



## Jose Santos Cervantes

November 24, 1929 - February 3, 2021

Jose Santos Cervantes, 91, of Kansas City, Kansas, passed away on Wednesday, February 3, 2021, at Advent Health Medical Center. Jose was born on November 24, 1929, in San Felipe, Guanajuato, Mexico.

Jose is preceded in death by his father Vicente Cervantes and mother Francisca Ibarra; his grandson Richard Cervantes. He is survived by sons Isidro (Veronica) Cervantes, Cesar Cervantes and Jorge (Celilia) Cervantes; daughters Maria (Eugenio) Ruiz, Manuela Cervantes, Maria de Jesus Cervantes, Maria de Pilar Cervantes, Silvia Cervantes, Norma Cervantes and Lety Cervantes; 18 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

He started his life in Mexico and traveled to the United States to give his family a better life. He always made sure that he provided in any way he could. Jose was a very giving person and made sure to instill that in his children. He was perseverant and never gave up hope of a brighter tomorrow for his family. This followed him through his whole life.

He was loved by everyone he met and always made people laugh. He enjoyed watching his Antonio Aguilar movies. He loved his coffee, eating sweet breads in the morning as well as some barbecue and tacos de barbacoa. You could never separate him from his cane better known as “su mula” which he took everywhere, even though sometimes he didn't need it. He loved to talk and share stories of when he was in Mexico. Even though he

had dementia, he would remember the stories so vividly. He always wore a baseball cap which everyone knew was a staple of his outfit. Overall he was a great dad, grandfather, and great grandfather and he will be missed by many.

A private family mass will be held at All Saints Catholic Church, followed by a burial at Maple Hill Cemetery.

# Previous Events

## Burial

FEB 9. 12:15 AM (CT)

Maple Hill Cemetery  
2301 S 34th St  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 262-6610  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com

## Visitation

FEB 9. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

All Saints Catholic Church  
811 Vermont Ave  
Kansas City, KS 66101

## Catholic Mass

FEB 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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811 Vermont Ave  
Kansas City, KS 66101

# Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Jose Santos Cervantes*



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“ *Jose Santos Cervantes*

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October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Jose Santos Cervantes*

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September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ *Words can't describe how much I am going to miss you. I will always cherish the memories I had with you; from watching you, helping you with your everyday needs, taking you to your appointments and etc. I always had your back no matter what, I didn't care who it was but I didn't like people messing with you. I am going to miss your smile/laugh whenever we would both bully my mom. I'm going to miss saying bye to you before I would leave to work, when you would stand by our door and tell me "nos vemos mañana Maricela". I am going to miss you so much abuelito. Te quiero mucho....*

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**Marci Ruiz** - February 08, 2021 at 11:35 PM

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“ We love you Grandpa Santos ❤️



Emily Vasquez - February 08, 2021 at 10:46 PM

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“ Words can't describe how much I am going to miss you. I remember picking you up every morning to watch you. Being with you whenever you had therapy, watching you when you was at the nursing home, feeding you when you wasn't able to see and helping you with your every day necessities. I would always defend you no matter what and that'll never change. I will always remember your smile/laugh whenever we would bully my mom. I am going to miss giving you chocolates without my mom knowing lol. I don't know what I'm going to do without you. I am going to miss you in the mornings when I would tell you "bye abuelito" before going to work. I am going to miss you standing by the door and telling me "ya me voy Maricela, hasta mañana". Te quiero mucho abuelito y te voy a extrañar.

Marci Ruiz - February 08, 2021 at 09:41 PM

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“ I can remember seeing Mr Jose in vickys car every morning while driving to drop off my kids to school I'd throw my hand up honk & wave it became a part of my family's daily routine he will truly be missed -  
Kevin&Latasha Brown ❤️💕❤️



latasha Brown - February 08, 2021 at 06:27 PM



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