



Mr. Jose Antonio Ruiz

September 25, 1941 - May 20, 2026

Jose Antonio Ruiz, 84, of Dover, born on September 25, 1941, in El Refugio, Tamaulipas, Mexico, entered into eternal rest on May 20, 2026. He enjoyed fishing, baseball, wrestling, gardening, and spending time with his family. He was preceded in death by parents, Felix Ruiz, and Librada Aguilar; and son, Felix Antonio Ruiz. He is survived by wife, Maria C. Ruiz; children, Martha Maribel Ponce, Julio Cesar Ruiz, Alma Mireya Chavez, Jose Antonio Ruiz, Maria Cristina Estrella, Jesus Ernesto Ruiz, Yadira Iliana Vazquez, Eunice Evangelina Reyes, Erick Vargas, and Ricardo Vargas and many other loving family and friends. A funeral service will be held Monday, May 25 at 10:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 South County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 9:00 A.M. Committal to follow at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Expressions of condolences at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Jose Antonio Ruiz, 84, residente de Dover, nacio el 25 de Septiembre del 1941, en El Refugio, Tamaulipas, Mexico, entro en descanso eterno el 20 de Mayo del 2026. El le gustaba pescar, ver juegos de pelota, luchalibre, sus plantas en el jardin, y pasar tiempo con su familia. Le precede en fallecimiento sus padres, Felix Ruiz, y Librada Aguilar y su hijo, Felix Antonio Ruiz. Es sobrevivido por su esposa, Maria C. Ruiz; hijos y hijas, Martha Maribel Ponce, Julio Cesar Ruiz, Alma Mireya Chavez, Jose Antonio Ruiz,

Maria Cristina Estrella, Jesus Ernesto Ruiz, Yadira Iliana Vazquez, Eunice Evangelina Reyes, Erick Vargas, y Ricardo Vargas y muchos otros queridos familiares y amigos. Servicio de celebración de vida se llevara acabo el Lunes 25 de Mayo a las 10:00 A.M. en Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 South County Road 39, Plant City, donde la familia recibirá amistades a partir de las 9:00 A.M. Seguido por sepelio en Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Expressions of condolences at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South
Plant City, FL 33567
(813) 737-3128
office@hopewellfuneral.com
<https://www.hopewellfuneral.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 25. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAY 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Norma González purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Jose Antonio Ruiz.*



Norma González - May 25 at 09:28 PM

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“ *I came to know him and his family when I worked in Dover. He was a kind and quiet man, you could see Mr Tony was a true family man. The love he had for his children and grandchildren and his beautiful wife Maria shined through. I know his family is at peace knowing that he now rest in the arms of our Savior. I want the family to know that I love you all. My heart and prayers are with each and everyone of you. God bless you all ❤️ Miss Trish from family dollar*

Trish - May 24 at 08:03 AM