



Gabriel Reynoso, Sr.

February 13, 1944 - December 29, 2021

Gabriel Reynoso, beloved husband, father, and grandpa joined his mom, dad, and step-dad in heaven on December 29, 2021 after a brief battle with respiratory illness. Gabriel was born on February 13, 1944 to Pete and Phyllis Reynoso of Visalia. He was the second son out of 6 children. He married the love of his life Francine on her 17th birthday and together they raised a family in Visalia. After he obtained his contractor license he built a general contracting business. As a little boy, he loved taking things apart to see what made them tick. Many have been blessed with homes built by Gabriel's hands. His children and grandchildren have good memories of watching him build and learning from him. He loved digging trenches with his tractors, and it was a rite of passage for his children and grandchildren to ride on them. They will always treasure their time spent with Grandpa on his beloved tractors.

Gabriel is survived by his son Gabriel (Van) Do-Reynoso, and granddaughters Rebecca (Seth) De Los Santos, Bethany (Cesar) Jaramillo, and Sarah; son Eric (Stefanie) Reynoso, and grandchildren Rory McCracken and Michelle McCracken and her 4 children; daughter Lisa Zapata and grandson Zachary, with Lisa's husband Robert and daughter Veronica preceding in heaven; and son Jonathan (Vivianne) Reynoso and grandchild Jeremy. Gabriel is also survived by his two brothers Pete and Manuel, and his three sisters Dolores, Clorinda, and Christina, and many nieces and nephews.

Gabriel was a firm believer in God, and was often seen wearing his "I love Jesus" hat or t-shirt. He practiced his faith by being kind to people around him and attending mass faithfully. He was generous and loved everyone. He was always ready to give his time and money to those in need, no matter the circumstance. He was a doting grandpa who took his grandchildren on bike rides, camping trips, adventures, snack runs, and most importantly church. Gabriel also loved and cared for animals. If he saw a stray unwanted dog, he would bring it home. He was also known to drive many a mouse out to the river to set them free. He used to go jogging along the same river bank in his younger days, and would jump into the water to cool down. He always said he could run circles around us.

Grandpa also was known to love his long naps, followed by his favorite comedies like Gomer Pyle and Andy Griffith. He had a great sense of humor about life.

Visitation will be held 4-6pm Thursday, January 27th, 2022 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia with the Rosary to be prayed at 6pm. Mass of Christian Burial will be Celebrated 9am Friday, January 28th, 2022 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 608 N. Church Street, Visalia; with burial to follow 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

Visitation

JAN 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

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

Rosary

JAN 27. 6:00 PM (PT)

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

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 28. 9:00 AM (PT)

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

Graveside

JAN 28. 10:30 AM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr.*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - January 21, 2022 at 09:00 PM



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr.*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - January 21, 2022 at 08:58 PM

JG

“ I am Ruben Gonzales Daughter JULIANA. Gabe was more than a friend to my dad he was his step dad, he would joke and say. He loved him as family and was important to him. He would tell me all the work they would do or hang out. The things gabe would advise him or talk to him about. Gabe played a big part of my dads life and he will be missed dearly. I had the pleasure to have met him multiple times and his wife once. They were a very sweet and warm couple. My condolences go out to the family , friends and community who this man and wife touched many lives like my dads. God bless you all and Cherish the beautiful memories they gave each and everyone of you. Love Juliana Gonzales

Juliana Gonzalez - January 28, 2022 at 11:20 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr..



January 25, 2022 at 06:30 PM

JC

“ Jason Carns purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr..



Jason Carns - January 23, 2022 at 05:45 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr..*



January 20, 2022 at 09:51 PM



“ *Michael, Joyce & family,,,, purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr..*



Michael, Joyce & family,,,, - January 19, 2022 at 02:18 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr..*



January 14, 2022 at 01:28 PM



“ *SBCO Executive Team & the Cottage Staff purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Gabriel Reynoso, Sr..*



SBCO Executive Team & the Cottage Staff - January 12, 2022 at 05:55 PM