



## David R. Ramirez

January 12, 1956 - May 21, 2018

The man. The myth. The legend. David R. Ramirez peacefully slept his way into eternal rest in the early morning of Monday, May 21, 2018. He is preceded in death by his loving parents, Bartolo M. and Olivia R. Ramirez; and wife, Juanita T. Ramirez. Born on January 12, 1956, in San Antonio, Texas, David was a 1974 graduate of Harlandale High School, where he was also a member of the ROTC program. At the tender age of 16 years old, David lost his father and assumed the responsibilities of helping his mother provide for his family and three siblings. His first job was at La Fiesta Groceries on S. Flores Street. Over the years, he continued to work as a truck driver for different bottling companies. Prior to his illness, David was working for the San Antonio Water System in maintenance, cleaning the purification tanks out at the Martinez-Losoya plant location. He was always a hard worker and was disciplined in his work ethic.

David had such a sense of humor and laugh so infectious that you could not help but love him. He was the best at telling jokes and could whistle so crisply, that it left you in awe of how he could make such sounds. To say that he was the life of the party would be an understatement. David's hobbies included fishing and playing pool. In his early years, he coached and played softball with various teams. As the years went by, he enjoyed going to bingo halls, buying scratch-off cards, and loved to go to Coughatta with his dear companion, Blanca. He truly was a dancer throughout his lifetime. He loved the Dallas Cowboys and loved watching games with his son, but there was

nothing he loved more than his grandchildren, of which he was so proud. David will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. He is survived by his only son, David Jason Ramirez; daughter-in-law, Bianca; grandchildren, Gabrielle, Xavier, and Calliope Rhea; sisters, Linda M. Ramos and Cynthia Ann Ramirez; brother, Rudolph "Rudy" Ramirez; numerous nieces, nephews, and wonderful friends; and his loving companion, Blanca R. Garcia. David is now on a journey – a reunion – with family and friends he has not been able to see in such a long time. His new endeavor takes him to a wonderful place where he will be socializing, dancing, and playing softball to his heart's content. The impact of David's loss will be great, but the legacy he leaves behind will be greater because he was a part of it. Because of David's strength and bravery, WE WITNESSED miracles. Because of David's love and compassion, WE BELIEVE in miracles.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 27. 5:00 PM (CT)

Sacred Heart Church  
13466 Interstate 35 South  
Von Ormy, TX

## Rosary

MAY 27. 7:00 PM (CT)

Sacred Heart Church  
13466 Interstate 35 South  
Von Ormy, TX

## Funeral Mass

MAY 28. 12:00 PM (CT)

Sacred Heart Church  
13466 Interstate 35 South  
Von Ormy, TX

# Tribute Wall

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“ Jason and family, Linda, Cindy, Rudy, and extended family. What an immense loss for you and for all of us. Our sincere sympathy and condolences to all in this time of sorrow. Seeing David was like seeing his Dad and my brother Bartolo ( Butch ) walking the earth again. His eyes, his face, his smile, his sense of humor, and yes, his belly were all part of his Dad's persona. David always, a smile, a joke or a quip of words with everyone he met. David never met a stranger. During football season, David would routinely call and discuss the recent cowboy game. If they won, he was happy, if not he would talk bad about them in Spanish. I never quite understood that. Maybe he thought that I didn't understand Spanish and he really wasn't talking bad about them. David loved his cowboys. We will all miss David. God has taken him away physically, but all the joy and memories he has left behind, will live in our hearts forever. Rest in peace our beautiful soul and may God bless everyone you have left behind.

*Again, our deepest sorrow*

*Love Uncle Rey, aunt Stephanie and family*

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**Rey Ramirez** - May 27, 2018 at 11:20 AM

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“ Uncle Bob and Aunt Marie Ramirez in Houston. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of David R. Ramirez.



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**Uncle Bob and Aunt Marie Ramirez in Houston.** - May 26, 2018 at 01:11 PM

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“ Jason, Linda,Cindy,Rudy and extended families: We love you and share in your grief.

*David lived his life to the fullest every day.Gracious, funloving,and just a joy to know.Marie and I enjoyed you and laughed withyou.We will miss you. Condolences for all you leave behind.As the song goes, its not what you take but what you leave behind you, when you go.GOD SPEED..*

*Uncle Bob and aunt Marie,  
Houston,Texas*

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**Bob Ramirez** - May 25, 2018 at 05:41 PM

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“ Your family at Colorado Boxed purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of David R. Ramirez.



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**Your family at Colorado Boxed** - May 25, 2018 at 10:05 AM

PT

“ David, you will be dearly missed. We have so many fond memories of you and Janie. Both of you will always be in our hearts and prayers. Rest In Peace. 🙏🙏



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**Patricia Terrazas** - May 23, 2018 at 05:00 PM

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“ david remember you from Harlandale High in 1970-1974 May you rest in peace.

*Our condolences to Ramirez family  
Arnold @ALma Esparza*

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**ARNOLD ESPARZA** - May 23, 2018 at 04:36 PM

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“ *My condolences to the Ramirez Family from Bianca's coworkers at United Healthcare.*

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**Rebecca McAfee** - May 23, 2018 at 12:15 PM

EH

“ *I will always cherish the love he showed me. All my love to the Ramirez family.*

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**Erica P Haskins** - May 23, 2018 at 10:39 AM

RF

“ *My sympathy to the Ramirez family you will be missed*



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**Recio family** - May 23, 2018 at 09:00 AM

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“ *My deepest condolences to the Ramirez family and Blanca ...my thoughts and prayers are with you...God bless*

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**Rose Encina** - May 23, 2018 at 02:05 AM



“ *hi*

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**rr** - May 23, 2018 at 12:14 AM