



## Keith Andrew Vara

December 19, 1956 - January 10, 2026

Keith Andrew Vara entered eternal rest on January 10, 2026, at the age of 69. He was born on December 19, 1956, to Abel Vara and Eloise Rodriguez. He is preceded in death by his parents; his beloved wife, Lydia Vara; and his sister, Gretchen Vara.

Keith dedicated many years of service as a Foreman with the San Antonio Water System, where he was respected for his leadership, work ethic, and dedication to his community. He was a proud member of Cornerstone Church and a man of strong faith. Keith had a deep love for animals and found immense joy in his grandchildren, and cherished every moment spent with them. He also enjoyed cheering on his favorite team, The Washington Redskins.

He is lovingly remembered by his children: Roxana Saenz (Danny), Abel A. Vara, and Savanna Kendrick (Eric); his siblings: Dennis Vara, Gerard Vara, Aaron Vara, and Yvonne Chacon; and his grandchildren: Danny K., Alicia L., Roxana R., Elaina, and Noah. He also leaves behind numerous cherished family members and friends who will forever hold his memory close to their hearts.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 15, 2026, from 5:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., with a prayer service beginning at 6:30 P.M. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South.

A funeral service will be celebrated on Friday, January 16, 2026, at 1:00 P.M. at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Mission Burial Park South, where

Keith will be laid to rest beside his beloved Lydia.

# Cemetery Details

## Mission Burial Park South

1700 SE Military Dr.  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
<http://www.missionparks.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 15. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South  
1700 SE. Military Dr.  
San Antonio, TX 78214

## Prayer Service

JAN 15. 6:30 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

JAN 16. 1:00 PM (CT)

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## Interment

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JAN 16 (CT)

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*Following the funeral service in the chapel*

# Tribute Wall

HF

“ *Hernandez, McDevitt and Chavez families purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Keith Andrew Vara.*



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**Hernandez, McDevitt and Chavez families** - January 15 at 10:54 AM

CB

“ *He was always happy and loving. Always had jokes. We loved going to SA to see him when we were young. He will be missed and always in our hearts. Rest in peace*

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**Chris Vara Brady** - January 15 at 04:50 AM

RR

“ *Ampa, I miss playing Uno cards with you and coming over for the holidays. You are the best Grandpa and I miss you. Love, Roxana Rose*



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**Roxana Rose** - January 14 at 05:43 PM

AL

“ Thank you for being the best grandpa and spending time with me and my family . I liked playing games with you and mailing you letters. I miss you. Love, Alicia L



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**Alicia Lydia** - January 14 at 05:36 PM

DK

“ Thanks Ampa for being an awesome Grandpa. It was fun playing board games with you and I will miss the fun moments we had together. You will be missed. With Love, Danny K

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**Danny K** - January 14 at 04:25 PM