



Raul "Pumpa" G. Ortiz

February 7, 1939 - December 2, 2024

Dateline: Alice, Texas

Raul "Pumpa" Ortiz, also known as "Tio Bull" by most of his family, was loved by all. This very special man was called home by the Lord Monday, December 2, 2024. Raul "Pumpa" was born February 07, 1939 to Abel and Ysmenia Garcia Ortiz in Sandia, Texas. He worked all his life as an industrial electrician to provide for his wife of 64 years and his children. He was employed by Ball Montez, Flournoy, and retired from Greywolf Drilling. Soon after he opened a business (SCR) with his good friend and business partner Steve Stevenson. Any chance he had he would spend time at the Circle R Ranch tending to his horses and cattle and just walking his properties. Some of his favorite past times were watching any western on T.V. and eating sweets. But most of all he enjoyed spending time with his wife, his 3 children, 5 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. He will be remembered for his sense of humor. He enjoyed lighthearted needling, poking fun, or giving people a hard time, but it was always in good fun and meant no harm. He served the Lord in the Church of Christ as a talented song leader for 70 years. Raul "Pumpa" is preceded in death by his parents, 1 brother Abel Ortiz Jr., 2 sisters Elida Padilla and Alice Valdez, and his daughter-in-law Sandra Ortiz.

Survivors:

Wife of 64 years Amalia Ortiz

2 Sons Raul (Karen) Ortiz Jr. and Jacob (Consuelo) Ortiz

1 Daughter Debbie (David) Carbajal

5 Grandchildren Krystal (David) Broussard, David Carbajal Jr., Michelle (Parker) Ortiz, Jaclynn Ortiz, and Derek Ortiz

3 Great-Grandchildren Emily Broussard, Michael Broussard, and Luke Broussard

4 Brothers Richard (Lydia) Ortiz, Martin (Mae) Ortiz, Abelardo (Elvira) Ortiz, and Noe (Maria) Ortiz

1 Sister Bertha Diaz

Numerous nephews, nieces, and cousins

A visitation will be held Saturday, December 07, 2024 from 9AM to 10AM at the Church of Christ on S. Texas Blvd. in Alice, Texas with a funeral service to begin at 10AM. Services will conclude at the church.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Houston, Texas.

We will live with the pain of his loss so that he may be at peace.

Services entrusted to Roberson Funeral Home Alice.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

The Church of Christ
S. Texas Blvd.
Alice, TX 78332

Funeral Service

DEC 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Sam Ortiz and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raul "Pumpa" G. Ortiz.

Sam Ortiz and family - December 06, 2024 at 01:38 PM

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“ Sam Ortiz and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Raul "Pumpa" G. Ortiz.



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“ I first met Raul in the summer of 1966. I was working for Associated Lease Service Comp and met Raul in San Diego. Through that chance meeting we became friends. In 1978 we met back up and our friendship continued and in 1994 we established SCR Rig Service together. Just like our friendship, our business flourished beyond our wildest dreams. This success was because of Raul with the support of his wonderful wife Amalia. Raul has been a dear friend of mine for many decades and he will always be in my thoughts and prayers.

- Steve Stephenson

Steve Stephenson - December 05, 2024 at 02:34 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Raul "Pumpa" G. Ortiz.*



December 05, 2024 at 02:18 PM