



Ernest Gonzales

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Ernest Gonzales passed away peacefully at home under hospice care on July 16, 2025, at the age of 81.

Born in Beasley, Texas, to Guillermo and Benita Lopez Gonzales, Ernest was a proud Texan who lived a life of service, strength, and compassion.

He graduated from Lamar Consolidated High School and later served honorably in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. A true public servant, Ernest dedicated over three decades to the Houston Police Department, where he served from 1971 to 2004. He was also a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe, where his faith and commitment to the community remained strong.

After retirement, Ernest enjoyed traveling and spending time with his loving wife, Vicky. He will always be remembered for his generosity, kindness, quick wit, and unwavering love for his family. A devoted husband and family man, Ernest's courage and perseverance during his illness reflected his incredible spirit. Even in his most difficult days, he continued forward with dignity and strength, always with Vicky by his side.

Ernest is survived by his beloved wife, Virginia (Vicky) Gonzales; stepdaughter, Itzel Ramirez; sister, Beatrice Gonzales West (Jack); siblings-in-law, Julio Carrizales, Veronica Carrizales, Yazmin Carrizales and Aydee Carrizales; and his nieces and nephews: Mario Gonzales (Terri), Rebecca Barboza (Christopher), Andrea Gonzales (Ramiro), and Phillip Gonzales (Luciana).

He was preceded in death by his parents, Guillermo and Benita Gonzales; sister, Benita Gonzales; brothers, Bill "BG" Gonzales and Amador "Amo" Gonzales; and niece, Tiffany Lynn Gonzales.

Ernest's memory will forever live on in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

Visitation will be held at Davis Greenlawn Funeral Home from 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM with a rosary at 7:00 PM on Thursday, July 24, 2025.

Funeral service will be held at Our Lady of Guadalupe - 514 Carlisle St, Rosenberg, TX 77471 on Friday, July 25, 2025 at 10:00 AM with a burial to follow.

Expressions of remembrance and condolences are welcome and may be left for the family at www.davisgreenlawnfh.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd. (Hwy 59 South @ FM 2218), Rosenberg, Texas 77471, Phone: 281-341-8800.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Park

3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.
Rosenberg, TX 77471

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **24.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapels and Cemeteries
3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.
Rosenberg, TX 77471
(281) 341-8800

Rosary

JUL **24.** 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUL **25.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
514 Carlisle Rosenberg, TX US 77471
Rosenberg, TX 77471

Tribute Wall

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“ We are so sorry to hear of the loss of this fine man Ernest Gonzales. He was simply one of the most gentle and nicest people that I had the pleasure to grow up with and remain friends with in our adulthood. He will be missed but not forgotten. Sending our most respectful regards to his entire family.
Dr and Mrs Lamar Meadows, Jr

Lamar Meadows - July 24, 2025 at 05:30 PM

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“ Lisa Liang purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ernest Gonzales.



Lisa Liang - July 22, 2025 at 03:05 PM

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“ Leona Negrette purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Ernest Gonzales.



Leona Negrette - July 21, 2025 at 11:58 AM

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“ Leona Negrette planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ernest Gonzales.

Leona Negrette - July 21, 2025 at 11:58 AM

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“ Ernest was a great person he visited my parents in Rosenberg, Texas everyday till my parents passed I will always be grateful for the joy, laughs, & jokes they shared! His kindness was never ending! (Peace) my favorite cousin you will be missed immensely



Leona Negrette - July 20, 2025 at 04:13 PM