



## Rudy Cornelio Carrasco

April 6, 1970 - February 26, 2020

Rudy Cornelio Carrasco, passed away on February 26th 2020, at the age of 49 years. A native of Woodlake CA, Rudy started his pursuit of higher education at the College of Sequoias, where he met his wife Trisha. Rudy then went on to continue his education at the University of Nevada- Las Vegas. There he worked in athletic training and studied sports medicine. Rudy then decided to pursue a master's degree at the University of Oklahoma, where he received a degree in Human Relations. All that knew Rudy knew that he loved his "Sooners".

In 1996, he began his career teaching young students at Stone Corral Elementary. In 1997, Rudy made the move to Tulare Western High School, part of TJUHSD, where he became an Athletic Director and high school teacher. In 2006, Rudy begun serving students as an Administrative Dean. While his role on campus may have changed, he was always an advocate for athletics and loved cheering on his Mustangs.

When Rudy was not serving students of the community of Tulare, he filled his time with many different activities. Everyone that knew him, knew he loved the sport of softball mostly due to his daughter Kelcey, whom he loved supporting and cheering on from behind home plate. Rudy spent time coaching the sport and helping mentor young players to help them reach the college level of play, like his daughter. Rudy also spent many hours working on his ranch and sharing the bounty of his land including pomegranates, persimmons, figs, boysen berries, lemons, peppers, and so much more. His latest fascination on the ranch was curing olives, which he dispersed all winter long. Lord knows we will all miss seeing him working on his land.

He is survived by his wife Trisha, children, Kaitlyn, Kelcey and Connor; Mother Ramona; siblings Cynthia and Nickoles; mother and father in-law MaryJane and Allen, brothers and sisters in-law Phillip, Darrel, Frank, Michael, Marla, Janna and Ashley; nieces and nephews Christian, Madison, Elijah, Hannah, Derek, Noah, Linnea, and Aubrie; many cousins and so many more friends. He is proceeded in death by his Father Cornelio and niece Baby Nickole.

Services for Rudy will begin with a Rosary service Wednesday March 4th at Saint Mary's Catholic Church, Visalia, CA at 6pm. Funeral Services will be held Thursday March 5th at Saint Mary's Catholic Church, Visalia, CA at 9am. Burial services to follow at Woodlake

Cemetery in Woodlake, CA and Celebration of Life to follow Burial located at Cottonwood Barn 19909 Ave. 376 Woodlake, CA. Condolences can be made to [www.salseranddillard.com](http://www.salseranddillard.com)

# Events

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**MAR** **Rosary** 06:00PM - 07:00PM

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St. Mary's Catholic Church

608 N. Church Street, Visalia, CA, US, 93291

**MAR** **Mass of Christian Burial** 09:00AM - 10:00AM

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**MAR** **Graveside** 11:00AM - 11:30AM

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Woodlake Public Cemetery

165 N. Cypress St., Woodlake, CA, US, 93286

# Comments

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“ Sweet Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Rudy Cornelio Carrasco.



March 03 at 11:35 PM

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“ Rudy - who will toil the soil and clear the weeds; who will plant and harvest the fruits and vegetables; who will ride the golf cart to your mom's house; who will put up the holiday lights of many colors on the tree outside. Done is your labor. The Lord will assign a lot to you in Heaven because farming is a joy to you. Trish - my walks with the pets took me to the front of your house where I enjoyed the amazing workmanship of dressing the porch. You are gifted. Kaitlyn, Kelsey, Connor - your dad was an honorable man. We would have spontaneous chats and he would uplift each of you; he was a family man! Thank you all for being good neighbors! Love You.  
– Liz (and Jesse)

**Elizabeth Rivas** - March 03 at 03:42 PM

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“ Lindsay Unified Preschool Department purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Rudy Cornelio Carrasco.



**Lindsay Unified Preschool Department** - March 02 at 03:16 PM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rudy Cornelio Carrasco.



March 02 at 01:45 PM

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“ Rudy had the heart of a Giant. Always positive and uplifting, he was Mr. Mustang to me. Everybody says we are family, and we are, but Rudy embodied those words and philosophy more than anybody. Heaven is even better now, and we must do our part to follow Rudy's example and make this a better place. May God comfort, uplift, and uphold the Carrasco Family. Earl and Debbie Pagan

Earl Pagan - March 01 at 08:29 PM

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“ Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Rudy Cornelio Carrasco.



February 29 at 07:58 PM

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“ 2019 summer I took Kiaha to swim by Tim Diaz house. Rudy and Connor were there enjoying a day together. I sat and enjoyed Rudy's company and the cousins enjoyed time together. My heart breaks for this wonderful family.

Suzi Rivas - February 28 at 08:27 PM