

Natividad "Speedy" Gonzalez Jr.

71, a resident of Fayetteville, Arkansas, passed away Monday, December 9, 2019 at his home. He was born December 11, 1947 in Carnegie, Oklahoma, the son of Natividad and Rosalie (Ramirez) Gonzalez.

A great friend to many. He was known to be the best backhoe operator around, many would say he could spin it on a dime. He was a devoted husband to Gloria for a wonderful 49 years. He was a wonderful dad to all of his children and was most proud of being a poppy. His grandchildren were the light of his world, they all considered him to be their best friend, he always had the right words to make everything better. His smile and giant bear hugs would make any day much better. He has always been so proud to show off his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one daughter LaNita Gonzalez, five brothers Johnny, Joe, Manuel, Phillip, Ray Gonzalez and two sisters Pearl and Alberta Gonzalez.

Survivors include his wife Gloria Gonzalez; three daughters Tammy Hackelton and her husband Chris of Morrow, Arkansas, Jennifer Reid and her fiance Dewayne Dejean of Farmington, Arkansas and Rena Gonzalez; two sons Shane Gonzalez of Centerton, Arkansas and Casey Gonzalez and his wife Meagan of Morrow, Arkansas; two brothers David Gonzalez of California and Freddy Gonzalez of Oklahoma; three sisters Dora Passmore and Emma Dunlap both of Oklahoma and Gina Crane of Arizona; seventeen grandchildren and five great grandchildren: Tatum Harris, Taylor Shepherd, Tara, Dalton, Raleigh and Laykyn Shepherd, Travis Shipley, Stephanie, Cody and Evelyn Scott, Sarah, Trey and Theo Lewis, Austin Shepherd, Aiden Reid, Aimee, Jacob, Elizabeth, and Claire McCraw, Shane Jr. and Remington Gonzalez, Destani and Ryder Gonzalez and Cat Prewitt; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

APPRECIATION

On behalf of the family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home

Prairie Grove, Arkansas

online guest book, visit www.luginbuel.com



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"Speedy"
Gonzalez Jr.**

God saw you getting tired
and a cure was not to be
so He put his arms around you
and whispered "Come with Me"
With tearful eyes
we watched you suffer
and saw you fade away
although we loved you dearly
we could not make you stay
A golden heart stopped beating
hard working hands at rest
God broke our hearts to prove
He only takes the best.

CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF
Natividad "Speedy" Gonzalez Jr.

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE
Wednesday, December 11, 2019 - 3:00 p.m.
Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music Selections

"You Can Let Go Now Daddy"

Opening Remarks Terry Dickard

"I'm Already There"

Words of Comfort Paul Young

Closing Prayer

Family Memories Video

"Even Though I'm Leaving"

"Daddy's Hands"

"Grandpa"

"Go Rest High On That Mountain"

Postlude Music Selections

**GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE
CEMETERY. THE FAMILY WILL REMAIN AFTER
THE SERVICE TO VISIT WITH FRIENDS.**

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Farmington Cemetery
Farmington, Arkansas

PALLBEARERS

Shane Gonzalez - Casey Gonzalez - Dalton Shepherd
Austin Shepherd - Travis Shipley
Cody Scott - Trey Lewis

