



Louis Badillo Castillo

January 9, 1945 - January 28, 2025

Louis Badillo Castillo, Sr., born on January 9th, 1945, in San Antonio, TX was called to his eternal home on January 28, 2025 at the age of 80 years old.

Son of the late Lorenzo O. Castillo and Sara Badillo Castillo.

Louie, as he was affectionately known, was a shining light in the lives of all who had the privilege of knowing him. His journey on this earth was one marked by love, compassion, and unwavering faith in God.

Louie is survived by his sister Carmen Ochoa and preceded in death by his sister Maria Castillo, brothers Joe Castillo, Sr. and Julio Castillo, Sr.

He was a devout member of St. Bonaventure Catholic Church, served as counsel 10712 3rd degree of the Knights of Columbus. He also served as the 4th degree member of assembly 2040 St. Vincent De Paul. A great humanitarian, served as a missionary building bunk beds for underprivileged children in Coahuila, Mexico. A Veteran of the Army National Guard of Texas. A Union Master Craftsman specializing in Carpentry.

He enjoyed the great outdoors including camping, barbecuing, picnicking, fishing, and constantly working on small building projects. He belonged to the St. Bonaventure's Guadalupanos, volunteered with numerous church functions, community events, annual church festival, cooked and served meals in the church hall. Louie also enjoyed volunteering at the annual Raul Jimenez Thanksgiving Dinner in downtown San Antonio.

Louie is survived by his son Louis Castillo, Jr., daughters Rebecca C. Castillo and Julie Ann Castillo. Grandchildren Desirée Elise Castillo Terrazas (Marcos), Savanna Martinez-Garcia (Rebecca), Arielle Marie Castillo, Soleil Angelina Castillo, Jacob Anthony Castillo, and Alyssa Navae Castillo.

He leaves behind numerous nieces, nephews, other family members, and friends who will miss him dearly.

Special thank you to the BAMC ICU Medical Staff and VITAS Hospice staff for the wonderful and compassionate care provided to our father. Savanna and Becca, we will forever be thankful for your bravery and heroic efforts.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

FEB 12. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home
711 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214

Rosary

FEB 12. 6:00 PM (CT)

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711 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214

Funeral Mass

FEB 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Bonaventure Catholic Church
1918 Palo Alto Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78211

Interment

FEB 13 (CT)

San Isidro Cemetery
Macdona, TX 78002

Tribute Wall

AA

“ My sincere condolences to Julie and all the family and friends of Mr Castillo ...on the loss of such an amazing man...I've been a long time friend of Julie's for 25 plus years ...I never got to know your dad Julie but through the stories you've shared about him you can tell he was a great man who will truly be missed ...prayers for all who loved him during this difficult time ..may he rest in peace 🙏

Aisha Aparicio - February 12, 2025 at 11:23 AM

AA

“ Aisha Aparicio lit a candle in memory of Louis Badillo Castillo



Aisha Aparicio - February 12, 2025 at 11:17 AM

TT

“ Teresa Torres lit a candle in memory of Louis Badillo Castillo



Teresa Torres - February 12, 2025 at 08:31 AM

TT

“ *My Condolences to Julie and the Castillo Family. I am Julie's friend since middle school and remember meeting Mr Castillo the first time I visited his home when I went home after school with Julie. I remember him always making me laugh. With his jokes and famous donkey kicks he would do to make us laugh. He was a kind man who loved his family. Always made sure he had food and snacks for Julie and her friends. I admired him for his love of God and volunteer work he did. Thank you Sir for welcoming me in your home when I visited. You will always be remembered. May you Rest in Peace Mr Castillo.*

Teresa Torres - February 12, 2025 at 08:29 AM

CG

“ *Our condolences go out to my best friend of 20 years, Julie Castillo (daughter of Mr Castillo) and her entire family. Julie always talked highly of her daddy and loved how you used to build things and even on some occasions, you would build things for her and Aly. You raised a beautiful and strong woman. May you rest easy and fly high with the angels. 🕊️🙏*

Cynthia Gutierrez - February 11, 2025 at 11:17 PM

AG

“ My sincere condolences to the Castillo Family on the passing of Louie.

Louie thank you for your service to the St Bonaventure Church KOC#10712.

In the words of our faith: "Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."

From: Sergio, Angie, Lauren, Joseph Garcia



Angie Mata Garcia - February 11, 2025 at 07:51 PM

MC

“ Condolences To My Husband Louis D. Castillo Jr. and immediate Family and Friends for the passing of Mr. Louis B. Castillo Sr.. Mr. Louis B. Castillo was my Father-In-Law.

Which was an Honor Too Have Met Him. He was a kind man. I enjoyed talking too my father in law. I would see him through the window him outside working cleaning his yard. Or jus out doing things here n there in his yard. I would tell my husband Louis Jr. It's good too watch your Dad moving around out there. 😊

Around his house. Like I would call him.. Mi Suegro.. I will Miss! Descansa En Paz Mi Suegro!!

Tu Nuera Melinda Castillo 🙏❤️🙏



Melinda Castillo - February 11, 2025 at 07:46 PM

FG

“ From Manuel Garcia Jr. and Maria Garcia purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Louis Badillo Castillo.



From Manuel Garcia Jr. and Maria Garcia - February 11, 2025
at 01:07 PM

JC

“ Memory of my dad, is of him always being a hard worker. Giving. Caring. Always keeping busy and helping others always! 🙏 I can only pray to be half the goodness that dad was...because our dad was goodness and love and just the best earthly father we could hope for 🙏 Love and miss you already so much apa...
Love Julie Ann



Julie Castillo - February 09, 2025 at 12:55 AM

TM

“ We met Louie way back when Becky n Natalie our daughter were in Kindergarten. Through the years we got closer at St Bonaventure doing volunteer work. I Trinidad n Louie became Knights n enjoyed our brother gatherings. We worked on projects together like cleaning the grounds with our brother Knights, working on yearly Festivals, serving breakfast, helping at the Flea market n most of all n most important Louie n I recited the Rosary with brother Knights n Guadalupanas at morning masses. My wife Elaine also was a good friend of Louie, she enjoyed talks with him especially when they shared stories of Max our dog that Louie gave us when Max was a puppy. We still have Max our family dog. We both are gonna miss our friend, brother n cousin(we called ourselves cousin) very much. Rest in Peace Louie a great friend that most people rarely have the pleasure of meeting n knowing someone like Louie.



Trinidad T. Mata - February 08, 2025 at 10:52 AM

NL

“ Natalie Mata Lozano lit a candle in memory of Louis Badillo Castillo



Natalie Mata Lozano - February 08, 2025 at 08:17 AM

NL

“ I have fond memories of Louie going back when I was growing up and into my Adult years being Best Friends with his Daughter Becky and being a parishioner of St. Bonaventure Church. I remember how much he loved to dance, his love for his family, hard worker, dedication to service in his personal life & Church. I was blessed to witness Louie volunteer his time at church festivals, resited the rosary at funeral services, made delicious menudo at many church hall breakfasts, and attended various church celebrations. He definately was a Strong man physically and spiritually. Gives me peace that I was able to tell Louie how important he was to me and my family. Grateful that my Parents Mr. & Mrs. Mata along with Priests and many Church parishioners got to have a Special bond with Louie. My Thoughts & Prayers continue to be with the entire Castillo family. My deepest sorrow and condolences to each one of you. May Louis B Castillo Sr RIP and the perpetual light shine upon him, Amen. With heartfelt Love from Bob, Natalie Lozano & family

Natalie Mata Lozano - February 08, 2025 at 08:12 AM

EM

“ Emily lit a candle in memory of Louis Badillo Castillo



Emily - February 03, 2025 at 11:24 PM

DR

You have fought the good fight, you have finished the race, you have kept the faith. 2 Timothy 4:7
Rest in the Lord, Sir Knight Louis Castillo.
From your council members at St Bonaventure Knights of Columbus Council #10712

DGK Fernando Revuelta - February 04, 2025 at 06:57 PM