



Antonio P. Garcia

October 26, 1926 - February 14, 2014

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RACINE - Antonio Pena Garcia, 87, passed away at his residence on Friday, February 14, 2014. He was born in Cuero, Texas on October 26, 1926, the son of the late Ynez and Eulalia (nee: Pena) Garcia. Antonio enlisted in the United States Army during WWII and was injured in Germany. He re-enlisted in the Paratroopers with the 82nd Air Born Division. Antonio was united in marriage to Rosemary Boehm on November 11, 1950. He was employed at J.I. Case for more than 26 years, retiring in 1988. He was a member of VFW Post # 1391, Case 20 year Club and Cristo Rey Parish. Antonio enjoyed meeting "his Crew" at McDonalds on Lathrop every morning and his days at Harmony Club of Racine. Most of all, he enjoyed spending time with his family, especially watching his grandchildren play softball.

He is survived by his children, David Garcia, Daniel Garcia, Andrew (Jean) Garcia, Toni Lynn Montoya, Adam (Mary Helen) Garcia, Jacob (Keely) Garcia; 24 grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren; sister, Nancy Garza. He is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Antonio is preceded in death by his first wife, Rosemary; sons, Jeffrey and Harry Garcia; brothers, sisters and grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Cristo Rey Parish, 800 Wisconsin Ave., on Friday, February 21, 2014 at 11a.m. Antonio will be laid to rest, with full military honors, at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery.

A visitation will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Thursday evening from 6

pm until 8 p.m. and at church on Friday from 10 am until time of mass.

A special thank you to Dr. Choi and Seasons Hospice, for the loving care provided to Antonio.

Memorials to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675, have been suggested by the family.

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery Hwy 32

5600 Holy Cross Road
Racine, WI 53402

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
(262) 632-4479
info@sturinofuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

SG

“ *Our deepest condolences to the family of Tio Tony from the Steve Garcia family from Houston, Texas. Will always remember the great caring peson he was. Will be dearly missed.*

*Love,
Steve Garcia*



Steve M Garcia - February 20, 2014 at 12:17 PM

NR

“ *Always a smile and time to chat! Our best to all the Garcia's.*

From all the Ruzicka's - Jeff, Brad & Maru, Anne & Brad, Nancee & Steve, Matt, Kristin

Nancee Ruzicka - February 20, 2014 at 11:05 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Antonio P. Garcia.*



February 20, 2014 at 08:16 AM

AN

“ My favorite memory of Mr. Garcia is before EVERY game, he would tell me, "you gonna hit a home run?" I would always tell him, "yes." When I did hit the home runs, I would always point at him and he would smile back. It won't be the same without him behind home plate, but I know he will be there in spirit. I always loved seeing his face at games and I will miss him dearly.

Andrew Navarro - February 19, 2014 at 02:55 PM

TB

“ I have nothing but great memories of this wonderful man. His presence and smile always lit up the room (or ball field) and everyone was always happy to see him. He will be deeply and dearly missed.

Tony (Ashley) Barrientez - February 19, 2014 at 02:44 PM

JP

“ Lots of good memories when Tio Tony & Aunt Rose would bring cousins to visit us in Arizona. Tio Tony was such a caring person, always offering to help others in need. Our thoughts and prayers are with my cousins in your time of sorrow. Tio & Tia are together again in Heaven.



Josie Palma - February 19, 2014 at 06:12 AM

FA

“ from your cousins in Arizona purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Antonio P. Garcia.



from your cousins in Arizona - February 19, 2014 at 06:00 AM

NF

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Family. I will always remember you Uncle Tony. Rest in Peace.*
Love, Marcella Rivera



nicole fernandez - February 18, 2014 at 04:03 PM

JS

“ *John and Leticia Stinson purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Antonio P. Garcia.*



John and Leticia Stinson - February 18, 2014 at 02:22 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Antonio P. Garcia.*



February 17, 2014 at 09:02 AM

ID

“ *Ismo & Dela purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Antonio P. Garcia.*



Ismo & Dela - February 17, 2014 at 09:01 AM

MS

“ *My favorite uncle who always brought a smile and was a joy to just hang out with. I will miss you and all you have meant in my life. My heartfelt condolences to the entire family, much love are being sent your way.*



Mary and Stan

Mary Stark - February 16, 2014 at 08:34 PM

JG

Lost A great man in Uncle Tony, We lived so far apart condolences and lots of prayers from my family in Arizona to the family of uncle Tony. Love you all John Garcia

John Garcia - February 20, 2014 at 08:24 AM