



Fabian R. "Reyes" Salas

January 20, 1952 - December 22, 2023

Fabian R. "Reyes" Salas was born on January 20, 1952 in Chihuahua Mexico to Reyes and Raquel Salas. He moved to Amarillo in 1977 where he married Margarita Acuna in 2000. He worked for Texas Sand & Gravel as a heavy equipment operator for close to 30 years. He also worked as a Reliable Life Insurance sales agent for 8 years, earning top sales person 3 years in a row. He was an avid pool player and was ranked #1 in Amarillo. He enjoyed playing with his friends at Bosco's Lounge regularly.

Fabian was known to always have a smile on his face and never have a bad thing to say about anyone. He was a good listener. Above all, he loved his family. He cherished being "Tata" and "Grandpa Rey" to his grandchildren, and traveling as often as he could to see their sporting events.

He is survived by his wife Margarita Salas; 2 daughters, Laura Salas, and Margarita Zuniga and husband Nicolas; 3 sons, Fabian Franck Salas and wife Jacinta, Lorenzo Acuna and wife Irasema and Alfredo Moreno and wife Angie; 20 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren, all of Amarillo.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Previous Events

In-State for Viewing

DEC 28. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Shafer Mortuary Services Gathering Center
308 S. Bivins Street
Amarillo, TX 79104

Holy Rosary

DEC 28. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

DEC 29. 2:00 PM (CT)

Power Church
1344 SE 10th Ave
Amarillo, TX 79102

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fabian R. "Reyes" Salas.*



December 28, 2023 at 03:13 PM



“ *Kat n zaiden planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Fabian R. "Reyes" Salas.*

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“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fabian R. "Reyes" Salas.*



December 28, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ *SPEC Building Materials purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Fabian R. "Reyes" Salas.*



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“ It's not often that I take my son out with me when I go to play pool. Rey and Margaritas hospitality couldn't be resisted. They both welcomed my son as if he was their own child. He felt all the love when they prepared him a great steak. Every time we see the family they ask about my child (because they care that much). Now... when it comes to pool; it couldn't be more competitive! Challenging each other to take on a tough shot, sharing little nuggets of knowledge that keep us playing better, and Rey was always a gentleman! I don't think there are many people that have a winning record against him but any time he lost he was sure to pay you some respect! It has always been obvious to me that there was an overwhelming amount of love that this man shared with those around him. And now his beautiful family and friends are missing him. I know he wants all of us to be comforted, he wants us to be happy, he wants his family to feel all of the love that he poured into them, and celebrate the amazing man that he was.

Toby - December 25, 2023 at 12:45 PM