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John Gilbert Rivas went to be with the Lord on October 6, 2016 at the age of 71. He was born to Milton V. and Helen A. Rivas in San Antonio, Texas on October 31, 1944. He is preceded in death by his parents, son John Thomas Rivas and brother Roger M. Rivas. He is survived by his loving daughters Sheila M. Rivas and Cynthia D. Rivas, granddaughters Jawni DiAnn Rivas and Sheila Diamantina Breig, siblings Robert and Rosemary Rivas; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and other loving family members and friends.

John was a part of Leon's Ice House for 35 years. The family wishes to give a special thanks to Grace Place Alzheimer's Activity Center for all their care and compassion.

Visitation will begin on Sunday, October 9, 2016 at 5:00 pm with a rosary to be recited at 7 pm at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral services will continue at the funeral home on Monday, October 10, 2016 at 11 am; officiating Father Martin from Holy Name Catholic Church. Interment to follow at Mission Burial Park South.

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

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT **10**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories

1700 SE Military Dr

San Antonio, TX 78214

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Tribute Wall

CA

“ *I'm sorry for your loss. May happy memories carry you through this sorrowful time. God Bless you all. Daniel and Cathy Ortiz-Alvarez*

Cathy Alvarez - October 11, 2016 at 10:57 AM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Salvador and Elodina Ortiz*

Elodina Ortiz - October 11, 2016 at 10:54 AM

LD

“ *Sheila, Cindy and family--Ron and I send our deepest sympathy for the loss of your Dad. May he rest in peace!*

Linda Dunwiddie - October 09, 2016 at 01:29 PM

TS

“ *Sheila and Cindy, My sincere sympathy on your loss.*

Tom Spears - October 09, 2016 at 07:34 AM

JB

“ *My condolences to the family. I enjoyed working for Johnny Rivas for several years, and for just knowing him for even more years. He has joined his son after so many years. Another angel picking flowers for the Master's Bouquet. He will be missed, but he will be happy again.*

Judy (House) Baumann - October 08, 2016 at 03:47 PM