



## Jerry Manuel Guevara

September 29, 1944 - May 21, 2016

Jerry Manuel Guevara, 71, of Visalia, passed away on May 21st, 2016 in Visalia, California.

Jerry was born in Los Angeles to Mag and Barbara Guevara on September 29th, 1944. He went to school at Vista High School. He married Bonnie on November 21st, 1982 in Fresno. He worked as a customer service representative for AT&T for 25 years. He was a Vietnam War veteran and served as a journalist in the Navy. He was involved as the State Commander for AMVETS in 2013 and continued to work with various veteran programs such as Valley Forge and Suicide Prevention. He received the 2014 Veteran of the Year award and numerous recognitions through California Legislature Assembly. In addition, he was recognized for his services by AMVETS Post 22 and 56.

Jerry was also involved in USAC, United States Auto Club, for 20 years. He was an official at turn four and loved the comradery of all the drivers. He met and worked with many young drivers who became well known.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Bonnie, four children, 11 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his sister, Sandra, her husband and two nephews.

A memorial service will be held at Salser and Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave, Visalia, CA on Friday, May 27, 2016 at 10:00 AM.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be given in his name to any of the three programs: Suicide Prevention, JROTC, or Valley Forge and be mailed to:

Team AMVETS California Charity Inc.

12345 Euclid St.

Garden Grove, CA, 92840

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 27. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel  
127 E. Caldwell Ave  
Visalia, CA 93277  
(559) 635-1144  
info@salseranddillard.com  
<https://www.salseranddillard.com>

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

RH

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Bonnie and Jerry's family. I had a great time working with Jerry during our USAC Western States years. I will miss him.*

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**Richard (Dick) Hindman** - May 26, 2016 at 02:47 PM

JB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Bonnie, Sandy, Ron and all the family. Jerry was a good man who served his country and continued to serve our veterans well.*

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**Jim Binniker** - May 25, 2016 at 05:00 PM

MA

“ *My condolences to all of Jerry's family, he was a bigger than life man. I worked at Pac Bell with him as a service rep. I will never forget his smile or his sneezes!! RIP Jerry.*

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**Mary Arreguin** - May 25, 2016 at 04:21 PM

LH

“ *Bonnie - I'm so sorry for your loss. I had no idea the last time I was at AMVETS that that would be the last time I'd see Jerry. He was always friendly and kind to me and I'm grateful for the association we had through AMVETS. The "BELIEVE" decoration he gave me for Christmas years ago will mean even more now. May you and your family be comforted at this time. Lynda Hammond*

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**Lynda Hammond** - May 24, 2016 at 10:49 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jerry Manuel Guevara.*



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May 24, 2016 at 11:46 AM