



Alvaro Arias

February 19, 1942 - March 1, 2025

Our beloved father and grandfather, Alvaro Arias Barajas, passed away on March 1, 2025, due to a terminal illness.

He was the pillar of our home and our family. He had and raised four children with his wife (our mother) of 54 years. As grandfather to his 7 grandchildren, he was the "nice grandpa" who would buy ice cream bars for each and every one of them from the mobile ice cream truck/van. His grandchildren loved the fact that grandpa loved pizza, therefore, he would enjoy having pizza together with his grandchildren.

He dedicated his life to his family. Consequently, he was known as a hard-working man. Subsequently, his wise, gentle and level-headed demeanor did not go unnoticed, yet, he fought til the end with the unwavering courage of a true soldier.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Rebecca Gonzalez de Arias; son, Juan Francisco; his parents, Jesus Arias and Maria del Refugio Barajas; his brother Salvador and sisters Juanita and Jovita. He is survived by his children, Rebecca, Alvaro Jr. (Maria); Carolina (Javier) and his grandsons, Alvaro Arias III (Angeles); Cristian M. (Shantay); Edsaul; Frankie and David; and granddaughters, Oneisma (Matthew); and Natalie; and great-grandsons, Kyle and Seth; and great-granddaughter, Anastasia; brothers, Jesus and Lorenzo.

He will be remembered for his quiet, gentle and practical/level-headed demeanor regardless of what life placed along his path.

Viewing will be held 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM Wednesday, March 26th, 2025 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia. Rosary will follow at 6:00 PM. Mass of Christian Burial services will be held 10:30 AM Thursday, March 27th, 2025 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 608 N. Church Street, Visalia. Graveside services will be held 12:00 PM Thursday, March 27th, 2025 at Visalia District Cemetery, 1300 W Goshen Ave, Visalia.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 26. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Rosary

MAR 26. 6:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
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Visalia, CA 93277

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 27. 10:30 AM (PT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
608 N. Church Street
Visalia, CA 93291

Graveside

MAR 27. 12:00 PM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Alvaro Arias*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - March 26, 2025 at 10:40 AM



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Alvaro Arias*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - March 25, 2025 at 06:31 PM