



Joel G. Pacheco, Jr.

September 26, 1931 - August 3, 2005

PACHECO

Joel G. Pacheco, Jr., of San Antonio, went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, August 3, 2005 at the age of 73. He retired in 1986 from Civil Service after 35 years of service at Kelly A.F.B. as an EEO Specialist. During his Civil Services career, he was instrumental with implementing a work program for the physically disadvantaged. After retirement, he pursued a career as an agent with the Farmers Insurance Group. In 1998, he was appointed to the Bexar Appraisal District and served his six-year term. Joel proudly served with the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict and was a combat Medic with the U.S. Air Force Air-Sea Rescue service, in which they were responsible for the search and rescue of wounded servicemen and pilots shot down in enemy territory. After his duty in the military, he attended Hofstra College in New York where he played baseball and football. One of his fondest memories was receiving a trophy for his outstanding college baseball career from professional baseball greats and Hall of Famers Yogi Berra and Roy Campanella. Joel was committed to his community in the past years, which included SAISD, SANYO and EODC. In 1968, he was founder and past president of the Burbank High School Athletic Booster Club. In 1970, he was also founder and past president of the Palm Heights Pony Baseball on the Southside. Joel was an avid sports fan at all levels and took a special interest in youth sports, especially Burbank High School Athletics; he graduated from

Burbank in 1950. Joel was the number one fan and supporter of every activity that his sons and grandchildren were involved in. He always found time to attend all activities. Mr. Pacheco donated his skin tissue to the Shriner's Institute for burned children. His parents, Joel, Sr. and Adela Pacheco and his brother, Noah, preceded him in death. Joel is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Mary; sons, Joel G. Pacheco III and wife Leticia, Arthur "Rocky" N. Pacheco and wife Elizabeth, Marcus J. Pacheco and wife Margaret; grandchildren, Joel G. IV and wife Priscilla, Lizette and fiancée Ryan Ordaz, Pamela, Arthur, Jr., Marcus, Jr., Jeremy and Jaclyn; seven sisters; one brother.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Sunday, August 7th from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., with a rosary to be recited at 7:00 p.m. Funeral services will depart the funeral home at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, August 8th for a mass of catholic burial to be celebrated at St. James the Apostle Catholic Church at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow in Mission Burial Park South.

Tribute Wall

MJ

“ Our deepest sympathy to all the family members. Our prayers are with you.

Mr. & Mrs. Carlos Giddens Jr. - August 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ My Deepest sympathy to Pacheco family.

Leiana Ramirez

Leiana Ramirez - August 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Dear Mrs. Pacheco & Family,

My deepest sympathy to all of you. Mr. Pacheco was a wonderful neighbor for many, many years. Everytime he saw me, he would always smile, wave and say Hello and ask how I was doing. Yogi, Rocky & Marc...I know yall are goi

Sharon K. Purvis Shuman - August 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Mr. Pacheco, you were the best father in law that anyone could ever ask for. You will always be in my thoughts and prayers. I promise to always take care of your baby Marc.

Love Margaret Pacheco

margaret pacheco - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ PLEASE ACCEPT MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN THE PASSING OF YOUR LOVED ONE. I SHARED MANY A LAUGH AND CONVERSATION WITH JOEL AT THE BEXAR APPRAISAL REVIEW BOARD. WHILE HE WILL BE MISSED, HE IS IN A BETTER PLACE.

BOB TSCHIRHART - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ JOE AND MARK MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY YOU WILL BE IN MY PRAYERS.

ABEL ARGUELLO - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ My deepest condolences to the Pacheco family. I have nothing but fond memories of Joel and always cherished his friendship. He will be truly missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Mike Salazar and family.

Mike Salazar - August 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ Grandpa, you were the best grandpa ever & I cherish all of the times I spent with you.
I love you, Lizette

Lizette Pacheco - August 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Dad, You were by far the greatest dad anyone could have ever asked for. You were there for me anytime I needed you, and were a great role model for me. Your guidance through my life will last a lifetime. Thank you for everything. I love you dad. Marc

Marc Pacheco - August 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ To the family of Joel G. Pacheco, Jr.:

We would like to express our deepest respect and condolences on the lost of a great man. We had the opportunity to meet him and he shared with us some of his accomplishments. May the Good Lord bless you all and

David R. Martinez, Sr. - August 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ Thinking of you always and I love you very much. Love your granddaughter, Pamela "mamas"

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EA

“ To Mary and Family:
I have had the pleasure of knowing you and Joel throughout our time with Dad's dialysis. Mr. Pacheco was so very considerate during Dad's illnesses and his recent death as well. He visited Dad on one of the occassions while he was in

Elizabeth Alvarado - August 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ Mrs. Pacheco, Yogi, Rocky and Marc. I has been a long time since we have spoken. But I have always kept you in my memories. I had much respect for Mr Pacheco and appreciate that he came to our dads funeral many years ago. I am sorry for your loss and pra

Anthony Arredondo - August 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Dad, thanks for being the greatest husband to mom and the greatest dad and grandpa. Thanks for all you've taught me and for the great memories you leave behind. Thanks for all the awesome things you did for us, cause beleive me you did a hell of alot. Tha

Rocky Pacheco - August 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM