



## José Arturo Valdez

July 29, 1950 - March 4, 2021

José Arturo Valdez (Coach Art Valdez), 70, passed away to be with the Lord on Thursday, March 4, 2021 at his residence in San Antonio, Texas. Coach Art Valdez was born on July 29, 1950 to Mr. Arturo Valdez & Mrs. Maria de la luz Hinojosa Valdez in La Joya, Texas. He is preceded in death by his parents, in-laws, grandparents and his brother, Rodolfo Valdez.

Those left to cherish his lifetime memories are his wife of 49 years, Margarita (Margie) Valdez; his sons, Rodolfo (Cindy) Valdez II & Elex (Roxanne) Valdez; his brothers & sisters, Maria Elena Valdez (Monte Alto, TX), Marta Elvia Guerrero (Carlos - Elsa, TX), Eriberto Valdez (Irene - San Antonio, TX), Anna Luisa Molina (Filimon – Monte Alto, TX), Elda Valdez González (José Luis - San Antonio, TX), Juan Luis Valdez (Wendy - San Antonio, TX), Veronica Valdez (Monte Alto, TX); 2 grandchildren (Alyssa & Jose Caesar Valdez); numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

Coach Art Valdez retired after teaching and coaching for 48 years at various districts which included Monte Alto ISD, Edcouch-Elsa ISD, La Feria ISD, Mission ISD, Roma ISD and most recently was a tutor and substitute at Southside ISD. He was a firm and untiring advocate of getting an education, supporting our youth, honest work ethic and had a passion for football,

coaching, classic cars and Harley Davidson motorcycles.

The visitation is scheduled for Friday, March 19, 2021 from 3:00 PM – 9:00 PM at Brookehill Funeral Home. A Holy Rosary & Funeral Service will be held at 6:00 PM. To send flowers to Coach Art Valdez's family, please visit (Floral Store – [Mission Parks.com](http://MissionParks.com))

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 19. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

## Rosary/Funeral Service

MAR 19. 6:00 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of José Arturo Valdez*



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**Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery** - April 02, 2021 at 05:29 PM

MV

*The video is beautiful. I will treasure it with all my heart and love. Love and miss u Babe. Till we meet again. Ur wife Margie.*

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**Margie valdez** - April 09, 2021 at 03:09 PM



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Webcast in memory of José Arturo Valdez*



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**Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery** - March 19, 2021 at 11:10 AM

SA

*I made up a password it says invalid, why?*

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**Sara Campos ,San Antonio** - March 19, 2021 at 12:04 PM

VH

*I'm going to miss you, Tio. May you rest in peace.*

**VJ Valdez Hall** - March 19, 2021 at 07:51 PM

MV

*Sorry family & friends the webcast did not work properly*

**Margie Valdez** - March 27, 2021 at 02:17 AM

SC

“ *Beautiful Video of my Uncle Art.*

**Sara Campos** - May 14, 2021 at 08:48 PM

EV

“ *Always teaching me life lessons!*



**Elex Valdez** - April 07, 2021 at 12:54 AM

EV

“ *We'll keep the tradition of watching your favorite sport!*



**Elex Valdez** - April 07, 2021 at 12:52 AM

EV

“ Love you dad! I know you will watching over us!



Elex Valdez - April 07, 2021 at 12:48 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.



March 19, 2021 at 11:56 AM

JG

“ Rest easy coach

joey de la Garza - March 19, 2021 at 12:17 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.



March 18, 2021 at 11:02 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



March 18, 2021 at 07:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



March 18, 2021 at 05:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



March 18, 2021 at 02:46 PM



“ *Butch & Katy Wenke purchased the Fairest of All for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



**Butch & Katy Wenke** - March 18, 2021 at 11:40 AM

SG

“ Our condolences to the Valdez families, grew along Coach Valdez in Monte Alto and Edcouch-Elsa schools. Great coach and he played football. RIP

Samuel/Yolanda Gonzalez - March 17, 2021 at 11:22 PM

AT

“ Albert Garcia & Domingo Vento- La Feria, Texas purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of José Arturo Valdez.



Albert Garcia & Domingo Vento- La Feria, Texas - March 17, 2021 at 09:40 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.



March 17, 2021 at 03:40 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.



March 17, 2021 at 03:36 PM

MS

“ I remember him being the sub that would get mad at us when we weren't behaving in class and would give us a stern taking to. All his lessons that he gave each and every one of us in highschool taught us how to grow up, how to be mature and sometimes when he talked to us he would share memories and make us believe that we can reach our dreams if we really try hard enough. My prayers and condolences to his family, near or far. He will truly be missed and has made a great impact on every life he ever touched.



Mikayla Sierra - March 17, 2021 at 09:43 AM

HL

Our condolences to the Valdez Family Hilda Lopez and Mel

Hilda Lopez - March 17, 2021 at 09:48 PM

IS

“ Irene Sandoval lit a candle in memory of José Arturo Valdez



Irene Sandoval - March 17, 2021 at 02:29 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.



March 17, 2021 at 01:13 AM

CG

“ I have many fond memories of my brother, Turo (AKA Art). He always took care of me, gave me advice, and I knew he loved me unconditionally. I was his #1 fan during his coaching career. We supported him with his La Feria Lions, EE Yellow Jackets, Mission Eagles, Roma Gladiators, and San Antonio Southside Cardinals. Also supporting him was my lovely mom, Maria by attending his football games. I sit here and cry as I look at the frames he hung up for me in my new home. Even though your absence hurts I know you're in a better place. Please continue to watch over and take care of Me. Now I have 4 special angels taking care of me, Mom, Dad, Rudy, and YOU. Gone but Never Forgotten. Love 💙💜 you

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**Carl Guerrero** - March 17, 2021 at 12:43 AM

MG

*I wasn't done yet but the above info was written by his sister. Marta Valdez - Elsa, Tx*

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**Marta Valdez Guerrero** - March 17, 2021 at 12:59 AM

AM

*On behalf of the Lopez and Marroquin Families, please accept our most heartfelt condolences on the passing of Arturo! Our families have a special bond as we consider the Valdezes a part of our extended family! Arturo filled a very important role in his family after Rudy died and I know he leaves a void in the family that only our Lord can fill! His love of family will be a part of his legacy! Know that as he left this world, he left a part of him in each of you! His homecoming upon being embraced by our Lord to join Rudy, your Mom and Dad is now his greatest joy! He will remain forever in your hearts and those of us who had the privilege of knowing and loving him!*

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**Amelia (Amy) Marroquin** - March 17, 2021 at 07:00 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



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March 17, 2021 at 12:32 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



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March 17, 2021 at 12:23 AM



“ *I remember when we where little the trips we took to the valley to spend summers with yall.. memories I will cherish*



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**Michelle** - March 17, 2021 at 12:17 AM



“ *I remember my brother in, Art, taking me to several car shows, camping at Rio Frio, one of his favorite places, Las Coronas, and joining him to one of our Las Vegas trips. I also enjoyed him staying at my house and talking, drinking beer, and listening to Tejano music. Art, even if you're gone to a better place I will continue to love and take care of your sister, Marta. Will miss you and Rest in peace. Carlos Guerrero - Elsa, Tx.*

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**Carlos Guerrero** - March 17, 2021 at 12:16 AM

MG

*To the Valdez family, our most sincere condolences. Luv Marty and Liz.*

**Marty Gonzalez** - March 17, 2021 at 12:29 AM

DR

*Our deepest condolences to the Valdez family. Marta, I'm so sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.  
Danny and Mary Rodriguez*

**Daniel Rodriguez** - March 17, 2021 at 03:21 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of José Arturo Valdez.*



March 17, 2021 at 12:11 AM

SA

“ *I remember riding in his motorcycle when I was young he went 100mph!,that is my memory of my Uncle Art,I will miss 😞 you,may you RIP.*



**Sara Campos ,San Antonio** - March 16, 2021 at 11:40 PM