



George Ralph Pena

May 14, 1944 - March 14, 2008

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George Ralph Pena, born on May 14, 1944, passed away at Trinity Hospital in Augusta, Georgia Friday, March 14, 2008. He was born and raised in San Antonio, Texas, and attended school at San Francisco de la Espada Mission, LaSalle Catholic High School and graduated from Southside High School in 1963. He was then drafted into the Army and served his country in Viet Nam. He was later selected as one of 40 advisors sent to the American Embassy in El Salvador. He retired in Georgia as a highly decorated Army Staff Sergeant upon completing his 20 years of service. After retirement, he remained active with his favorite pastime of raising chickens and roosters and trying his luck with lottery tickets. He helped friends with their respective businesses and always stayed in touch with his family and friends in San Antonio. George will best be remembered as a good, strong man who loved his family, friends and country. He is preceded in death by his father, Pantaleon Pena, Jr., and is survived by his wife, Nancy Ann, his mother, Elena DeWitt Pena, his sister, Yolanda Pena Inglis and her husband, Robert; his brother, Gerard M. Pena and wife, Sandra; his children, George R. Pena, Jr. and Gerry R. Pena, five grandchildren: Brandee, Dominique, George Anthony, Xavier and Auliana; nephews: Arthur G. Delgado and Robert M. Inglis, Jr; and nieces: LeAnna and Laura Pena.

Services

Visitation will begin Tuesday from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. with a Rosary to be

recited at 7:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral Service will be held on Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. at the funeral home. Interment at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery will follow.

For personal acknowledgement you may sign the guest book at www.missionparks.com in the obituary section.

Tribute Wall

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“ *To Yolanda Tia Elena and Robbie and Art*

My prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. My prayers and love to you.

Love Veronica Anguiano Castillo

Veronica Anguiano Castillo - March 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our most sincerr condolences, Elena Pena, Yolanda Ingles & all the other families.*

May God Bless-San Francisco De La Espada Mission

Eva G. Adams & Espada staff - March 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM