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Joseph was born in Oakland, California. Joseph graduated from Alameda High School, Alameda, CA in 1949. He served in the United States Army from 1951-1953. He met his wife in 1953 when he came to San Antonio to visit his brother, Michael. His parents were Miguel Bravo and Maria Lopez. He is survived by his beloved wife Mary of 61 years. He leaves behind his brothers: Michael A Bravo Sr. (deceased) and Alfonso Ballesteros (Janie). His children: Joseph B. Bravo, Jr. (Cheryl), Barbi Rubio (Guy), Elizabeth Bravo (deceased), Sandra Gonzalez (Luis); and his niece Cynthia and nephew Michael A. Bravo Jr. (deceased). His 12 grandchildren plus their spouses and 8 great-grandchildren. He was a member of Plumbers and Pipefitters Local 142 since 1954.

Visitation will begin on Tuesday, April 4, 2017 at 5:00 PM with a Rosary to begin at 7:00 PM at Mission Park South. Funeral mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at 9:00 AM at St. Joseph's South San Catholic Church with a procession from the funeral home. Interment will follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.

For personal acknowledgement, you may sign the online guest book at www.

missionparks.com in the obituary section.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Rosary

APR 4. 7:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Funeral Mass

APR 5. 9:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph (So. San) Catholic Church
535 New Laredo Hwy
San Antonio, TX 78211

Tribute Wall

MB

“ My dearest husband, I miss you so much. I feel so lost without you. You would call me "my doll". Can you imagine I am an old lady of 84 and you still called me "my doll." You once told me you would never leave me. - here I am, alone without you. I will always love you, sweetheart.



Mary Bravo - May 19, 2017 at 11:56 PM

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“ Dad- Dad- Dad! As Lizzie would sing it to you! As I consider my life as your daughter for 57 years I've always felt your strong presence of love ❤️ no matter the situation was. You taught us what " Bravo strong " meant whether it be emotional or in the physical- you grounded us the with foundation of what true dedicated love really is in today's world. You taught me perseverance , hard work and unconditional love just to mention a few .
We have so many wonderful qualities of yours in all of our family members right down to the great grandkids! Your trademark thumbs up sign is engrained in all of us. I consider myself so blessed to have been your daughter. I smile to think of you in Heaven surrounded by all your loved ones . I look forward to the joyous day we meet again!
Don't worry- we will take care of your "Doll"
Thank you for being the best father a girl could ever hope to have.
Love- " Do" 🥰

Barbi Bravo Rubio - April 25, 2017 at 10:18 PM

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“ Today my family celebrated the life of my grandpa and mourned the loss of his physical presence. For my Gramps...thank you for leaving your beautiful legacy with us. I will remember you for so many things-it's all in the details. The strongest emotion you left me feeling with is ❤️ love, the love you have first and foremost for grandma... you've set the standard. It's unconditional, that's why it's still present. I will remember your attention to detail in your workmanship, you did things right & then made things better/stronger/made to last forever! Your laugh and your loud voice. Being there for every single moment at every family event with your camera, smiling because you usually caught us off guard. I'll remember how you planned everything so well, packed the car like a tetris game, came to every sports event we had, giving me my very first car, fishing gear, nat geo, peppermint candy, the white t-shirts you'd let all us kids borrow for pjs when we had our sleepovers at ya'lls house, ill remember the day you told me you were proud of me ...there are so many things/moments/lessons I am grateful to you for. We all miss you so much, but I know I'll see you again. <3 you with all my heart!



Priscilla - April 05, 2017 at 10:02 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph B. Bravo Sr. .



April 04, 2017 at 04:47 PM