



Samuel Gonzales

July 8, 1942 - August 24, 2020

Samuel Gonzales was born on July 8th, 1942 in Menard, Texas and remained a lifelong resident. He passed on August 24th, 2020 surrounded by his family. The many loves of Sam's life include his wife Gloria of 57 years, his children and grandchildren, his football games and his ostrich skin boots. In his earlier years, he was a sheep shearer, migrant worker, and truck driver. Later in 1997, Sam and Gloria opened Taco Express in Menard, Texas and it remains open to this day.

Survivors include wife Gloria Saucedo who he married on July 8th, 1963. Together Sam and Gloria had 10 children including 6 adopted children, 28 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren with another one on the way.

Surviving children include, Raymond Gonzales and Elva Meeks of Austin, Texas, Manuel and Ann Gonzales of Teaticket, Massachusetts, Israel Gonzales and Kapua Sawyer of Hilo, Hawaii, Veronica and Jimmy Morris of Menard, Texas, Kisha Gonzales of Menard, Texas, Sunshine Gonzales of Jacksonville, Florida, Beverly Gonzales of Big Lake, Texas, Tommy and Christopher Gonzales of Charlottesville, Virginia, and Gabriel Gonzales of Pampa, Texas, and 2 sisters, Iren Hernandez of Brady, Texas and Florra Sandoval of Fort Worth, Texas. Anyone who knew Sam knows he leaves behind a pair of ostrich skin boots that can never be filled.

Mass service will be held from 10:30 AM Friday, August 28, 2020 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Menard.

Interment will follow at Garden of Memories in Menard.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Heritage Funeral Home of Menard.

Previous Events

Mass

AUG **28**. 10:30 AM (CT)

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
609 ELLIS ST
MENARD, TX 76859
(325) 396-4906

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel Gonzales.* ”



August 27, 2020 at 03:30 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Samuel Gonzales.* ”



August 27, 2020 at 12:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel Gonzales.* ”



August 27, 2020 at 10:13 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Samuel Gonzales.* ”



August 27, 2020 at 08:01 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samuel Gonzales.*



August 27, 2020 at 05:35 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Samuel Gonzales.*



August 26, 2020 at 11:59 PM