

Donato Ramirez

Donato "Noodles" John Ramirez was called to be with the Lord on Saturday, June 16, 2007. Born in Barstow to Andrew and Ina Ramirez on June 26, 1967, he was a member of the community for 39 years. A graduate of Barstow High School class of 1985, he can be remembered for his love of motorcycle racing, fishing, and coaching. He was employed as a journeyman mechanic for L-C3 Communication at Fort Irwin the past five years. Earlier employment included being a mechanic for ITT for six years, and a mechanic for DynCorp for eight years, both for Fort Irwin. He was a member of St. Phillip Neri in Lenwood. Married on Sept. 15, 1993, he is survived by his loving wife, Janice at the family home. Other family members include a step-son, Daniel Hinds of Barstow; step-daughter, Rosanna Hinds of New Jersey; mother, Ina Ramirez of Barstow; brother, Andrew Ramirez and his wife, Nancy of Barstow; sister, Evlyn Puentes, and her husband, Joe of Oak Hills; nephews, Jon Ramirez, Kevin Lovato Jr., David Woodrum, Issac Lovato, Jacob Woodrum, Steven Woodrum, and Devon Jackson, all of Barstow, and Joey Puentes of Oak Hills; nieces, Jesseca Puentes of Oak Hills and Alexis and Gabarella Lovato of Barstow; mother-in-law, Telles Lovato; brother-in-laws, Kevin and Billy Lovato of Barstow; sister-in-law, Sharrel Lovato of Barstow; future daughter-in-law, Darla Garcia of Barstow; great-nephew, Jordan Puentes of Oak Hills; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins from Barstow and New Mexico. He is preceded in death by his father, Andrew Ramirez; grandmother, Augustina Ramirez; father-in-law, Vincente Lovato and many uncles. Visitation is scheduled from 5 to 7 p.m. followed by an evening vigil service at 7 p.m. on Thursday June, 21, 2007 at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 505 E. Mountain View. A funeral mass will be held at the church at 10 a.m. on Friday June 22, 2007 with burial to follow at Mt. View Memorial Park. Arrangements entrusted to Horizon Memorial Services of Barstow. 252-5222.

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