



## Santiago Lopez

November 23, 1942 - May 16, 2014

After a lengthy illness, Santiago Lopez went to be with the Lord, on Friday, May 16, 2014. He was born on November 23, 1942, in Rio Grande City, TX. He was preceded in death, by his parents, Severiano Lopez, Sr. and Herminia Lopez; 2 brothers, Jose Saul Lopez and Severiano Lopez, Jr.

He is survived by his wife Esperanza Hope Lopez of 46 years and 2 daughters, Dina Barboza and her husband Daniel, and Beyda Denise Torres and her husband Leopoldo. He is also survived by 1 brother, Samuel Lopez and his wife Irene of Mission, TX; 3 sisters-in-law, Elida Ramos of Rosenberg, TX, Irene Lopez of San Antonio, TX and Velia Pena of Pensacola, FL, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Mr. Lopez, upon high school graduation, enlisted in the Air Force, where he served for a number of years. He graduated from Pan American University – UT in Edinburg, TX, with a Bachelor of Education Physical Education and Spanish. He received his Master of Science from Prairie View University in Prairie View, TX. He was a teacher/coach for McAllen ISD and Lamar CISD and was a Spanish teacher for Van Vleck ISD and Needville ISD.

He was the Owner of Twin City Dr. Ed. School in Richmond, TX from 2006 – 2013. Mr. Lopez attended Friendship Church A/G, where served as a Deacon from 2005 – 2008.

Funeral services will be at Davis-Greenlawn Chapel and Cemetery in Rosenberg, TX, where Rev. David G. Rose, Senior Pastor of Friendship Church A/G, will officiate. The family will receive family, friends, and guests on Monday, May 19, 2014, from 5:00pm to 8:00pm, with service at 7:00pm. The funeral/burial will be Tuesday, May 20, 2014, at 10:00am.

The family would like to extend gratitude and appreciation to New Century Hospice for their care, comfort, and services.

Words of condolence may be left for the Lopez family at [www.davisgreenlawnh.com](http://www.davisgreenlawnh.com)

Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd., Rosenberg, Texas 77471, Phone: 281-341-8800.

# Tribute Wall

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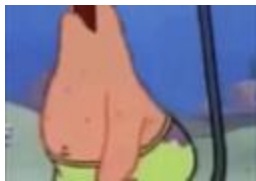
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james bondel - May 31, 2022 at 09:54 PM

JB

“ he was a very good friend we did lots of drugs and gay stuff



james bondel - May 31, 2022 at 09:51 PM

J(

“ To the family of my most amazing friend Joey Lopez. My thoughts, and Prayers are with you all. Mr Santiago Lopez was a great friend to me (Quizy Inostroza). He's now resting with the lord Jesus Christ, and no longer suffering from anything. I will miss him greatly, and will always have him in my thoughts, and prayers. He will be greatly missed by all who's hearts he touched. He was a gteat man, and he never gave up in life, he was a hardworking man, and he did what was right and always provided for his family. My thoughts and Prayers are with you Family Lopez. He was like a second father to me. REST IN PEACE MR LOPEZ. I WILL NEVER FORGET YOU.

Jose Inostroza (Quizy) - November 11, 2020 at 09:57 PM

EA

“ A los seres queridos Santiago

*Deseo que en estos momentos tan difíciles toda su familia y amigos reciban el consuelo que necesitan. Juan 5:28,29 contiene palabras de esperanza al darnos la maravillosa esperanza de la resurrección futura donde disfrutaremos eternamente de la compañía de nuestros seres amados sin enfermedades ni sufrimiento Salmo 37:11,29. Que tengan consuelo y paz.*

*Sinceramente,*

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**Ester A** - May 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *Chago was a close friend and team mate. He was a great football player, possibly the best middle guard on defense that Rio Grande ever had. He was also my catcher I pitched on the base ball team that won the district championship in 1962-the year of our graduation. He was also probably the best catcher Rio ever had a long with Zeke Rodriguez. I was at his wedding in McAllen. Saw him the last time 20 or so years ago at the Houston airport and had a great visit with him. I wish I could have know of his death as I would have liked to attend his service and possibly relate some of the great memories of his early life in Rio Grande City. He and I were being recruited to play football at several colleges. He went to Sam Houston State, but didn't stay. I went to Texas A&M and had a 4 year career. Our senior year which was the 1961 football season, we beat Donna 20-0, and they were the 2 A STATE CHampions that year, only team in the valley that won a state championship ever. He played a major role in that win. We finished 3rd in our district.*

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**Charles LaGrange** - May 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ Dear Hope & Family:  
We just learned of Santiago's passing. Billy & I truly am sorry, and know that God has his loving arms around all of you at this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

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**Rena Johnson** - May 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ We were sorry to hear about Santiago. You are in our prayers and thoughts. I have fond memories of him. Our love to the family. Mike and Paula

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**Micheli's** - May 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ I have very fond memories of Mr. Lopez when I was a student of his many years ago. He always offered a reassuring smile and guiding hand to his students. He also taught along side my mother Karla Marek for several years. A great teacher and mentor... He will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.

*Roxanne Marek Bloomquist*

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**Roxanne Marek Bloomquist** - May 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ Hope and girls my condolences to your family. My daughter Dominique and I have been quite ill for the past year. she is not working right now because of her ill and I am in a wheelchair and have no one to take me to the funeral. My thoughts and prayers will be with you and the girls. Love You Gloria Hernandez And family.

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**Gloria Hernandez** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.  
With Sincere sympathy,

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**Jack & Dinah Garcia** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers. May god enlighten you and your family through this difficult time.

*Condolences, Mary G. Fox*

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**Mary Gregory Fox** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ I just want you all to know you are all in my prayers. Your family has such a kind and beautiful Spirit. I know that your strong family bond and faith will carry you through one day at a time. Your father was a very sweet gentle man and was soooo very kind to Meredith. She truly adored him. Thank you for allowing her to come by and share some time with your family and making her feel like family. With all our love and prayers, The Schiro Family.

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**Sabrina Schiro** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ We love you and are praying for all of you. He was a dear sweet man.  
God Bless you.

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**Carolyn Prazak** - May 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM