



## Jose "Pepe" Salinas Franco

March 9, 1949 - January 1, 2024

Dateline: Orange Grove, Texas

Jose "Pepe" Salinas Franco, age 74, passed away Monday, January 01, 2024 at his home from a sudden illness. Pepe was born March 9, 1949 in San Patricio County to Juan and Esperanza Franco. He was married to Dora T. Franco and has 4 boys and 1 daughter. Pepe worked in the oilfield for many years then worked for Foxco where he eventually retired. He was an old school cowboy and loved living on the ranch and taking care of his horses. He love to shoot guns and could knock a dime off of a post at any distance. When hunting dove, he could outshoot anyone. And when he would hunt deer and pigs, he could take them out while they were running at full speed. Pepe enjoyed cooking and Bar-B-Queing for his family and hanging around with his old friends having a good time. Pepe is preceded in death by his parents Juan and Esperanza Franco, Grandmother Olivia Chapa, Siblings Juan Franco, Tony Franco, and Emma Franco.

Survivors:

Wife: Dora T. Franco

4 Sons: Jose A. (Belinda) Franco, Javier (Joann) Franco, Jesus Orlando (Melissa Gomez) Franco, and Juan Jose Franco

1 Daughter: Kayla Fairbanks

14 Grandchildren: Iris, Jose III, Michaela, Eulalia, Liana, Javy Jr., Annie, Josue, Alyssa Renee, Joby, JonZade, Gabby, Aven, and Savannah

23 Great-Grandchildren

1 Brother: Danny (Mary) Franco

4 Sisters: Olivia (Neto) Ruiz, Lupe (Sal) Arredondo, Nelda Silva, and Dalia (Urbano) Ortiz

Numerous Nieces and Nephews

Serving as Pallbearers are Javier Franco Jr., Joey Franco III, Josue Franco, Juan Jose Franco, John Silva, Israel Beltran, and Kenny Salinas

A visitation will be held Sunday, January 7, 2024 from 2 pm to 3 pm with a funeral service to begin at 3 pm at Open Door Community Church at 1200 Seabreeze Alice, Texas 78332. A burial will follow in the New Collins Cemetery.

Services entrusted to Roberson Funeral Home Alice.

# Cemetery Details

## New Collins Cemetery

Alice, TX

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 7. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Open Door Community Church  
1200 Seabreeze St.  
Alice, TX 78332

## Funeral Service

JAN 7. 3:00 PM (CT)

Open Door Community Church  
1200 Seabreeze St.  
Alice, TX 78332

## Burial

JAN 7 (CT)

New Collins Cemetery  
Alice, TX

# Tribute Wall



“ Roberson Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Jose "Pepe" Salinas Franco



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**Roberson Funeral Home** - January 06, 2024 at 12:33 PM

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*I was just thinking of my dear friend Emma today and was sad to see the lost of yalls dear Jose "Pepe" Franco few years back..I believe he was the oldest brother of Emma's and I still remember him coming to Mr and Ms Franco's house when emma and I would come visit from Austin in the mid 70s..I will forever have loving and beautiful memories of the Franco family of my time with yall and how so very sweet all of you were to me, this young woman from Austin..I pray for all of you and plz have peace in knowing Pepe was greeted with all his loved ones when God called him home .. also for our heavenly Father to continue to give 🙏 yall strength as he watches over each and everyone of you. So, thank you for the past wonderful memories and especially how kind the Franco family was to me. I will carry those memories forever in my heart.*

*With Sincerity,  
Emily*

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**Emily Hampton** - February 21 at 01:17 PM



“ Emily Hampton lit a candle in memory of Jose Salinas Franco



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Emily Hampton - February 21 at 01:00 PM



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Roberson Funeral Home - January 06, 2024 at 10:03 AM