



John - Martinez

May 2, 1958 - May 23, 2016

NAME: John Martinez

Born to Pefe and Ruth Martinez, on May 2, 1958. John attended Carrie Barnett, Webster, and Mineral King Elementary. John graduated from Redwood High School in 1977. John lettered in and ran cross country for The Central Area Champions.

John was in the Military serving in the Marine Corp, from 1977-1979.

John met and married the love of his life Rosalie Moreno in 1977. John and Rosalie started their family in 1979. Raising their three sons, and later adopting a daughter and another son.

John was retired from Early California Foods after working there twenty one years. Later he became an employee of Central Valley Roofing. John enjoyed spending time with his family barbecuing, watching sports, movies, listening to music, and taking long rides to Three Rivers, and to the coast to visit family.

John was a member of the S.D.A. church in Visalia.

John is survived by his wife of thirty seven years, Rosalie Martinez. He is also survived by his children Michael, John, Steven, Nevaeh, and Jayden. John is also survived by his three grandchildren Josiah Martinez, Jaden Martinez, and one granddaughter Peyton Martinez. He is also survived by his sisters Linda Fernandez and her husband Albert, Cynthia Martinez and her husband Narciso Navarro. Numerous nieces, and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Pefe and Ruth, and his sister Roberta Espinoza.

Services will be held Friday May 27, 2016 at 1:30 in the afternoon, at Salser and Dillard. Located at 127 E. Caldwell Ave. Visalia California 93277. 559-635-1144.

Flowers and condolence cards may be sent to Salser and Dillard.

Condolences may also be e- mailed to www.salseranddillard.com

The family would like to express their appreciation to the staff in the I.CU. at K.H.C.D. for their compassion and excellent care that they provided to our beloved Johnny, a.k.a " J.D."

Previous Events

Memorial

MAY 27. 1:30 PM (PT)

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

Tribute Wall

RE

“ *Roxanna Espinoza lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez*



Roxanna Espinoza - January 12, 2021 at 12:48 PM

R)

“ *Oh my love how I miss you so much! My heart still aches for you! I wish I could hold you in my arms and hear you tell me you love me. Until we meet again 🥺*

Rosalie Martinez. (wife) - January 16, 2018 at 09:10 PM

RO

“ *I was just driving down the street right now and ACDC came on I thought of you uncle Johnny and started crying you were a great uncle if it wasn't for you my kids would not know how to tie their shoes you always made us laugh I love you I'm honored that you were my uncle sincerely from the bottom of my heart, Roxanna*

Roxanna - January 04, 2018 at 02:25 PM

RO

“ *Roxanna lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez*



Roxanna - December 13, 2017 at 01:47 AM

JJ

“ I miss you Dad you were my best friend , I'll never forget the time you took time to go on a field trip with me in 4th grade and we pissed off my teacher !😞. It always a good time with you I love and miss you

John Martinez Jr - November 25, 2017 at 03:04 AM

RO

“ Roxanna sent a virtual gift in memory of John - Martinez



Roxanna - November 22, 2017 at 11:26 PM

GC

“ Genie Cervantes lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez



Genie Cervantes - May 27, 2016 at 12:23 PM

SH

“ Shea lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez



shea - May 27, 2016 at 11:01 AM



“ *Cindy lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez*



Cindy - May 27, 2016 at 02:04 AM



“ *Linda Fernandez purchased the Violets And Butterflies for the family of John - Martinez.*



Linda Fernandez - May 26, 2016 at 06:59 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of John - Martinez.*



May 26, 2016 at 05:37 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to the family on the loss of John. Heartfelt prayers for all of you. Isabel Perez-Yanez*

Isabel Perez-Yanez - May 26, 2016 at 11:25 AM

SM

“ *Stacie Moreno lit a candle in memory of John
- Martinez*



Stacie Moreno - May 26, 2016 at 11:22 AM

SM

*Love you Uncle Johnny ! All the memories , goodtimes, bbq's ,...love
and miss you !! Forever in my Heart!!*

Stacie Moreno - May 26, 2016 at 11:24 AM

YS

“ I went to work yesterday, and you were not there 😞

I read the newspaper and found your name in there, really made me really sad, there's not too many of us left,

I know we lived in some of the best years in Visalia, when we kids all knew each other, we were born and raised here all of our lives, our parents were all good friends who knew each other too, even our grandparents knew each other, we were like Visalia's original family

We all knew where each of us lived, we knew each others houses, we go back some time, it connects us, like family.

I remember what a kind and good husband and dad you were to Rosalie and your twins, I kinda didnt see you for a while and then you had your third son, and then talking to you and Rosalie when you were Blessed with your lil girl. I was praying for you and Rosalie, your family, it seemed you were getting better? But no matter what, we all have a day and time when Jesus takes us home, sick, not sick, young, old, asleep, awake? We are all here only for a season.

Rosalie, may Jesus comfort you and your family, know that You are all in my heart and prayers. Jesus be with you thru this difficult time. I can still see you and Johnny, John John and Michael in your car, leaving john's moms house.

I love you Rosalie, take care 💕



yolie salinas - May 26, 2016 at 06:54 AM

BS

“ *Memories I have many,
Cousin Johnny and I use to hang out at Hobo jungle, float on inner tubes under the city, swim the rapids at the " Y " behind Mooney's Grove park. Go to First River of off St John's River target practice with our pellet Rifles. Johnny would help me, many times than I can remember on my paper route. We would never have to go home to eat because we knew where all the good fruit trees were at. It was good times and always an adventure.
I will miss him "he is a great cousin"*

Bobby Sena



Bobby Sena - May 26, 2016 at 12:35 AM

BS

“ *Rest in peace Johnny I will always remember all the great times we all spent together your kind heart calm personality will be greatly missed.*



Barbara Solis - May 25, 2016 at 11:45 PM

LA

“ This is Johnny and I when we where little, we have so many great memories of Johnny. RIP my cousin.



Lydia Anchondo - May 25, 2016 at 04:57 PM

MS

“ Michael Swaim sent a virtual gift in memory of John - Martinez



Michael Swaim - May 25, 2016 at 04:36 PM

MS

“ Michael Swaim lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez



Michael Swaim - May 25, 2016 at 04:32 PM

MS

Condolences to the Martinez Family in this time of mourning... prayers as well Psalms 1 reading...

Michael Swaim - May 25, 2016 at 04:35 PM



“ Lydia Anchondo lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez



Lydia Anchondo - May 25, 2016 at 04:02 PM



“ Frank Espinoza sent a virtual gift in memory of John - Martinez



Frank Espinoza - May 25, 2016 at 03:34 PM



“ Frank lit a candle in memory of John - Martinez



Frank - May 25, 2016 at 03:33 PM