



Leonard R. Ruiz

July 6, 1935 - June 10, 2023

Leonardo Roberto Ruiz went to be with his Lord and Savior on June 10, 2023. He passed away peacefully at the age of 87, with his family by his side. He was born in Von Ormy, Texas on July 6th, 1935. He attended Southwest High School and then enlisted in the US Army. He was an active member of the community, serving as a councilman for one term. Proud to serve as a member and officer at different times of DAV chapter 25 and American Legion Post 485 for more than 50 years.

He is preceded in death by his parents Leonardo and Sara Ruiz, Brother Richard, and his first wife Maria Anita Ruiz, Step-Son Tony Balderas, Step-Granddaughter Valerie. He is survived by his wife Angelita Ruiz, Children Laura MacRae (Mike), Leonard Ruiz (Ray Lynn), Linda Juarez (George Ortiz), Delma Balderas, David Balderas (Mia), 14 Grandchildren, 17 Great-Grandchildren, and one Great, Great-Grandchild.

The family wishes to thank Frank Tejada Veterans Home and Good Shepard Hospice, that took care of him over the past three years. We owe them a deep amount of gratitude.

In lieu of flowers, a donation can be made to DAV Chapter 25; 5337 W Commerce St, San Antonio, TX 78237, or the American Legion JFK Post 485; 431 Kendalia Ave, San Antonio, TX 78214.

A Gathering of Remembrance will be held on Wednesday, June 28, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. with a rosary to be recited at 6:30 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, June 29, 2023, at 11:45 a.m. at Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church in Von Ormy, Texas. Interment to follow at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 28. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Rosary

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Funeral Mass

JUN **29**. 11:45 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church
13466 Interstate 35 Access Rd.
Von Ormy, TX 78073
<https://www.sacredheartofjesuschurch.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ *My dearest Brother-in- Law Leonard, you will be missed. We will always remain grateful for the happiness that you brought our sister Angie.*

Our Country owes you so much for what you contributed to make us a free country. You are now in the loving hands of our Lord. May you rest in peace! Love Carlos and Olga Garza

MARIA GARZA - June 23, 2023 at 01:24 PM