



## Fernando V. Medellin

May 30, 1945 - March 12, 2023

Fernando V. Medellin went to be with the Lord on Sunday, March 12, 2023, at the age of 77. He was born on May 30, 1945, in San Antonio, Texas. He graduated from Harlendale High School in 1963. In 1964, he voluntarily enlisted in the United States Air Force. Following Basic Training, he was stationed at Bergstrom Air Force Base in Austin, Texas where he was assigned to the Presidential Detail for Lyndon B. Johnson.

In 1967 he married the love of his life, Olga Martinez. They shared a wonderful 55 years of marriage together.

After serving his country, Fernando joined the City of San Antonio, Public Works Department. He gave 35 years of service to the city and retired in 2004.

Some of Fernando's favorite hobbies were hunting, fishing, bar-b-queing with the secret "Uncle Nando" sauce, family gatherings with a cook-out, and growing tomato and chile plants for his hot sauce. His greatest joy was becoming a grandpa.

Fernando is preceded in death by his parents Frank O. Medellin and Guillerma Valle Medellin and five siblings. He is survived by his loving wife, Olga M. Medellin; children Fernando Medellin, Jr. (Martha) and Diane

Elizabeth Howes (Jon); granddaughters Sarah Elizabeth Howes and Katie Marie Howes and 1 surviving sister along with other family members and numerous nieces, nephews, and godchildren.

He will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

# Cemetery Details

## San Fernando Cemetery #2

746 Castroville Rd.  
San Antonio, TX 78237

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 20. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 924-4242  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Rosary

MAR 20. 6:30 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 924-4242  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Mass

MAR 21. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Leonard Catholic Church  
8510 S Zarzamora St  
San Antonio, TX 78224

## Interment

MAR 21 (CT)

San Fernando Cemetery #2  
746 Castroville Rd.  
San Antonio, TX 78237

# Tribute Wall

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“ FERNIE.

*(May 31) I thank God for wonderful times we spent together during a 10 yr. (50-60s) span of childhood. They were days without boredom, loneliness, or fear. I learned a lot. You lived up to the meaning of your name-FERNANDO. You were with me in my darkest hour at Granma's house in 1964. My mind and life was melting away in darkness and despair. I asked for your help and you told me, "these things happen and they will pass". And after a while the darkness passed. I entered high school and you to the Air Force. We would never share sling-shots, B-B rifles, and bamboo fishing poles and that close-tangle bond again. You are still my primo HERMANO par excellence. I love you cousin. You continue to watching over your wife, children, grandchildren, and us all. That is who you are and what you do. Requiescat in pace.*

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**Tubby** - May 31, 2023 at 01:55 PM

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“ *Mr. Medellin I'll forever cherish the memories, our talks, and all the good laughs we shared. You were more than just my neighbor and Godfather you were apart of my life that I was so graciously blessed with by all your wisdom and love. You and Mrs. Medellin have been apart of my life since I was little and you both hold a special place in my heart forever. You'll be greatly missed.*



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**Andina Gaona** - March 21, 2023 at 09:01 AM

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“ *Eternal rest grant unto him oh Lord and let light perpetual shine upon him. Through the mercy of God, may he rest in peace. Prayers for the family.*



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**Rita Basta** - March 20, 2023 at 09:58 PM

DR

“ *I wil miss our talks. Missing you!*  
*Love, Denise*



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**Denise Ruiz** - March 20, 2023 at 08:26 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fernando V. Medellin.*



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March 19, 2023 at 06:02 PM

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“ *Mary Ann and Andy Martinez purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Fernando V. Medellin.*



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**Mary Ann and Andy Martinez** - March 17, 2023 at 07:24 PM

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“ *Uncle Nando....you will be missed by us all...God Speed and Safe Travels Love Catherine Glander* ❤️❤️❤️

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**Catherine Glander** - March 15, 2023 at 01:48 AM

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“ *Catherine Glander lit a candle in memory of Fernando V. Medellin*



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**Catherine Glander** - March 15, 2023 at 01:46 AM