



Paul Gomez Torres Sr.

October 30, 1929 - January 30, 2018

Paul Gomez Torres, Sr. passed away on January 30, 2018 in Dallas, Texas. He was born on October 30, 1929 in Thrall, Texas to Saloman Torres, Sr. and Alvina Gomez. Mr. Torres was preceded in death by his parents; his daughters, Pauline Rodela and Ana Becerra; sons, Paul Torres, Jr. and William Torres; and his brother, Saloman Torres, Jr. He is survived by his wife, Febronia Lopez Torres; daughters, Margaret Jones and Rose Ann Richards (Albert); sons, Leroy V. Torres, Danny Torres (Norma) and Anthony Torres (Clara); sister, Mary Medrano (Tony); and numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews; step-daughters, Fely Blanco (Jose G.), Katy Marquez (Francisco) and Claudia Cardoso.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, February 20, 2018 from 6:00pm-9:00pm at Brookehill Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be on Wednesday, February 21, 2018 at 10:00am at the funeral home chapel. Interment will follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery, with Army Honors.

For personal acknowledgement, you may sign the online guestbook at www.missionparks.com in the Tributes section.

BROOKEHILL FUNERAL HOME

711 S.E. MILITARY DRIVE

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78214
(210) 923-7523

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home
711 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 923-7523
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Funeral Service

FEB 21. 10:00 AM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home
711 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 923-7523
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Interment

FEB **21**. 11:30 AM (CT)

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paul Gomez Torres Sr..*



February 21, 2018 at 11:27 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Paul Gomez Torres Sr..*



February 19, 2018 at 11:14 PM

JU

“ When I was much younger, I remember writing letters to my Uncle Paul every day while he was serving in Vietnam. What could I, as a teenager, possibly have said to him except that Grandma and I missed him and asked him to be safe and hurry home. Today I write my final letter to you, my beloved Uncle Paul. I already miss you. I can't pick up the phone or drive the 274 miles to Dallas to see you. Your smile and that special laugh you had. You called us all soldiers. You raised your pinky finger when you drank your coffee. The importance and pride of your heritage. Your love for all your family, especially your mother (my Grandmother) was so evident. You loved talking politics and about the Dallas Cowboys, except you were a little upset when Tom Landry was fired. You loved San Antonio, where you grew up. Tio, I miss you, I love you. I am heart broken, in a way that words cannot describe. I must be strong now for my mother, your sister. You will live forever in my heart and my letters to you will be in prayer.

My uncle Paul was a very important person in my life. His care and concern throughout my life had a great impact on me, particularly after the passing of my father during my teenage years. His love and care for my mother was very much appreciated. We will miss him.

Jo Ann Ullrich - February 13, 2018 at 09:01 PM

JU

Jo Ann Ullrich

Jo Ann Ullrich - February 13, 2018 at 09:03 PM

LU

“ Paul Gomez Torres, Sr. was proud of his service in the U. S. Army. He retired at the rank of 1SG. He was an Airborne soldier who served in both the Korean and Vietnam conflicts. He was a true patriot who served his country with honor and distinction. He was happy that he and his brother, Salomon, shared service to their country. He is holder of the Purple Heart for injuries sustained in combat. He enjoyed talking to me about his experiences in the Army and the importance of service. He was a much beloved brother to my mother-in-law Mary Torres Medrano and very beloved uncle to my wife, Jo Ann. He will be missed. We take comfort that he will enjoy being reunited with his mother and relatives who have gone ahead.

Louis Ullrich - February 13, 2018 at 05:56 PM

RU

“ A message from Paul's cousin Ruth:



Ruth - February 12, 2018 at 10:17 PM

JB

“ Sincerest condolences to all of the Torres Family. Thank you Paul for all of your genuine love for all of the family. What I loved about you was your beautiful smile.

Love your cousin Antonia "Gomez" Aguila & Family from California

Jackie Badalamenti - February 12, 2018 at 01:24 PM

JB

“ *Paul,*

Thank God you entered the gates of heaven this year, 2018. I'm glad that I was able to pray and minister to you. My sincere condolences to all of the Torres Family. You will be in our hearts forever.

Love from your cousin Mollie "Gomez" Matas & Family from California

Jackie Badalamenti - February 12, 2018 at 01:21 PM