



Johnny Edward Rodriguez

August 31, 1952 - October 29, 2021

Johnny Edward Rodriguez, age 69, entered into rest on October 29, 2021. He was born on August 31, 1952 in San Antonio, TX. He was a graduate of Burbank High School and a graduate of Career Academy in Dental Technology in Houston, Texas. He went on to earn his Certified Dental Technology certification from the University of Texas Health Science Center. He worked at Oral Prosthetics and Percision Dental Laboratory. In 1984, Johnny co-founded and became Vice-President of Authentic Dental Laboratory until 2003.

Johnny played at the 1968 World's Fair, HemisFair '68 with his band The Fabulous Jastics. This was the beginning of a life long love affair with music. He was known affectionately by family and friends as "Johnny Rod" and "Johnny Hot Rod." Johnny served as a music minister, a Eucharistic Minister and was part of the Knights of Columbus at St Dominics Catholic Church. Johnny was a major contributor in bringing the Men's A.C.T.S. retreat to St Dominic's. He continued to serve the A.C.T.S. Community as a team member, retreat director, and also served on Core.

He was preceded in death by his parents Johnny Rodriguez and Eloise Flores Rodriguez; brother-in-law Richard Montoya. He is survived by his loving wife Cynthia Santiago Rodriguez; son Johnny E. Rodriguez Jr. (Veronica Rodriguez); daughter Mary Lentz (Daniel Lentz); son Matthew Rodriguez

(Valerie Rodriguez); sister Tina Montoya; brothers Gilbert Rodriguez (Sylvia Rodriguez) and Raymond Rodriguez (Gina Rodriguez) and Guadalupe Santiago (dear sister-in-law). He is also survived by grandchildren Emily, Ethan, Jackson, Tristan and Vincent; many other family members and friends. He was loved by all and will be deeply missed.

PALM HEIGHTS MORTUARY
3711 S. ZARZAMORA STREET
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78225
210-924-4568

Cemetery Details

Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery

6900 Lawndale Street
Houston, TX 77023

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 3. 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

St. Dominic Catholic Church
5919 Ingram Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78228

Rosary

NOV 3. 6:30 PM (CT)

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Mass

NOV 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside Service

NOV 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Our Deepest Heartfelt Condolences to you Cindy and to all your family!*

Manuel & Dolores Pena

Manuel & Dolores Pena - November 04, 2021 at 11:21 AM

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“ *A few years ago I had forgotten about a funeral I was supposed to play and sing at. The time was 9:45 and the funeral mass start time was scheduled for 10am. Fortunately I just happened to be driving within 10 minutes of St Dominics when I received that call of concern from the church since I was not there yet. Unfortunately I did not have my guitar. I quickly turned around,(obeying traffic laws of course,) and called Johnny hoping he could loan me his guitar. What a relief it was within me as he answered the phone! After singing/playing the opening hymn “How Great Thou Art” on piano which was a struggle as I am not a piano player, there was Johnny walking into the church with his guitar! That is who he was. What a man! What a brother!*

God is good!

Tony Pena - November 03, 2021 at 09:42 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Johnny Edward Rodriguez.*



November 03, 2021 at 03:04 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Johnny Edward Rodriguez.* ”



November 02, 2021 at 08:56 PM