



Robert Pena Gomez

June 7, 1945 - July 3, 2025

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Robert P. Gomez, 80, passed away peacefully on July 3, 2025, surrounded by his loving family. Born on June 7, 1945, in Amarillo, Texas, to Elijo and Celia Gomez, Robert dedicated his life to serving his country, his community, and his cherished family.

Robert proudly served his nation for 30 years in the U.S. Army Aviation, where he distinguished himself as a skilled helicopter maintenance worker and maintenance instructor. His expertise and dedication to excellence made him a respected leader among his peers, and he took great pride in training the next generation of aviation maintenance professionals.

Following his military service, Robert continued his commitment to public service, working for 42 years at Randolph Air Force Base in civil service. His unwavering work ethic and technical expertise made him an invaluable member of the team throughout his long and distinguished career.

After retiring from Randolph Air Force Base, Robert remained active in his community, working for Gomez Floor Covering, where he continued to demonstrate the same dedication and craftsmanship that had defined his entire professional life.

Robert was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather who found his greatest joy in spending time with his family. His legacy of service, hard work, and love will continue to inspire all who knew him.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Geraldine S. Gomez; his sister, Linda Whitener, and her husband Steve; his daughter, Kathy Gomez; his son, Mike Gomez; his daughter, Kelly McCleary, and her husband Ryan; his step-daughter, Lorraine Sanchez, and her husband Henry; his step-daughter, Dr. Michel Zuch, and her husband Howard; his step-son, Anthony Rodriguez, and his wife Kandy; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. Robert's memory will be treasured by his family and all who were fortunate to know him.

Robert's life was a testament to the values of service, dedication, and family. He will be deeply missed but never forgotten.

Previous Events

Family Visitation

JUL 13. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Public Visitation

JUL 13. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Holy Rosary

JUL 13. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Mass

JUL **14**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church
1602 Thousand Oaks
San Antonio, TX, TX 78232

Committal Service with Military Honors

JUL **14**. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Holy Cross Cemetery
17501 Nacogdoches Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78266
(210) 651-6011

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.* ”



July 14, 2025 at 05:39 PM



“ *Condolences to the family from Tom and Pauline Aguilar. Lots of memories from the LaSalle high school days. May he rest in peace!* ”

Tomas Aguilar - July 14, 2025 at 11:45 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.* ”



July 14, 2025 at 10:04 AM



“ *Ashley Apodaca and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.* ”



Ashley Apodaca and Family - July 12, 2025 at 05:01 PM

DB

“ On behalf of St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church, we express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Robert during this difficult time. It is our prayer that he will rest in peace and experience the eternal glory of God's Kingdom. [Deacon Larry Brisiel, St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church (San Antonio, TX)]



Deacon Larry Brisiel - July 12, 2025 at 12:31 PM



“ *Serene Retreat* was purchased for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.



July 11, 2025 at 05:14 PM

LH

“ *Love and blessings*, Kara Hallenberger purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.



Love and blessings, Kara Hallenberger - July 11, 2025 at 02:59 PM

JW

“ Robert and I became close friends 35+ years ago in the Army Reserves as helicopter maintenance instructors. Robert was a very dedicated husband, father, grandfather and friend. We shared many great memories throughout our years as friends. I will certainly miss him not being in my life. RIP my friend and I love you as a brother.

Jim Wilson - July 10, 2025 at 08:11 PM

CG

“ Chris, Andrea, Cruz and Blaire Gonzales purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.



Chris, Andrea, Cruz and Blaire Gonzales - July 10, 2025 at 11:08 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.



July 09, 2025 at 10:17 PM

KE

“ Uncle Bob taught me the importance of releasing grudges. He transformed me into a more understanding and magnanimous individual. He provided stability during times of difficulty and brought a smile to my face during moments of joy. I can still hear his voice calling me "mijo"—even after I turned 40!

You will be deeply missed, Tio.

Kevin - July 09, 2025 at 05:14 PM

LG

“ To my great friend Mr.G. I'm glad you became our best friends over the last 10 years we got to know you and Mrs. G. We shared a lot of laughs, breakfast, celebrations, and the same interest in classic cars and enjoyed the time you and I spent working on them together.. your spirit will always be in my heart and every time I take the Falcon a.k.a. "The Mistress" out to drive or to car shows knowing you're with me.. R.I.P. .. with love from other Mr and Mrs G.

Lupe and Misty Gomez - July 09, 2025 at 01:27 PM

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Lupe and Misty Gomez - July 09, 2025 at 01:22 PM

WG

“ Willie & Eunice Garza purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.



Willie & Eunice Garza - July 09, 2025 at 11:30 AM

TC

“ Tracy Custer lit a candle in memory of Robert Pena Gomez



Tracy Custer - July 08, 2025 at 11:37 PM

TR

“ *Trudy & Steve Riojas purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.*



Trudy & Steve Riojas - July 08, 2025 at 07:32 PM

PM

“ *Pamela and Rob Mayes purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.*



Pamela and Rob Mayes - July 08, 2025 at 05:48 PM

AV

“ *Alexander Vega purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Robert Pena Gomez.*



Alexander Vega - July 08, 2025 at 03:56 PM