



Fred Silva

March 2, 1951 - February 6, 2023

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our beloved father, Fred Silva, of Exeter, CA, who died on February 6th, 2023, at the age of 71. Fred was born on March 2, 1951, in the town of Tala, Jalisco, Mexico, to Jose and Lorenza Silva. He was the oldest of nine children. At the age of 17, he made the journey to the United States, where he met his beautiful wife, Juanita. They were married on January 24th, 1972, and had three children: Sylvia, Jose, Fernando.

Fred was a dedicated employee of Matt Hutcheson Farms in Exeter for over 20 years. He enjoyed watching his favorite sports teams, the Los Angeles Dodgers and Dallas Cowboys, visiting the casino, and he loved music. He played guitar and sang with family and friends and was part of different musical groups throughout his life. Prior to his illness, he sang and played guitar with a local church group.

Fred was preceded in death by his parents, Jose and Lorenza, his sister Maria, and his brothers Herman, Antonio, and Alfredo. He is survived by his loving wife, Juanita, his four children, Sylvia, Jose, Fernando, and Leticia, his grandchildren Sirena, Angel, Noah, Alyssa, Maddox, Azul, Landon, Joel, Christopher, and Matthew, his daughters-in-law, Cristina and Sandra, his brothers Gildardo and Enrique, and his sisters Socorro and San Juana.

A viewing for family and friends will be held at Salser and Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E Caldwell Ave, Visalia, CA 93277, on Tuesday, February 21st, from 4:00pm to 6:00pm, with the Rosary immediately following. The funeral

service will be held at Salser and Dillard on Wednesday, February 22nd, at 9:00am. Graveside services will be held at Exeter District Cemetery, 719 E Marinette, Exeter, CA 93221, at 10:00am.

We will deeply miss our father, who will always be remembered as a kind and loving husband, father, grandfather, and friend to many.

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

FEB 21. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

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

Rosary

FEB 21. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

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Funeral

FEB 22. 9:00 AM (PT)

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Graveside

FEB 22. 10:00 AM (PT)

Exeter District Cemetery
719 E. Marinette Ave.
Exeter, CA 93221

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Fred Silva* ”



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - February 17, 2023 at 02:02 PM