



Michael Phillip Marquez

February 20, 1961 - August 14, 2025

In Loving Memory of Michael Phillip Marquez
February 20th, 1961-August 14th, 2025

Michael was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, loyal friend, and brother-in-Christ. On August 14th, 2025, he was called home to be with The Lord. Although we miss him deeply, we find comfort and peace in the promise of eternity as Michael had a personal relationship with Jesus. For it states in the bible, "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of The Lord forever." ~Psalm 23:6

Michael was the husband and father that God shaped him to be. He loved his wife, Maria, in a way that every spouse should be loved- fully, faithfully, and unconditionally. We can still picture them together talking to each other the way that they always did. If you know them personally, you know what we mean. What a wonderful example of marriage- the two of them together.

As a father, he was steadfast, protective, and caring to his children- Erika, Brianna, Natasha, and Michael. He was and still is a father figure to his son-in-law Andrae, grandchildren, great grandchildren, nephews, and so many others. He loved sharing his life stories and knowledge like working on cars with his grandkids especially. He truly loved each and every grandkid and great grandkid as he loved his own kids. And boy, did he have a great sense

of humor. His dad/grandpa jokes were actually quite funny.

Michael was a veteran and a hard worker. He greatly enjoyed his job with the Shannon Brothers. He absolutely loved classic cars. He had a passion for working on cars and driving diesel trucks. Owning his own truck driving business was always a dream of his. At church, he led the Married For Life Group with his wife. He also led the Men's group just as God called him to do. Michael attended bible college and one of his favorite things to do was reading the Bible. He shared God's word and the love of Jesus with others including his family, friends, co-workers, and countless people.

Michael lived a life of deep devotion to God and loved Jesus more than anything. His strong faith not only carried him through life's mountaintops of victories with humility, but also through the valleys of challenges with grace. Through it all, he led by example, and offered wisdom, guidance, and support to others. He inspired people every day.

His life was a true testimony of the amazing things God can do. He truly made a difference in this world, and we are all so blessed to have known him. Michael leaves a legacy full of unwavering faith in God and love. We know that God will use his life, his passing, and his legacy for His glory. So today and always, we celebrate Michael Phillip Marquez's life- one that honored God, loved family deeply, and one that left an imprint on everyone he met that can never be erased.

Viewing will be held 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM Thursday, September 4th, 2025 at Praise Center Church, 503 N. Floral St., Visalia. Funeral services will follow at 12:30 PM.

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

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Previous Events

Viewing

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Funeral

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