



Gilbert Garcia Jr.

August 8, 1966 - February 14, 2018

Gilbert Garcia, Jr., 51 of Grand Island died Wednesday, February 14, 2018. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary's Cathedral. Celebrating Mass will be Father James Golka. Burial will be in the Grand Island Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Monday with a parish Rosary at 7 p.m. at All Faiths Funeral Home.

Gilbert was born August 8, 1966 at Fort Hays, Kansas the son of Gilbert and Josie (Delgado) Garcia.

Survivors include his wife, Julie; children, Kori Ellis, Cassie Uhrich, Gilbert Garcia III, Ryan Garcia, Dillen Garcia and Emreial Garcia; his grandchildren, Jurnee Webb, August Garcia, Keyden, Rylen and Klara Uhrich; his mother, Josie Garcia; and his siblings, Gilbert (Pico) Garcia, Linda Garcia, Carol Garcia, Jackie Garcia, Joey Garcia, Jolene Alvarado, Monica Garcia and David Garcia.

He is preceded in death by his father, Gilbert Garcia, Sr.; nephews, Felix, Eric and Johnny Garcia and a niece, Adriana Molina.

Gilbert was raised and received his education in Grand Island. He was united in marriage to Julie Wiese on October 12, 1991. Gilbert worked construction having been employed by Chief Industries and Lacey Construction.

Some of his enjoyments included coaching baseball and football leagues, chaperoning school field trips, fishing, Dallas Cowboys, Harley's, music-dancing and working. Most of all he enjoyed time spent with his children and

grandkids. Gilbert loved spending time with his family. He was always there to lend a hand to anyone in need. Gilbert was here to speak to the world about God and who he was. Gilbert would always say "God has a plan for everyone".

A memorial fund will be established in memory of Gilbert.

Cemetery Details

Grand Island City Cemetery

Grand Island, NE

Tribute Wall



“ *Gilbert Garcia Jr.*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Gilbert Garcia Jr..*



February 19, 2018 at 10:10 AM



“ *It was my second year of teaching at Newell when I first met Gilbert (1977-1978) typical 5th grader, a bit mischievous at times, but those eyes and his smile would light up the room. He gave me a chess set for Christmas which I still have and am teaching my grandson how to play with it.*

In May, after growing a beard I let my students cut it with scissors before I shaved for them in class (I got married that summer) and Gilbert just couldn't get over how different I looked.

My condolences to mother and family...a good man is gone at too young an age.

Sincerely

Mr. William Chadek

William Chadek - February 17, 2018 at 10:14 AM