



Ross Juarez Garcia

September 24, 1931 - October 17, 2018

Ross Juarez Garcia, 87, passed away Wednesday, October 17, 2018 from complications associated from Alzheimer's. Ross was born September 24, 1931 to Polo and Gilberta Garcia in Floresville, Texas, the only child. He graduated from Floresville High School and served in the U.S. military for 26 years, where he did two tours in Vietnam and received the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service and Air Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Senior Aircraft Crewman Badge, Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry w/Palm Bronze Star medal, The Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal along with Overseas Bars. Ross received multiple merit awards from his Civilian Service with Kelly Field, never missing a day of work. He was a member of the American Legion Post 0399 and VFW Post 8936. In retirement, Ross won several regional and national APA, BALSAs, SAPL, and VFW Pool competitions, ranking among one of the best pool league players in the San Antonio area. Apart from playing pool, Ross enjoyed playing the electric guitar and once performed with Johnny Cash during one of his overseas tours. Ross is survived by his wife, Esther; daughters, Cleo Garcia and Bianca Edison; sons, Ross Jr. Garcia, Rory and daughter in-law Sabrina Garcia; grandchildren, Sarah Salas, Cheyenne Garcia, William Bramlett, Kendall and son in-law Michael Raymond, Tyler Jackson, Madelyn Garcia, Taylor and Jake Jackson; great grandchildren Mason Camina, Roland Quinones and numerous nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to Mission San Juan Capistrano. The

Mass of Resurrection will be celebrated at 10:00 AM on Thursday, October 25, 2018, at Mission San Juan Capistrano. The procession will depart at 9:15 AM for a 10:00 AM Graveside Service on Friday, October 26, 2018, at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. For personal acknowledgment, you may sign the online guestbook at www.missionparks.com in the Tributes section. Arrangements are with Brookehill Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Mass of Resurrection

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Mission San Juan Capistrano
9101 Graf Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78214

Graveside Service with Full Military Honors

OCT **26**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

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“ *Andrew G. Gomez Jr and His Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ross Juarez Garcia.*



Andrew G. Gomez Jr and His Family - October 24, 2018 at 11:11 AM

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“ *My heartfelt condolences to the Garcia family. I met Ross several years ago at church and he was a true gentleman with some great stories he would share about his service for our country and of course as a champion pool player. Rest in peace my friend Johnny Mendiola*

Johnny Mendiola - October 22, 2018 at 10:51 PM



“ *Parishioners at Mission San Juan Capistrano*



Rebecca Stuart - October 21, 2018 at 11:20 PM



“ *Our sincere thoughts and prayers to his family
Arthur and Becky Stuart*



Rebecca Stuart - October 21, 2018 at 11:12 PM

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“ *Cleo Garcia sent a virtual gift in memory of
Ross Juarez Garcia*



Cleo Garcia - October 21, 2018 at 10:19 AM

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“ *Cleo Garcia lit a candle in memory of Ross
Juarez Garcia*



Cleo Garcia - October 21, 2018 at 10:17 AM