



Larry Joseph Chavez Jr.

September 10, 1976 - October 14, 2024

Larry J. Chavez Jr., 48, of Shawnee, KS, passed away on Monday, October 14, 2024, surrounded by his loved ones.

Larry was a man whose heart was as generous as his smile, known for his selfless spirit and unwavering love for those around him. He was born on September 10, 1976, to Larry Sr. and Linda (Tomas) Chavez in Kansas City, MO. He grew up in the city he cherished, attending JC Harmon High School and furthering his education at Johnson County Community College. Throughout his career at Ceva Biomune, Larry earned the admiration of his colleagues for his hard work, dedication, and warm, friendly nature.

Larry found joy in the simple things. He enjoyed playing disc golf, indulging in his love of movies, and sharing his vast knowledge of film trivia. But most importantly, he treasured the time spent with family. Whether it was a quiet evening at home or a family gathering, he made every moment meaningful with his kindness, humor, and quiet, caring presence.

Larry is survived by his life partner, Nicole Aguilar, who stood by his side with boundless love and care during his courageous battle with cholangiocarcinoma. He is also remembered by his daughter, Sayde Chavez, and his beloved bonus kids, Nicholas Cervantes, Michael, Natalie, and Micaela Carter. He is also survived by his loving mother, Linda Chavez; his

sister, Maryhelen Loya (Shane); and his brother, Steven Chavez (Vanessa). Larry was a devoted uncle to Richard Loya (Deonne), Ashton Loya, Donovan Chavez, Isabella Loya, and Anissa and Amaya Chavez and great uncle-uncle to Emilio and Nicolas Loya. Additionally, he leaves behind many aunts and uncles and cousins

Larry was preceded in death by his son, Dominio Chavez, and his father, Larry J. Chavez Sr. Though he is no longer with us, his selflessness, warmth, and love will forever be remembered by all who had the privilege of knowing him. His legacy lives on in the countless hearts he touched, and his memory will continue to inspire kindness and compassion.

Larry's family would like to express their deepest gratitude to everyone who has offered support during this time. His life was a testament to the power of love, and he will be missed dearly.

Donations can be made to The Cholangiocarcinoma foundation.

<https://cholangiocarcinoma.org/>

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church
1001 Southwest Blvd.
Kansas City, KS 66103

Funeral Mass

OCT **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

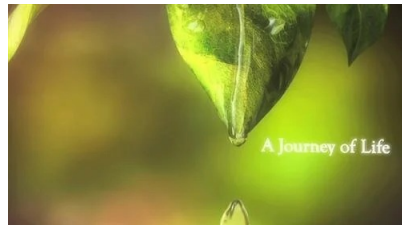
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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr.*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - October 17, 2024 at 04:11 PM

LB

Loved by many , gone to soon , life of the party , that smile , until we see you again rest easy 🙏🤝❤️

lisa franco- brown - October 17, 2024 at 01:10 PM

LS

So sorry for your loss. Prayers for all of you

Laura Shoots - October 17, 2024 at 01:33 PM

SJ

What a sweet soul and that grin a mile wide gone too soon cuz prayers for your family

Sherri Jackson - October 20, 2024 at 05:08 PM



“ 6 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - October 21, 2024 at 09:40 AM

AM

“ Aunt Mary, Frances, Ramona, Tom, Daniel purchased the *Enchanted Cottage* for the family of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr..



Aunt Mary, Frances, Ramona, Tom, Daniel - October 18, 2024 at 08:11 PM

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“ Aunt Mary, Frances, Ramona, Tom, Daniel planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr..

Aunt Mary, Frances, Ramona, Tom, Daniel - October 18, 2024 at 08:11 PM

WM

“ *Walt & Margaret, Ladd & Melissa purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr..*



Walt & Margaret, Ladd & Melissa - October 18, 2024 at 03:21 PM

WM

“ *Walt & Margaret, Ladd & Melissa planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr..*

Walt & Margaret, Ladd & Melissa - October 18, 2024 at 03:21 PM

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“ *Tim & Lisa and family. Walt and Delores purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr..*



Tim & Lisa and family. Walt and Delores - October 18, 2024 at 12:04 PM



“ 13 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - October 18, 2024 at 10:14 AM

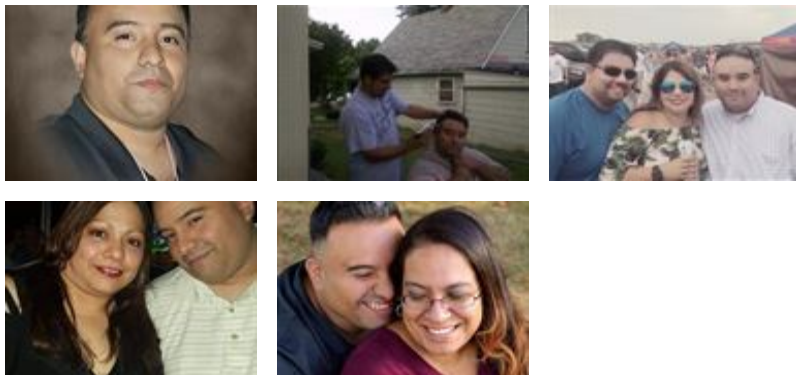
RJ

“ One of the first people to greet me when I started here at Ceva and from that day forward he made me feel more like family than just a co worker. I would give him a hard time every time I seen him and he would give it right back. We all need more people like Larry in are life's. Larry you will be missed Rest in Peace brother and may your family be surrounded by Love and Prays.

Ronnie Joseph - October 18, 2024 at 08:01 AM



“ 137 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - October 17, 2024 at 11:58 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Larry Joseph Chavez Jr..*



October 17, 2024 at 09:01 AM



“ *Peewee was such a kind and gentle person. Very quiet but funny. He will be missed by all that knew him. No more suffering. Now in the hands of the Lord and at peace. Love You all. Christina Loya.*

Christina Loya. (Maryhelen Mother in Law - October 16, 2024 at 06:53 PM



Peewee what a great friend. He was always positive and was good natured. Slow to anger and had an amazing smile. He truly will be missed. Fly high with the angels. Teresa Thomas

Teresa Thomas - October 17, 2024 at 06:34 PM