

Obituary

Jacob "Jay" Chavez

1957-2021

Jacob "Jay" Chavez, 64, passed away suddenly on December 29, 2021. He will be remembered for his love and devotion to family and friends, and being loyal and dependable to all that knew him. Once Jay made a friend, he was their friend for life. Jay was born in Barstow, CA on March 7, 1957, and was raised and schooled there attending St. Joseph Catholic School, then graduating from John F. Kennedy High School in 1975. He moved to Lemoore, CA in August 1980 to begin the next chapter in his life. Jay worked for PG&E over 42 years as a Gas Control Mechanic before retiring in January 2020. Jay was preceded in death by his father and mother, Antonio (Pula) Chavez and Concepcion (Concha) Chavez; along with his brother Richard Chavez. He is survived by his wife Anna Chavez of Lemoore; his aunt Ruth Garcia of Los Lunas, N.M.; his uncle Tobias Padilla of Barstow, CA.; mother-in-law Renee Borowski of Lemoore, many cousins including Henrietta Miranda of Barstow; Cindy Padilla of Barstow; David Padilla of Shingletown, CA; Glory Ann Pino of Barstow; Bernadette Boenker of Ladera Ranch; Monica Pequeno