



J David Rodarte Orona

November 5, 1952 - March 20, 2026

It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of David Rodarte, 73, born on November 5, 1952, and went to Heaven on March 20, 2026. Known for his hard-working spirit and kind heart, David was a man who earned the respect and love of everyone he met. He was an amazing father, known to his children as "Daddy," and a wonderful grandfather, known to his grandchildren as "Grandpapi." He cherished his family above all else. To his many friends, he was a loyal and dependable companion who will be deeply missed.

David was preceded in death by his parents, Juan and Maria de Jesus Rodarte; his sister, Yolanda Rodarte; and his grandson, Jose David Rodarte.

He is survived by his wife, Maria Esther Rodarte, and their children: son Jose David Rodarte and Monica G. Rodarte (grandchildren Jose David III and Klyenna M.); son Juan Gabriel Rodarte and Janice Palma (grandchildren Juan G. Jr., Britney, Julian, Damian, Joseph, Justin, and Brandon); daughter Magdalena Ruby Rodarte and Orlando Castro (grandchildren Gus III, Amethyst, Serenity, Nathaniel, and Ariana Bella); and daughter Mary Esther Rivera and Roger Rivera (grandchildren Mary Esther, Jacqueline, Ylexis, and Karina). He also leaves behind nine great-grandchildren, as well as his brother, sisters, nieces, nephews, and cousins, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, March 31, 2026, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with a rosary to be recited at 7:00 p.m. at Brookehill Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be celebrated on Wednesday, April 1, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. at Brookehill Funeral Home with a procession to depart at 11:30 a.m. Interment to follow at Mission Burial Park South.

Cemetery Details

Mission Burial Park South

1700 SE Military Dr.
San Antonio, TX 78214
<http://www.missionparks.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home
711 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 923-7523
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

MAR 31. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

APR 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Procession

APR 1. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of J David Rodarte Orona*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - April 01 at 02:25 PM

MR

“ *Maria Rodarte purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of J David Rodarte Orona.*



Maria Rodarte - March 30 at 11:44 PM

CI

“ *Canyon Creek Pools, Inc. purchased the Heavenly Grace Spray for the family of J David Rodarte Orona.*



Canyon Creek Pools, Inc. - March 30 at 04:22 PM

JF

“ *Juan Rodarte Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of J David Rodarte Orona.*



Juan Rodarte Family - March 30 at 01:06 PM