



Jose Raul Torres

February 7, 2021

Jose Raul Torres, 67, loving husband and father, entered eternal rest with our Lord on February 7, 2021. He is preceded in death by his parents Antonio and Ramona Torres of Kingsville, TX. Raul is survived by his wife, Maggie Torres, and his only son, Benjamin Torres. He leaves behind three brothers, Tony Torres (Lupita Torres) of Garland, TX; Tom Torres of Corpus Christi, TX; and Joe Torres (Terri Torres) of Midland, TX; He is also survived by four sisters, Rose Phillips (Wilbur Phillips) of San Antonio, TX; Connie Weir (George Weir) of McKinney, TX; Anna Velazquez (John Velazquez) of Denver, CO; and Margie Perez (Ysidoro Perez) of Edinburg, TX.

Raul had a passion for music that stemmed from his childhood that led to one of his first jobs as a DJ working at KINE radio station. He worked at Tennessee Gas Pipeline for nearly two decades as a communications technician. He then taught Computer Literacy at Brown Middle School in McAllen, TX for 15 years.

As a child he first served the Lord as an altar boy at St. Martin's Catholic Church in Kingsville, TX and continued serving in his adult years in the Knights of Columbus. He shared his Catholic devotion with his wife of 40 years at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church and loved being a father to his only son.

Raul's celebration of life will be held on Thursday, February 11th, 2021 at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church. Visitation will begin at 9:00am, followed by a rosary at 9:30am, and a Mass at 10:30am. Burial service will be a private

family celebration. For those unable to attend in person, the rosary and Mass will be live streamed at <https://youtu.be/XKTY9vHCv2A>. Flowers or donations may be sent to Kreidler Funeral Home at 314 N. 10th St. McAllen, TX 78501.

The family requests that there will be no reception line and that everyone adheres to the CDC rules of social distancing and mask wearing.

The Torres Family would like to express their sincere gratitude to MedTeam Hospice and most especially to Sadie Gallegos, Laura Garza, and Patricia for all of their incredible support in our time of need. Our family truly cannot thank you enough for all that you did for our husband, father, and brother.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Cemetery

1201 S Main
McAllen, TX 78501

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church

Rosary

FEB 11. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church

Funeral Service

FEB 11. 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church

Tribute Wall



“ *Jose Raul Torres*

October 08, 2023 at 09:43 PM



“ *Jose Raul Torres*

November 29, 2022 at 06:40 AM



“ *Growing up and living next door to Raul and all the Torres family we share so many memories. I remember when Raul got his job as a DJ, his little sister Margie was so happy and proud of him she came over to tell me. Then when he got his first car again little sister Margie came over to tell me so I could go see it! I remember his dad walking around the car and inspecting it, as Margie and I waited wanting him to take us for a ride! So many great memories to mention. Great memories of him will live in my heart forever.*

Cindy Avelar Arevalo

Cindy Avelar Arevalo - March 24, 2021 at 12:02 AM



“ *Raul and his brother Joe were my inspiration to being an altar boy at st. Martin.*



Michael Avelar - February 09, 2021 at 04:54 PM

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“ Accept my most sincere and heartfelt sympathy. Words are hard to find for the expression of this most sad event. Please know that I see all of you in my hearts mind and hold you with loving care. God's loving peace find you all and hold you steadfast.
Love, Jane

Mary Jane Cantu - February 09, 2021 at 04:13 PM