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Pete B. Sanchez born on April 1, 1937 went to be with the Lord on November 18, 2019 at the age of 82. He is preceded in death by his brother Charles Sanchez and sister Martha Sanchez. Pete is survived by his beloved wife of 61 years, Irene Pacheco Sanchez. Sister Yolanda Sanchez and Brother Manuel Charles Sanchez. Three children: Pete A. Sanchez (Karla) - Pete A. Sanchez, Jr. and Alexandra, Irene Alvarado (Daniel) - Crystal Rodriguez (Ryan), Charles Sanchez (Arlene) and daughter Myra M.) - Jeremy, Angelica and Charles Noel. He was also blessed with two great grandchildren, Matthew & Maci Rodriguez. Also several other sisters & brothers-in law, his Marine Corps & US Postal Service families & many loving & wonderful friends he considered family! Pete grew up in San Antonio. He attended Burbank High School and graduated in the class of 1955. The son of Carlos Sanchez and Felice Benavidez. He enjoyed coaching at The Palm Heights Little League, & helped with Pop Warner & at Lowell Middle School. During his early years in Floresville he not only coached but was also President of the Little League for several years. Pete worked for the United States Postal Service for 36 years - mail carrier for about 16 years and was Postmaster at Floresville, TX. for 20 years. During his time in Floresville he served on the Floresville City Council for several years & The Wilson County Appraisal District Board. Pete proudly

served in the United States Marine Corps as a Drill Instructor. The discipline & patriotism he learned in the Marines never left him, as friends and family will attest. "Right Sir!" He now moves on to what will presumably be his final resting place, the Streets of Heaven, where those who knew him expect he has probably stated "Say Sir/Say Mam" and by now he has probably tried to impress Saint Peter with his tales.

Pete will be dearly missed by everyone who knew him.

Visitation will begin on Monday, December 2, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. with a rosary to begin at 7:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South on SE Military Drive. Funeral mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, December 3, 2019 at 12:00 p.m. at St. James the Apostle Catholic Church with a procession from the funeral home at 11:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.

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

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 5:00 PM - 9:00 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

DEC 2. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Procession

DEC 3. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Celebration of His Life

DEC 3. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. James Catholic Church
907 W. Theo Ave
San Antonio, TX 78225

Tribute Wall



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pete B. Sanchez .*



November 30, 2019 at 08:57 AM



“ *I have many good memories of my dear friend and relative Pete. He will be very much missed.*
Red Bernal

Red Bernal - November 30, 2019 at 08:56 AM



“ *Heartfelt condolences to Irene and all the immediate and extended family on the passing of their beloved Pete. Pete was a school mate and friend of mine at Burbank High School during the mid-1950's, and a dedicated fellow U.S. Marine in the late 50's and early 60's. Rest in peace Marine, and Semper Fi!!! - Inez Macias, Jr.*

Inez Macias Jr - November 26, 2019 at 05:06 PM



“ *Irene My condolences for your loss, I will miss Pete. May the love of God help you and your kids throughout this difficult time.*
God Bless
Judy

Judy - November 25, 2019 at 09:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Pete B. Sanchez .



November 25, 2019 at 10:49 AM