



## Anthony John Martinez

December 23, 1999 - September 10, 2014

### Obituary For Anthony Martinez

Anthony John Martinez went to be with the Lord on September 10, 2014 at the age of 14. Anthony was born to Albert and April Martinez in Hanford, CA on December 23, 1999. Anthony lived his entire life in Hanford and attended Pioneer Middle School.

At the age of eleven Anthony was diagnosed with cancer, but cancer did not win. His sickness never robbed him of his contagious smile, his love of life and sports. It certainly did not stop him from rough housing with his brothers. Anthony inspired everybody around him to enjoy the moment, to live life to the fullest and to love those who love you. Anthony was extremely strong and that strength showed in all he did. His bonds with family, his will to live and his desire to love.

Anthony attended Mt. Zion Apostolic Church in Goshen and was actively involved in the youth group. He loved God and was a great instrument of faith and loved to worship the Lord and tell others how good God had been to him. Anthony is survived by his loving parents, Albert and April, his brothers, Albert Martinez III, Daniel Martinez and his wife Alexis, Isaac and Thomas Martinez, his sisters Rachel, Larissa and Elle (chicken) Martinez and Grandfather Mike O'Brien all of Hanford, CA. Many loving friends and family members also survive Anthony.

The family would also like to thank the good and caring people of Valley Children's Hospital, the PICU unit and the Oncology department. Also special thanks to the church family of Mt. Zion Apostolic Church for all of your prayers and consideration.

In lieu of flowers the family has asked that donations on behalf of Anthony's funeral expenses would be made to Mt. Zion Apostolic Church, PO Box 6099 Visalia, CA.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Tuesday, September 16, 2014 at Mt. Zion Apostolic Church 7210 Ave. 308 in Goshen. From 10:00am until 11:00am will be a time of viewing followed by service at 11:00am. A Graveside service will follow at Hanford District Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Hanford District Cemetery

10500 S 10th Ave  
Hanford, CA 93230

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP **16**. 11:00 AM (PT)

Mt. Zion Apostolic Church - Goshen  
7210 Ave. 308  
Goshen, CA 93291