



Jose Garcia

October 14, 1936 - March 20, 2021

Jose Garcia Alvarez of Dixon died Saturday, March 20, 2021, at KSB Hospital. He was the fourth of four children born to Pedro and Isaura Garcia of Pachuca, Hidalgo. He grew up in a house full of music and had many outdoor adventures with his brother and sisters. Jose studied to be an accountant and shortly after met Maria Elena Reyes. At the peak of his career, he worked at Frontón México where he loved to watch and play the game of Jai alai.

Jose was an active family man, taking time to play sports or drive his children to school and music lessons or events. On weekends, he spent time with his sons and daughter playing racquetball and basketball. The family enjoyed frequent picnics and family get-togethers where they played numerous outdoor games. Jose enjoyed listening to his children play their musical instruments and never missed a performance.

Jose and his wife owned Pepito's Mexican Restaurant in Sterling and Ambrosia in Dixon. In retirement, Jose enjoyed traveling to visit family in Mexico and his children and grandchildren in several states.

He is preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Aurelia. Jose is survived by his wife, Maria, children Rosa Maria (Ruben) Rivera of Mexico, Joe Garcia of Dixon, Jenny (Michael) Macko of South Barrington, Tony (Kimberly) Garcia of Harrisburg, PA, Henry (Heather) Garcia of Avon, IN, and Jesse Garcia of Brownsburg, IN. He is also survived by 15 grandchildren, two great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Cremation rites have been accorded and there will be no services.

Tribute Wall



“ Jose Garcia

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



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December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM