



## Joe Raymond Espinoza, Sr.

June 5, 1949 - March 16, 2024

Joe Espinoza, a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, passed away on March 16, 2024, at the age of 74. He leaves behind a legacy of love, kindness, and cherished memories that will be forever treasured by his family and all who knew him.

Born on June 5, 1949, in Santa Ana, CA. In 1989 his trucking career moved him and his family to Tulare, CA where he was known for his outstanding work ethic and compassionate spirit. Throughout his life, Joe touched the lives of many with his warmth, generosity, and his big bear hugs.

Joe is survived by his devoted wife Rebecca Espinoza, with whom he shared a lifetime of love and companionship. Together, in 54 years of marriage, they built a home and family filled with love, laughter, and cherished moments.

He is also survived by his six children, Regina (Isidro) Aguilera, Joe (Desiree) Espinoza, Kurt (Anna) Espinoza, Amy (Darcy) Johnson, Peter, and Stephanie (Dee), whose lives he enriched with his wisdom, guidance, and unconditional love. Joe's children will forever be grateful for the values he instilled in them and the memories they shared.

Joe was a proud grandfather to 17 grandchildren, each of whom held a special place in his heart. He took great joy in watching them grow and celebrating their milestones, always offering his support and encouragement.

along the way.

Joe leaves behind nine great-grandchildren, who brought immense joy and laughter into his life. He delighted in their innocence and cherished every moment spent with them.

In addition to his immediate family, Joe is survived by four siblings, Irma, Hope, Esther, and Ruben.

Joe will be remembered for his zest for life, his dedication to his family, and his willingness to lend a helping hand to those in need. His presence will be deeply missed, but his spirit will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

Though Joe may no longer be with us in body, his legacy of love and kindness will continue to inspire us all. May he rest in peace, knowing he was deeply loved and will never be forgotten.

A Celebration of Joe's life will be held 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday, March 23rd, 2024 at Vision Calvary Chapel, 20220 Rd 196, Lindsay.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto [www.salseranddillard.com](http://www.salseranddillard.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial

MAR **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

Vision Calvary Chapel  
20220 Rd 196  
Lindsay, CA 93247