



Manuel Hernandez Sr.

January 27, 2026

Manuel Hernandez Sr., 86, passed away peacefully on January 27th 2026, and has been reunited in heaven with the love of his life, his beloved wife.

Manuel “Manny” proudly served in the National Guard for three years. After his service, he married the love of his life Lydia, and together they owned and operated the well-known City Furniture, a business that became a staple in the community for over 30 years. He was a prominent member of several local organizations for many years, most notably the McAllen Chamber of Commerce, where he was deeply involved and respected.

He was preceded in death by his parents J.G. & Maria Hernandez, siblings Rudy Hernandez, Daniel Hernandez, and his loving wife Lydia Crum Hernandez.

Manny is survived by his children Gina (Carter) Biel, Manny (Monica) Hernandez Jr. and Charlie (Deniece) Hernandez; his grandchildren Ashlynn (Chris) Elliff, Anthony Rivera, Alex Hernandez; his great-grandchildren Charley May, Foster & Kenley; his siblings Minnie Villarreal, Eloy Hernandez and Oralia Edgel and countless nieces and nephews who will cherish his memory.

The family extends their heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Roman Taravez and his

medical staff for their many years of care and the compassionate staff at Valley View Senior Living & Memory Care and Amedysis Hospice for their care and support over the last few years.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, February 3, 2026, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Kreidler Funeral Home.

Funeral services will take place on Wednesday, February 4, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. at Kreidler Funeral Home.

A private family burial will follow the service. All funeral arrangements are handled through Kreidler Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kreidler Funeral Home, Inc.
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Funeral Service

FEB 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MK

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Psalm: 128 paints a picture of the flourishing life under God's blessing, and at the heart of that picture is the family....

.... And a beautiful family they have raised.

Suffice it to say... not only were we blessed with their beautiful son Charlie, but with marriage also came his loving brother, sister and nephew.

Charlie's presence in our lives has shown what an excellent job his parents did and completed. Much that he has taken their teachings and passed them on to my grandson (Anthony) and will continue to his grand-daughters Charley and Kenley. I'm blessed beyond measure to say, his caring and loving ways (just as his parents) never faltered....

Therefore... Here...With heartfelt words, I honor his father and mother for rearing such a beautiful child, young man, husband and father.

My heart is heavy but is also filled with joy to have known them.

May God bring their family peace and comfort during this difficult time... and may they find comfort knowing their parents will be by their side; just as the Lord... Forevermore.

Strong hugs and bold prayers. May your parents rest in eternal and perpetual peace. God bless you.

MaryAnn Karner - February 04 at 02:03 PM

GT

“ Dear Gina, Manny, & Charlie,
Please accept my deepest sympathy on the passing of your beloved Dad. A fond memory I have of him is when he came to the Dallas furniture market and let me attend with him as a buyer. We had just bought a new house up here in Dallas and we needed furniture. What an exciting time we had.
Another adventure was when I was still living at home, Daddy & Mama bought a house on Harvey in McAllen after living in the house in Pharr for 30 years. I insisted that we needed new furniture. So, we went to City Furniture where your Dad rolled out the red carpet! He was quite fond of Mama & Daddy—his Tio Raul and Tia Lorenza. We bought formal dining room, living room, & bedroom furniture. Because he was so grateful for such a large CASH purchase, he waived the delivery charge. It was a terrific day for all of us!
May his soul rest in heaven for eternity.
Love,
Gina

Gina Galvagni, Dallas, Tx - January 30 at 10:36 PM

EH

“ My condolences for the family 🙏 my family Hernandez

Esthela Hernandez - January 30 at 01:03 PM

RC

Our prayers and love are with you all during this difficult time from your loss. We love you all .

Rick and Veronica Crum - January 30 at 05:42 PM

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MaryAnn Karner - February 04 at 11:55 AM