we have of my tio Rick . he was still a truck driver. n when my daughter erica was small n he stop by our house he would always bring her a pizza cus he knew my daughter luvd pizza. I know that's a memory my daughter will never forget. n my tio was always happy always had a smile n a joke for everyone. luv u tio Rick until we see u again. god bless .

Estela Mercado - August 17, 2023 at 05:58 PM

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 *thank you so much for these memories* 

Monica Garfiaz - August 18, 2023 at 05:44 PM