

Joe Rodriguez Sr.

April 15, 1938 - July 27, 2021

Services for Mr. Joe Rodriguez, Sr., age 83 of Lindale, Texas, are scheduled for 2:00 PM Friday, July 30, 2021 at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Lindale with Father Carlos Piedrahita officiating. A rosary is scheduled for 6:00 PM to 6:30 PM Thursday, July 29, 2021 at the Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home in Lindale. The family will receive friends following the rosary from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM at the Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home. Interment will be at the Lindale City Cemetery.

Joe passed away the morning of Tuesday, July 27, 2021 in Tyler surrounded by his family. He was born in Rivera, Texas on April 15, 1938, to the late Cenovio C. Rodriguez, Sr. and Herminia (Pachecho) Rodriguez. Joe served in the National Guard and was formerly of Rivera, Vanderbilt, Palestine, and Grapeland, Texas before moving to Lindale, Texas in 1968. He was a jack of all trades working as a policeman for Palestine, a TV and appliance repairman, an electrician for Tyler Pipe, and ran several of the Terry's restaurants. He was a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church in Lindale and was a 4th degree member of the Knights of Columbus since 1958. Joe enjoyed the horse races, watching his nightly Telenovelas "soap ops" as he called them, watching the Dallas Cowboys, and cheering on his Lindale Eagles. Above all else his favorite thing was his family and spending time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Joe was preceded in death by his parents, wife of 64 years, Estella Rodriguez, brother, Rudolfo Rodriguez, son, Jesse Rodriguez, daughter, Nina

Bryan, and great grandson, Hudson Hutchins.

He is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Beatrice and Matthew Geissal of Tyler, Texas; son and daughter-in-law, Joe and Kathy Rodriguez of Lindale, Texas; daughter and son-in-law, Bertie Malone and Joe Kidd of Lindale, Texas; son-in-law, David Bryan of Lindale, Texas; daughter-in-law, Barbara Rodriguez of Lindale, Texas; brothers, Wences Rodriguez of Lindale, Texas; Cenevio Rodriguez, Jr. of Palestine, Texas; sister, Mary Jane Hill of San Antonio, Texas; grandchildren, Michelle Bradley and husband Adam, Walter Malone, Jr., and wife Sarah, Lankston Malone, Michael Rodriguez, Nicole Hutchins and husband Wes, Samuel G. Hitt, Estella Adair and husband Joshua, Joseph Rodriguez and Chelsea Adams, Matt Rodriguez, Benjamin J. Hitt, Katie Rodriguez, and 13 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

The honorary pallbearers are Alex Rodriguez and Samuel Hitt.

Serving as pallbearers will be grandsons, Benjamin Hitt, Walter Malone, Jr., Lankston Malone, Joseph Rodriguez, Michael Rodriguez and Matt Rodriguez.

Cemetery Details

Lindale City Cemetery

702 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

Holy Family Catholic Church
16292 FM 849
Lindale, TX 75771

Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - July 28, 2021 at 10:48 PM



I loved looking at the photos of Joe and his family! He loved his family and extended family so much! John and I are sending love and hugs to everyone! We're keeping you in our prayers.

Susan John Haynes - July 29, 2021 at 04:31 PM



“ *Joe Rodriguez Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Joe Rodriguez Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM

TN

“ *Tanja Clinton Nunn lit a candle in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.*



Tanja Clinton Nunn - July 31, 2021 at 09:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..*



July 29, 2021 at 10:48 PM



“ *1 file added to the album LifeTributes*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - July 29, 2021 at 05:10 PM

KD

“ *Karen Damon lit a candle in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.*



Karen Damon - July 29, 2021 at 02:01 PM



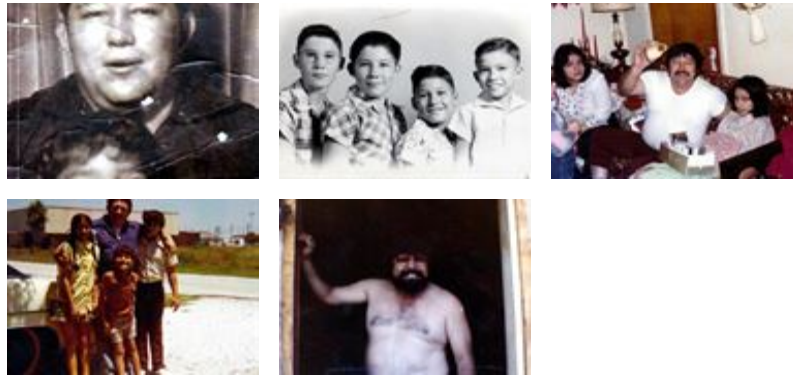
“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..*



July 29, 2021 at 12:13 PM



“ *53 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - July 28, 2021 at 10:36 PM



“ *Joe Rodriguez was someone I could always depend on if I ever needed him. I spent a lot of time with him and Stella when I was little. He has been my Uncle for over 60 years. I even lived with him and Stella for awhile. I always made spaghetti and meatballs on Sunday for him and Stella. I will always remember our time together and the fun that we had. Uncle Joe and Aunt Stella will forever be in my heart and thoughts. All of my cousins will always be my only family. GOD BLESS all of them.*



Pam Sides - July 28, 2021 at 08:59 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..*



July 28, 2021 at 08:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..*



July 28, 2021 at 07:02 PM



“ *Prayers for entire family for your loss. Worked with Joe many years ago at Tyler Pipe was always a great guy to be around.*

John Crow - July 28, 2021 at 05:39 PM



“ *John Crow lit a candle in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.*



John Crow - July 28, 2021 at 05:35 PM

JB

“ JD And Debbie Barnett lit a candle in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.



JD and Debbie Barnett - July 28, 2021 at 05:15 PM

MZ

“ MICHAEL ,CHARLOTTE AND BROCK ZAPALAC purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..



MICHAEL ,CHARLOTTE AND BROCK ZAPALAC - July 28, 2021 at 04:07 PM

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“ LINDALE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 12711 purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..



LINDALE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 12711 - July 28, 2021 at 04:01 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joe Rodriguez Sr..



July 28, 2021 at 02:48 PM

RT

“ In July of 2005, we came to our first Mass at Holy Family, Joe welcomed us and recognized we were new to the church He engaged us so warmly and that helped us to decide to move here. He made sure also that they would make the transfer papers to join the Holy Family Knights of Columbus . He has remained a true friend for the 16 years we have been here. I'm sure he is in heaven making new friends. We will miss you, Joe!
Rick and Linda Thelen

Rick and Linda Thelen - July 28, 2021 at 12:49 PM

DM

“ Joe and the Rodriguez family have been in my life as long as I can remember. Being a neighbor to them has been an honor. When I was young, Joe use to offer me rides to school when he would see me walking. I never accepted because I wasn't supposed to get in the car with anyone but he would stop and offer every time. When I was old enough to go to school and work I started working for he and Estella at Terry's restaurant where I learned my work ethic from Estella and how to have fun at work from Joe. The later years were full of fond memories as Estella never missed one of my garage sales and Joe's smile and conversations and stories never got old. He has a legacy left here on earth to be very proud of. Hard work, love of family and friends and simply, just a beautiful person. You will be greatly missed on this earth but oh how I know there was a party in heaven. With much love and gratitude. Donna Delahay Wieneke Mangrum.



Donna Mangrum - July 28, 2021 at 08:33 AM

BY

“ *Brenda Yancy lit a candle in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.*



Brenda Yancy - July 28, 2021 at 07:49 AM

CW

“ *Precious Family,
We are remembering you in prayer during these days and months to come. Thank you for sharing this sweet man with so many in our town. Thank you for allowing us to love him and Mamaw as our own. We pray you feel the Lord as your comforter, peace giver and supplier of all that you need each day. Big heart hugs to you all.*

*We love you dearly,
Duane & Cyndi Walton*

Cyndi Walton - July 27, 2021 at 10:18 PM

GS

“ *Gloria Smith lit a candle in memory of Joe Rodriguez Sr.*



Gloria Smith - July 27, 2021 at 04:30 PM

JM

“ *Years ago at Holy Family Church during Communion on a week day I heard My Lord My God. I turned around to see who said it . It was Joe. Rest In Peace. Comfort and prayers for family 🙏❤️*

Joan Mullen - July 27, 2021 at 03:47 PM

LK

“ *Prayers, hugs and lots of love for all but especially Nicole!!!*



Lisa Kennedy - July 27, 2021 at 03:18 PM