



Steven James Rodriguez

January 26, 1983 - May 4, 2020

Steven J. Rodriguez, age 37, beloved son, brother and father. Born January 26, 1983, in San Antonio, Texas was called to his eternal resting home in Heaven on May 4th in Bellaire, OH. Steven was a graduate of Southside High School, in San Antonio, Texas. Steve proudly served in the U.S. Marine Corp for nine years stationed in Afghanistan and Iraq.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Ermilo Garza; his three loving dogs, Angel, Sissy and Raja. Survivors include his loving mother, Bertha Garza Moreno (Mario) and his father, Ruben Rodriguez (Elvira), both of San Antonio, TX; a son, Sebastian Rodriguez, girlfriend, Harley Moffo both of Steubenville, OH; two sisters, Stefanie Saenz (Gabriel) and Tracy Rodriguez both of San Antonio, Texas; his maternal grandmother, Louisa Garza, paternal grandmother, Elia Rodriguez; and his best friend, U.S. Marine Corp Veteran, Dinero Ciardelli of Bellaire, OH and numerous aunts, uncles, nephews, cousins and friends.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 22, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow at San Jose Burial Park.

Cemetery Details

San Jose Burial Park

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

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY 22. 1:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

CC

“ Thoughts and prayers are with the Rodriguez family



Corina Casarez - May 26, 2020 at 08:26 PM

JU

“ Steven, where to begin. I miss you more than words. Thank you for the fun and crazy memories back in high school. You and Tj were always getting into some kind of trouble lol. Thank you for the good times. You will forever be missed and have a special place in my heart. Until we meet again my dear friend.



Jessica Uribe - May 25, 2020 at 12:43 PM

DO

“ Steven,
It's been a day when we said our final goodbyes to you. But I believe you are with us in spirit. As the preparations were made to take you to your resting place out of nowhere a white dog appears, keeps looking at the vehicle where you were at turning its head sideways, looks to where the people were around turns back to where you were then disappears! So with that I do believe you are at peace and would like for us to do the same.
Love- Aunt Dora

Dora - May 23, 2020 at 04:34 PM

MS

“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels South lit a candle in memory of Steven James Rodriguez*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels South - May 23, 2020 at 04:29 PM

TR

“ *My big brother you will always have a piece of my heart I love and miss you so much there are no words till we meet again give the girls a hug from me*



Tracy - May 23, 2020 at 11:44 AM

AC

“ *Brother I've got so much to say and don't know how to put it. You will be dearly missed. Unfortunately I missed the opportunity to tell you I love you bro. We've been through so much together good times and bad. We made it through some of the toughest times together. No matter what the situation was, you always brought out the good in things. To the family of Rodriguez. Rod is a great Marine, one of the best friends I ever had. He was very much loved by every Marine he served with. My deepest condolences to you all. Rod, guard heavens gates well brother, "Boiz".*

Anthony Cruz - May 23, 2020 at 04:12 AM

RR

“ Steven I will miss u very very much I will always keep u in heart Love u ur father
Ruben Rodriguez



Ruben Rodriguez - May 22, 2020 at 11:40 PM

SS

“ Stefanie Saenz lit a candle in memory of
Steven James Rodriguez



Stefanie Saenz - May 22, 2020 at 10:40 PM

SS

“ Brother, my little brother you will forever be in my heart
Distance will have no measure for the love and memories we have
of one another
Our times together and long talks will be engraved in my heart
Your memory will live on and your son will always be reminded of
how much love you have for him
Over the rainbow and beyond with your girls
I love you

Stefanie Saenz - May 22, 2020 at 10:37 PM

JH

“ Thank you so much for giving me the pleasure of serving with you.
You had such a good heart, and you always made us laugh. You will
be missed by so many

Josh Hathaway - May 22, 2020 at 08:32 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Steven James Rodriguez.*



May 22, 2020 at 08:27 PM



“ *Words are not enough to ease the sadness of losing someone you love. However, our thoughts and prayers for comfort are with the family during this difficult time. May you find comfort knowing how much others care.*

*With our deepest sympathy,
The DeWitt Family*

Carolyn DeWitt - May 22, 2020 at 07:20 PM



“ *So many memories. You would have done anything to help someone in need. I always admired how much you loved your girls and I always knew you'd be an awesome father. My thoughts and prayers are with your family, friends, gf, and son. Rip ol chap*

Darcy - May 22, 2020 at 05:31 PM

JV

“ He was a good friend and a funny person to be around, I remember picking him up at the hospital in 2004, he had a minor surgery and he was on some meds and he was hitting on all the nurses saying some crazy stuff, I served with him in Fallujah, he was very proud of being a Marine and serving his country, we even had a car club called hypnotic and I remember driving all through out Southern CA with 5-6 cars each with one driver, we probably should have car pooled, he will be missed. Semper Fi Brother.

jacob vedder - May 22, 2020 at 10:39 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Steven James Rodriguez.



May 22, 2020 at 04:43 AM

HM

“ I would do anything for you to be here with us. You might be gone, but you will never be forgotten! I promise for as long as I live, my goal in life will be to make sure your son knows how much you loved him! 💔😭💙 Forever, our angel. We love you babe! I hope you are running around on the beach somewhere with the girls!

Harley Moffo - May 21, 2020 at 06:41 PM

JB

This breaks my heart. I am sorry he is gone. A dam awesome Marine

Jon bailey - May 22, 2020 at 10:30 AM

AH

“ *The loss of such a young life is so heartbreaking and devastating. Steven will live forever in the hearts and memories of all who love him.*

May our Lord's loving arms embrace you in this time of sorrow. My deepest condolences to my aunt Louisa, Steven's parents, especially Bertha, my cousins and their extended family.

*Love ya'll,
Lita*

Adelita Huron - May 21, 2020 at 05:53 PM

NR

“ *May you rest in peace. Thank you for serving your country. Thank you for being you. It saddens me to know the world has lost you.*



Nicole Ramos - May 21, 2020 at 03:50 PM

CL

“ *Christina Lopez purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Steven James Rodriguez.*



Christina Lopez - May 21, 2020 at 03:09 PM

DO

“ *Dora lit a candle in memory of Steven James Rodriguez*



Dora - May 21, 2020 at 02:18 PM

RG

“ *I remember you as a young carefree and energetic member of the AJROTC at Southside High School. I was privileged to be one of your instructors. Thank you for your service to this great nation as a Marine. Praying that God was be with your family during these hours of extreme need. Rest in Peace brother....Until Valhalla!*

Roy Gissendanner - May 21, 2020 at 01:09 PM

GM

“ *My sincere condolences and prayers for his family.*

Gloria McMichael - May 21, 2020 at 01:17 AM

YR

“ *May he Rest In Peace and our condolences to his family....He was a great kid in high school so funny & outgoing. I will remember him by all our JROTC activities 🇺🇸*

yolanda ramirez-diaz - May 20, 2020 at 11:05 PM

MM

“ *My sincere condolences to Steven's Family. May he rest in God's Paradise. Thank you for your service. May he Rest in Peace.*

Maria A Mendez - May 20, 2020 at 10:09 PM

MI

“ *My sincere condolences to the family Steven was a leader and may he Rest In Peace with the lord .*



michael - May 20, 2020 at 09:42 PM

RG

Our Deepest Condolences Thank You For Your Service Rest In Peace From Gallardo Family 🇺🇸🇺🇸🇺🇸

Rose Mary Gallardo - May 21, 2020 at 12:49 AM

PD

“ *So sorry for your loss cousin Bertha may the Lord give you peace in the coming months. Thank you to your son for his military service.*
Pearl DeLaPena

Pearl DeLaPena - May 20, 2020 at 09:33 PM

TE

“ *Tia Anna, Jennifer & Erica purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Steven James Rodriguez.*



Tia Anna, Jennifer & Erica - May 20, 2020 at 08:36 PM