



## Mario A. Diaz-Vasquez

May 2, 1957 - August 12, 2020

Mario Alberto Diaz-Vasquez, 63, of Kansas City, KS passed away August 12, 2020 at his home.

He was born May 2, 1957 in Chihuahua, Mexico the son of Isidoro Diaz and Elvira Vasquez. Mario enjoyed touring Kansas City, whether it be spending Saturday morning at the City Market or riding the bus to Crown Center. He worked as a welder for many years until retirement. He was always there to lend a helping hand fixing things, cooking, or babysitting for his family. Most importantly he enjoyed spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by three children, Mario A. Diaz II (Natalia), Veronica Diaz (Martin) and Phillip Diaz (Christina); grandchildren, Clarissa, Mario III, Michael, Camilla, Emiliano, and Phillip II; step children; step grandchildren; and nine siblings, Carlos, Alonzo, Isidoro, Elvira, Olivia, Anna, Dora, Lydia, and Maricela.

A funeral mass will begin at 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, August 19, 2020 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Our Lady of Unity Parish, Kansas City, KS. Cremation arrangements are under the direction of Maple Hill Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Mass of Christian Burial

AUG **19**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
2646 S. 34th St.  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 677-1277

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mario A. Diaz-Vasquez*

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Mario A. Diaz-Vasquez*

September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ *Mario, Veronica and Phillip,  
Your Dad had some great qualities that you should all be proud of; mechanic, cook and socializer, he got along with everybody. One time in El Charco City, he convinced me to ride a horse up a mountain, needless to say I did ride up but ended up walking down! It was quite the experience! I hope that God provides you the strength to walk up this mountain of life, knowing that he will make sure you get to other side safe and sound. Love you all, Sam and Kristi McGriff.*

Sam McGriff - August 18, 2020 at 12:24 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mario A. Diaz-Vasquez.*



August 18, 2020 at 12:15 PM

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“ Dear Marito, Veronica, and Phillip,  
I am so sorry for the loss of your father, and  
for the heartache you are all going through.  
May the memories of your father comfort you  
in the days ahead, and may he forever Rest  
in Peace.  
Love, Tia Jeannie



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**Jeannie Loya** - August 18, 2020 at 10:01 AM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family  
of Mario A. Diaz-Vasquez.



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August 18, 2020 at 08:41 AM

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“ Mario, was my friend, my compadre and my brother in law. He was  
an excellent cook and hard working man. Mario, was so talented  
and creative, one Christmas family reunion he made a real live  
stable and beautiful costumes for those in our Christmas Play. Boy  
and did he love to dance!!! God speed, my friend, and may you now  
rest in the peace of our Lord.

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**Toni Valdez** - August 17, 2020 at 05:32 PM