



Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr.

February 29, 1944 - June 6, 2020

Ruben Martinez Sr. was called home on June 6, 2020 at the age of 76 in San Antonio, Texas. Ruben was born to Teodoro Garcia and Maria Trinidad Martinez in Laredo, Texas on February 29, 1944. Mr. Garcia graduated from Sydney Lanier High School in 1963 Valedictorian of his class, instead of going to college he proudly joined the U.S. Navy and provided aid to the wounded of the Vietnam War.

He served in the navy for 1.5 years, he was honorably discharged after suffering a sickness ending his term early. In the time he was in the Navy, he spent most of his term on the historic USS Saratoga where he was trained to be a nurse and made it to rank E3. After recovering from his injury Mr. Garcia became a nurse for Wilford Hall USAF Hospital Center in the psychiatric department, where he achieved multiple award letters for his great work with the patients.

Mr. Garcia was a truly kind and giving person with a heart of gold. He was always known for his selflessness and being a hard-working individual. He loved being outside and working on his plants. He was an amazing husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years Martha Jane Garcia and his five children, son, Ruben and late wife Maria Garcia Jr, son, Christopher M. Garcia (Jennifer), son, Vincent A. Garcia, Daughter, Justine M. Ojeda (Gilbert), son, Eleazar Sanchez (Rosie), and 15 grandchildren; Gilbert Ojeda III , Christian A. Garcia, Sabrina Marie Garcia, Violet N. Garcia, Ezra E. Garcia, Noah J.

Ojeda, Velvet Lee Garcia, Ruben A. Garcia III, Nathan A. Ojeda, Mirakle Garcia, Vivica Garcia, Serenity Jane Ojeda, Viviana Garcia, Eleazar Sanchez, and Penelope Sanchez and 9 great grandchildren, Julius Garcia, Jaylene Garcia, Gilbert Levi Ojeda IV, Octavia Leni Ojeda, Avery Skye Garcia, Ellany Love Garcia, Anakin LaVoi Ojeda, Camille Elizabeth Garcia, Ivelisse Ojeda. The family is holding a Rosery Ceremony on Friday June 19th at 7 pm. The Funeral will be held on Saturday June 20th at 11 am. The rosery and funeral will be held at Missions Park South 1700 S.E. Military Dr.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **19**. 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

JUN **19**. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUN **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr.*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - June 20, 2020 at 09:56 AM

LB

“ *Leticia Buenrostro purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr..*



Leticia Buenrostro - June 17, 2020 at 10:22 PM

AH

“ *Andrea Moreno-Hewitt and Max Hewitt purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr..*



Andrea Moreno-Hewitt and Max Hewitt - June 16, 2020 at 10:39 PM

PR

“ *Pietrina Rovello purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr..*



Pietrina Rovello - June 16, 2020 at 03:29 PM

HS

“ *My most sincere condolences to Coach Garcia and all the Garcia family. Rest In Peace, Mr. Garcia.*



Herminia Saldivar - June 16, 2020 at 12:20 PM

LB

“ *Leticia Buenrostro lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr.*



Leticia Buenrostro - June 14, 2020 at 10:23 PM



“ *Debbie Jimenez lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr.*



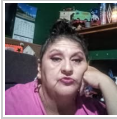
Debbie Jimenez - June 14, 2020 at 02:09 AM

GA

“ George & Roselie (totie) Arroyo lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr.



george & rosalie (totie) arroyo - June 13, 2020 at 02:25 PM



george & totie arroyo, we send our deepest condolence to you justin and all your family

Rosalie Arroyo - June 13, 2020 at 02:29 PM

MJ

“ Maria Juarez lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ruben M. Garcia Sr.



Maria Juarez - June 13, 2020 at 01:59 PM