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Ricardo Trevino Sr., who entered eternal rest on January 11, 2025, at the age of 87. A devoted son, brother, husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and uncle, Ricardo's life was a testament to his faith, work, and unconditional love.

Born on April 16, 1937, in Jourdanton, Texas, to Romulo and Santos (Saenz) Trevino, Ricardo grew up on a farm in nearby Charlotte, Texas as the second youngest of nine children. From an early age, he learned the values of family, responsibility, loyalty, integrity, and perseverance—principles that guided him throughout his life. Despite not starting school until age 7, Ricardo graduated from Charlotte High School in 1957, where he excelled in both football and track. A year later, on May 26, 1958, he answered the call to serve his country, enlisting in the United States Army attending basic training at Fort Carson, CO. He was stationed at Fort Monmouth, NJ; Fairchild Air Force Base, WA; and concluded his military career at Ellsworth Air Force Base, SD. As a member of the Signal Corps, he achieved the rank of Corporal/Specialist (E-4) before being honorably discharged in April 1961. This time spent in the military left a lasting impression, instilling a deep sense of patriotism and discipline that was shown through his actions and multitude of baseball caps.

Following his military service, Ricardo wed his bride, Beatrice (Cumpian) Trevino on March 28, 1962. Shortly thereafter, he began a long-distinguished career at Kelly Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas, where he worked for the Department of Defense in aviation maintenance and logistics. Known for his servant leadership, dedication, and precision, Ricardo played a key role in ensuring the safety and readiness of military aircraft. Alongside his professional career, he pursued numerous entrepreneurial ventures in construction, remodeling, real estate, self-serve car washes, and convenience stores. Through his vision and hard work, Ricardo forged opportunities to support his family and community.

Ricardo shared a remarkable 62-year marriage with his beloved wife, Beatrice, and together they built a family filled with love, faith, and laughter. They raised their five children: Cynthia Escobedo (Ray), Richard Trevino Jr. (Irene), Jacqueline Trevino, James Trevino (Leslie), and Kim DaPra (Michael) in their longtime family home on W. Southcross, in the heart of southside San Antonio. Notably, he instilled the value of education in his children and is proud that each is a college graduate. As he grew older, his pride and joy was becoming a grandfather to his 15 grandchildren: Andrew Escobedo (Alyssa), Sebastian Saint John, Christina Huerta (Steve), Richard III Trevino (Brandon), Adam Gonzalez (Jordan), Ariana Trevino, Alyssa Fales (Zach), Kayla Cordova (Austin), Breanna DaPra, Kimberly Trevino Kelsch, Lauren Trevino, Danielle Trevino, Devin DaPra, Isabella Trevino, and Matthew Trevino. As a father and grandfather, Ricardo was a pillar of wisdom and strength. In recent years, he cherished the time spent with his six great-grandchildren: Sofia Huerta, Steve Huerta Jr., Avery Gonzalez, Amelia Escobedo, Lylla Trevino, and Jude Gonzalez. Each child, grandchild, and great-grandchild brought him immeasurable joy and pride.

Ricardo is preceded in death by his parents, Romulo and Santos Trevino, and seven of his siblings: Josie Tober, Ramon Trevino, Baldemar Trevino, Elvira

Grant, Alicia Lopez, Reymundo Trevino, and Eberardo Trevino. He is survived by his wife, children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, youngest brother, Romulo Trevino Jr., as well as numerous nieces, nephews, extended family members, and countless friends who knew him as “Uncle Richard or Richard.”

Ricardo lived his life in accordance with the teachings of Jesus Christ. He was a longtime member of the Knights of Columbus, St. Leo’s Catholic Church and St. Lawrence Catholic Church. His generosity knew no bounds—he was always ready to lend a helping hand and bridge economic gaps, without expecting anything in return. He had a passion for traveling all around the world, problem solving and enjoyed tinkering with machines of all kinds. He could often be found working with his hands, fixing motors, electronics, and more. Ricardo’s life was also filled with stories of risk, resilience, and innovation that he shared with loved ones around the dinner table. Those who know Ricardo will remember his warmth, humor, and steadfast commitment to family. His life was defined by love, hard work, and service to others. He leaves behind a legacy that will continue to inspire generations to come.

Ricardo’s family finds peace in knowing he is now at rest in the arms of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, reunited with his loved ones in Heaven. His spirit will live on in the lives he touched, the lessons he imparted, and the countless memories he created.

A Life Well Lived, A Love Well Shared.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 23, 2025, from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm, with a Rosary at 6:30 pm, at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South . A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, January 24, 2025, at 10:00 am at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, followed by the procession to San Jose Burial Park and reception at St. Lawrence Catholic Church.

Cemetery Details

San Jose Burial Park

8235 Mission RD
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 923-0272
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 23. 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

JAN 23. 6:30 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
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Visitation

JAN **24**. 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

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

Mass

JAN **24**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church
236 E. Petaluma
San Antonio, TX 78221

Tribute Wall

RM

“ *To the Trevino Family,
We extend our deepest sympathies to you during this time of loss.
Please know that you are in our hearts and prayers. May you find
strength in one another and peace in the loving memories of
Ricardo. Wishing you comfort and healing in the days ahead.*

*With heartfelt condolences,
The San Miguel Family*

Rene San Miguel - January 27, 2025 at 10:08 AM

AS

“ *From the Solis family to the Trevino family: Our sincerest
condolences for your loss. Your family will be in our prayers and
may your loved ones have strength, peace and comfort during this
time. God bless you Trevino family.*

Alex Solis - January 23, 2025 at 09:12 PM

EF

“ *Escobedo Family purchased the Strength & Solace
Spray for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S.
Trevino Sr..*



Escobedo Family - January 23, 2025 at 11:38 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



January 22, 2025 at 08:30 PM



“ *Serene Retreat* was purchased for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



January 22, 2025 at 06:18 PM



“ *Romulo Family purchased the Serenity Wreath* for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



Romulo Family - January 22, 2025 at 02:12 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



January 21, 2025 at 05:23 PM

FR

“ From your BV friends Joe, Payam and Rick purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



From your BV friends Joe, Payam and Rick - January 21, 2025 at 04:21 PM

FP

“ From 502d CEG Real Property purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



From 502d CEG Real Property - January 21, 2025 at 02:17 PM

JT

“ 3 files added to the album Richard Trevino Sr



Jackie Trevino - January 21, 2025 at 12:25 AM

JF

“ John & Vera Pope & Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..



John & Vera Pope & Family - January 18, 2025 at 04:34 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..*



January 17, 2025 at 12:07 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Ricardo (Richard) S. Trevino Sr..*



January 17, 2025 at 10:37 AM