



Joseph "Joe" Alvarez Jr.

September 21, 1948 - October 11, 2021

Joseph (Joe) Alvarez Jr. born on September 21, 1928 went to be with our Lord on October 11, 2021. He is preceded in death by his daughter Vanessa Jo Alvarez; parents Joseph Alvarez Sr. and Santa Kime Alvarez; his brother Adolph Alvarez. He is survived by his children; Linda Alvarez; Joseph Alvarez III (Lyn); grandchildren; Caitlin & Nicholas Alvarez; Son in Law Charles Alberty; siblings Theresa Berlanga & Linda Jo Spencer; nieces and nephews; Terri Reagan, Diane Berlanga, Kathy West, William Alvarez, Kenneth West and Gregory Berlanga. Joseph attended Sacred Heart, St. Philips and Central Catholic. He was a proud U.S. Army veteran who served in Japan and Korea 1950 – 1951 and retired as a Sergeant First Class. He earned Military Medals of Army of Occupation Medal (Japan), Combat Infantry Badge, United Nations Service Medal and Korean Service Medal With 1 Bronze Service Star. Joseph retired from Federal Aviation Administration 1961 – 1987. He bought his first Harley Davidson motorcycle in 1948, which he loved riding, he rode until he was 85years old. He will dearly be missed by family and friends. A visitation will be on Tuesday November 2, 2021 at Alamo Funeral home at 5:00 pm with a rosary to be recited at 7:00 pm. On Wednesday November 3rd, there will be a committal service at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery at 11:15 am. We welcome you to come celebrate the life of Joseph "Joe" Alvarez Jr.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 2. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Alamo Funeral Chapels
624 N Alamo St
San Antonio, TX 78215
(210) 554-5000
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

NOV 2. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Committal Service

NOV 3. 11:15 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I had the honor of knowing Joe for several years. We lived in the same neighborhood and I would see him walking the neighborhood with stick and a Bill Miller's cup. I never knew his name until I met him again 20 years later as a fellow Veteran. Rest in peace Joe, I will always remember you with a smile.

Jane Madison - October 31, 2021 at 11:31 AM

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“ Joe was a heck of a guy. He was friendly funny and all around great guy. I'm going to miss being able to call him. He is going to be missed by all his vet friends. Your in good hands now my friend. George.

George Gracia - October 28, 2021 at 08:05 PM