

Alexander Sanchez (1945-2009)



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Alex Sanchez July 21, 1945 - May 24, 2009.

Alex graduated from Barstow High School in 1963 and received his Associate's Degree at Barstow Community College. He worked as a heavy duty equipment mechanic at the Marine Corps Supply Center in Barstow. He was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1968 and is a veteran of the Vietnam War. Alex graduated from San Diego State with a degree in accounting and became a Certified Public Accountant in 1975. He retired from Solar Turbines in 2004 after 25 years of service.

Alex is survived by his wife of 38 years, Anne; his three children, Aaron, Matthew and Pilar; two grandchildren, Elijah and Malia; his brothers, Wilfred, and John David; his sisters, Karen and Edna.

He was a loving husband, father, brother, grandfather and friend. He touched many with the devotion he expressed for his faith. Alex enjoyed singing and playing the guitar with friends and family. He brought a smile to many with his great sense of humor.

A Rosary will be said Friday, June 5 at 9 a.m. at St. Timothy Catholic Church, 2960 Canyon Road, Escondido. A memorial Mass will immediately follow at 10 a.m., and interment at Oak Hill Cemetery, Escondido.

Donations may be made to Catholic Charities, North County Interfaith in Escondido, or Cancer Research.

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