

Leon "Tommy" Mendoza November 5, 1949 - November 22, 2023

Celebrating the Life of *Leon "Tommy" Mendoza*

Tuesday, November 28, 2023 10:00 a.m. Broussard's Chapel Beaumont, Texas Reverend Ruby Nelson

"The Dance" by Garth Brooks

GREETING:

Friends, we have gathered here to praise God and to witness to our faith as we celebrate the life of Leon Mendoza. We come together in grief, acknowledging our human loss. May God grant us grace that in pain we may find comfort, in sorrow hope, and in death resurrection.

PRAYER:

O God, who gave us birth, you are ever more ready to hear that we are to pray. You know our needs before we ask, and our ignorance in asking. Give to us now your grace, that as we shrink before the mystery of death, that we may see the light of eternity. Speak to us once more your solemn message of life and death. Help us to live as those who are prepared to die. And when our days here are accomplished, enable us to die as those who go forth to live. In living and in dying, our life is in you. Nothing in life or in death will be able to separate us from your great love in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen

Micah 6:8: He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Psalm 23: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul; he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil. My cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the house forever.

John 11:25-26a: Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die."

SERMON

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Benediction: Go in peace.

"Outskirts of Heaven" by Warren Zeiders



Leon "Tommy" Mendoza, 74, of Beaumont, died Wednesday, November 22, 2023, at Harbor Hospice, Beaumont. He was born November 5, 1949, in Beaumont, to Nedia Foux Mendoza and Karl Mendoza. Leon was an industrial electrician and a member of IBEW Local 479 for fifty-two years.

Leon is survived by his wife, Mary Mendoza of Beaumont; sons, Leon Mendoza, Jr. and his wife, Suzanne, of Granbury; and Sean McKinley and his wife, Angela Elliott-McKinley of Beaumont; grandchildren, Cheyenna, Sierra, and Mollie Mendoza, Angel Jackson, Jacee Elliott, Christopher, Karrie, and Emma McKinley; and numerous great-grandchildren.



















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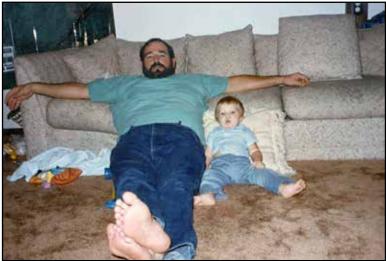












Pallberarers

Christopher McKinley David Gonzales Alvin Davis Wesley Faul David Faul Ronald Josey

Interment

China Cemetery China, Texas

Memorial Contributions

IBEW Local 479 Brotherhood Fund 1430 Spindletop Road Beaumont, Texas 77705

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