

Joe Anthony Martinez, Sr. April 16, 1934 - July 12, 2017

Funeral Service Sunday, July 16, 2017 2:00 p.m. Broussard's Chapel Beaumont, Texas Mr. Flint Barboza

Christian Funeral Service + *Joe Anthony Martinez*, *Sr.*

Gathering Song: What A Healing Jesus

Opening Prayer

Liturgy of The Word

First Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:14-5:1

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23

RESPONSE BY ALL: "The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want"

Gospel Reading: John 6:37-40

Reflection on scripture readings

General Intercessions

RESPONSE BY ALL: "Lord, hear our prayer"

The Lord's Prayer

Final Commendation

Invitation to Prayer

Litany for the Deceased

PRESIDER: Saints of God, come to Joe's aid! Hasten to

meet him, angels of the Lord!

ALL: Receive Joe's soul and present him to God

the most high.

PRESIDER: May Christ, who called you, take you to

himself; and may the angels lead you to the

bosom of Abraham.

ALL: Receive Joe's soul and present him to God

the most high.

PRESIDER: Eternal rest grant unto Joe, O Lord,

and let your perpetual light shine upon him.

ALL: Receive Joe's soul and present him to God

the most high.

Prayer of Commendation

Departure Song: His Eye Is On The Sparrow

Joe Anthony Martinez, Sr., 83, of Beaumont, died Wednesday, July 12, 2017, at Baptist Hospitals of Southeast Texas, Beaumont. A native and lifelong resident of Beaumont, he was born on April 16, 1934, to Consuelo Cantu and Porfirio Martinez. Joe was a United States Army veteran and retired from the United States Postal Service after many years of employment.

He is survived by his daughter, Diane Barboza and her husband, Flint; grandchildren, Julian Barboza, Kathryn Barboza, and Abby Barboza; sisters, Dolores "Lola" Hernandez and her husband, Richard; Terry Gonzales; and Ofelia Cook; brother, Porfirio Martinez; and numerous nieces, nephews, greatnieces, and great-nephews.

Joe is preceded in death by his wife, Mary Martinez; son, Joey Martinez; and siblings, Consuelo Gonzales, Hope Tejada, Faye Valdez, and Claude Martinez.

Graveside Service

Monday, July 17, 2017 2:00 p.m. Forest Lawn Memorial Park 4955 Pine Street Beaumont, Texas Mr. Flint Barboza

