



Ruben G. Orosco

November 13, 1932 - July 8, 2023

Ruben Gonzales Orosco, 90, of San Antonio, passed away on Saturday, July 8.

Born to Genoveva Gonzales and Trinidad Orosco Sr. on Nov. 13, 1932, in Floresville, Texas, Ruben was raised on a farm in Poth, Texas by his Aunt Maria and a vast group of doting aunts.

Ruben enlisted in the U.S. Army on May 15, 1953, and served two years before being honorably discharged. As a tank driver and Squad Leader, Ruben served not only in Active Duty Army, but also Army Reserves and the National Guard. After returning to civilian life, Ruben served as a dedicated bus driver for 38 years before his retirement from Kerrville Bus Company on Feb. 17, 1994.

He met Lucinda Trigo at a volleyball game in Poth, and they married on January 27, 1957 in Nixon, Texas and had two daughters, Cynthia and Christina.

He was known for being passionate about his family and could rarely walk through a local café without having hands to shake and smiles to greet. If you knew him, it is very likely you have a trinket from his garage workshop hanging on a wall at home or in a tree in your backyard.

He is preceded in death by his father, Trinidad Sr.; his mother, Genoveva, who died while giving birth to Ruben; his Aunt Maria, who raised him as her own; his brother, Mario; and his twin brother Trinidad Jr.

Ruben is survived by his wife, Lucinda; daughter, Cynthia, and her husband,

Chris; daughter, Christina, and her husband, Randy; grandchildren, Ruben, Corey, Richard, Madi, Mickey and Genevieve; and two great-grandchildren, Phoenix and Archer, along with a host of other family members and dear friends.

Pallbearers are Cynthia Montalbo, Christina Kelly, Corey Franco, Madi Montalbo, Richard Montalbo, Mickey Kelly, Genevieve Kelly and Joseph Elizondo. Ruben Franco will serve as an honorary pallbearer.

Visitation will be held from 5-8 p.m. with a Rosary recited at 6:30 p.m. on July 26 in the Main Chapel at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, 1700 S.E. Military Drive, San Antonio, Texas.

Funeral Mass will be held at noon on July 27 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, with Deacon Mechler officiating. Interment will be held at 1:15 p.m. at Fort Sam Houston, 1520 Harry Wurzbach.

Flowers can be sent to Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, 1700 S.E. Military Drive or In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Fisher House Foundation fisherhouse.org.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 26. 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

JUL 26. 6:30 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

JUL 27. 12:00 PM (CT)

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

Interment

JUL 27. 1:15 PM (CT)

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd
San Antonio, TX 78209
(210) 820-3891

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Webcast in memory of Ruben G. Orosco*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - July 26, 2023 at 03:13 PM

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“ *Cindy and Orosco family, May God give strenght, comfort, and peace to your heart and soul and may he keep your loved one close as he carries him with the angels straight to heaven. Hold the beautiful memories .*

Love & prayers, Carrie Brown

Carrie Brown - July 27, 2023 at 03:50 PM

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“ We will dearly miss Ruben, he was a friendly and welcoming person. Very hospitable and always contributing to the Church's efforts by providing bird houses for our rummage sales and building the very Donation boxes for our St. Vincent De Paul food pantry. We enjoyed the times we visited him and Lucinda for dinner at their home and at times to dinner at a local restaurant. He always greeted parishioners at Sunday mass and was always polite and kind. Thank you Ruben for your service and Love. May the Lord receive you with open arms.
Amen,
YBIC,
Mark A. Sanchez

Mark A. Sanchez (KOC) - July 26, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ruben G. Orosco.



July 25, 2023 at 11:03 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ruben G. Orosco.



July 25, 2023 at 09:28 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ruben G. Orosco.*



July 25, 2023 at 09:15 PM



“ *My uncle was such a sweet man! He always had a smile and a kind word for everyone. I will forever cherish the crosses that he gave me that I have hanging in my home and my birdhouses. He was so talented. RIP, I will miss you.*

Sherry Lynn Torres

Sherry Torres - July 25, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *Condolences to the Orozco family, may the Lord comfort them in their time of need. I knew the family growing up, while they visited Lucindas family in Nixon. We were neighbors.*

Garza family (nixon) - July 22, 2023 at 09:40 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Michelle Trigo - July 20, 2023 at 07:02 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ruben G. Orosco.

July 18, 2023 at 04:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Ruben G. Orosco.



July 18, 2023 at 04:32 PM



“ *My brother in law was such a nice and loving man, He always had a kind word for everyone and welcomed you with open arms. He enjoyed giving all of us his handmade crosses and birdhouses. He will be greatly missed but will always be in our hearts. Rita Trigo Moxley*

RITA MOXLEY - July 14, 2023 at 02:47 PM

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“Daddy I miss you so very much. For some reason it never dawned on me that you would be gone before mom. You were my right hand man! She is so confused. I know that you are with us, because my faith tells me so. I know that you are not suffering and in glory with your brothers and your mother & Memo. I rejoice for you and them. What a beautiful reunion it must have been. I am so proud to be your daughter. You were not a perfect man, but you were pretty darn close. I loved watching you be your social self. It is what made you a great bus driver. You loved your job and it showed. I believe that the part of me that makes me a great usher is the that special part of you that I share. I will never stop talking to you , saying your name or telling stories about you until we are together again daddy. I am not doing my best right now and it makes me sad. I want you to always be proud of your family. I promise to dig deeper and try harder everyday until I see you again. I will keep your work shop open. When the time is right I would love to finish the projects that you did not get to complete. Just being in the garage surrounded by your wood and power tools comforts me. It will forever more be my happy place. Where I can feel you beside me. God willing my heart will hear you and I will know that I am still a part of you. Save us a place next to you daddy. We don't need you to build us a castle in the sky. A simple home with you and mom close by my side is all I need. Whatever you do for us will more than suffice. Because if you did it for us I know it will be a castle! I will always be your princess daddy. I can't help myself you know that about me! May you live in light and love until we meet again daddy❤️✨🥺💕

Cynthia Montalbo - July 12, 2023 at 08:10 PM