



"Mel" Melquiadez Guzman

December 24, 1945 - January 1, 2017

"Mel" Melquiadez Guzman, 71 of Grand Island died Sunday, January 1, 2017 at home with his loving family at his side.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday at St. Mary's Cathedral. Celebrating Mass will be Father James Golka. Cremation will take place following the service.

Visitation will be from 4-7 p.m. Wednesday with a Parish Rosary at 7 p.m. at All Faiths Funeral Home.

Mr. Guzman was born December 24, 1945 at Tepic Nayarit, Mexico the son of Cirilo Guzman and Antonia Ramirez.

Survivors include his wife Virginia Garcia; his children, Miguel (Yesica) Guzman of Grand Island, Juan Carlos (Lorena) Guzman of Gibbon and Leticia Guzman of Grand Island; his brothers and sisters, Ramon Guzman, Ermilio Guzman, Eusevio Ramirez, Tomasa Guzman de Quevedo, Ana Guzman de Fregoso, Leonor Guzman de Lopez and Margarita Guzman de Sanchez and eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Ramona Veliz Guzman who died May 18, 2005 and his parents.

Mel was raised and received his education in Mexico. On January 27, 1971 he was united in marriage to Ramona Veliz. They came to the United States in 1986 becoming a U.S. Citizen. He retired from Overhead Door. He was remarried on May 20, 2014 to Virginia Garcia.

He is a member of St. Mary's Cathedral. Some of his enjoyments included

fishing, visiting family in Mexico, gardening, lawn work, a handyman and being a grandpa.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *"Mel" Melquiadez Guzman*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Con todo respeto le ofrezco mi más sentido pésame. El camino es difícil y los tropiezos son duros, su padre siempre fue un ejemplo de tenacidad y respeto. Juan, Miguel y familia Guzmán, los acompaño en su dolor.*

Héctor A. Bermúdez - January 08, 2017 at 04:01 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Your father always had the wonderful smile! You and your families will be in my thoughts and prayers.*
Carolyn McDowell Rosenquist

Carolyn McDowell Rosenquist - January 04, 2017 at 06:57 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of "Mel" Melquiadez Guzman.*



January 04, 2017 at 02:04 PM



“ *Juan Miguel and family,
My fondest memories with your Dad was going fishing with the boys down on the Platte and the greatest Christmas I ever had with the family at the old house with Chris and Erika What a fun night that was!!! I have really missed those times over the years. I pray for the family and wanted you all to know how much your Dad meant to me for loving Chris as he did and as you did and Miguel for being a Brother to Chris in more ways then one.*



Miguel Patricko - January 03, 2017 at 09:46 AM



“ *Very sorry for your loss! I still rembered fishing with all of you when I was little. Very good man and will be missed by all! With love
Nathan McDowell*

Nathan mcdowell - January 03, 2017 at 09:27 AM