



Miguel Gomez Garcia

September 8, 1943 - September 12, 2025

Miguel passed away on September 12, 2025 in Visalia, California. He was born on September 8, 1943 in Barranca Seca de Larios, Michoacan. He was the son of Miguel Gomez Mendoza and Abigail Garcia Hernandez.

In his younger years, Miguel worked on his family's farm in Michoacan, growing corn and taking care of animals. In the late 1960s, he began seasonally migrating to the United States for better employment opportunities. In 1973, he moved to Washington State. Soon thereafter he relocated his wife and children to the Boyle Heights neighborhood of Los Angeles. Miguel remained in the Los Angeles area until his retirement in the mid-2000s. After he retired, he moved to an orange grove in Cutler, California, that he had purchased decades prior as he looked forward to a time he could return to farming. Miguel spent the next 20 years tending to and improving the farm by adding additional trees and animals and hosting his many grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Brothers Jose, Jesus and sisters, Maria and Rosa. He is survived by his loving spouse of over 60 years, Rosa Elena Ortega, eight children (Genoveva Lozano, Raul Gomez, Jose Luis Gomez, Alberto Miguel Gomez, Fernando Gomez, Lorena Gomez, Juan Gomez and Patricia Beltran) and 19 grandchildren, brothers and sisters Lucia, Dolores, Teresa, Andres and Maximiliano.

Visitation will be held 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Wednesday, October 1st, 2025 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia. Rosary will follow at 7:00 PM. Mass of Christian Burial services will be held 11:00 AM Thursday, October 2nd, 2025 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 12588 Avenue 407, Cutler. Graveside services will be held 12:30 PM at Smith Mountain Cemetery, Road 100, Dinuba.

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

OCT 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

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

Rosary

OCT 1. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

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

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

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

Graveside

OCT 2. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (PT)

Smith Mountain Cemetery
42088 Rd. 100
Dinuba, CA 93618

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Miguel Gomez Garcia* ”



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - September 30, 2025 at 03:29 PM