



## Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr.

July 22, 1951 - March 4, 2024

Frank Munoz Jr. "Poncho", age 72, of East Chicago, Indiana was called to Heaven on March 4, 2024. He passed away peacefully surrounded by his five children. Frank was born July 22, 1951. He is survived by his mother; Olivia Medellin, his two sisters; Christina and Gloria, his two brothers; William (Keshia) and Al, and many aunts, uncles, and cousins. He also leaves behind his long-time partner and best friend Elisa Ponce.

Frank was a cherished father to his five children; Frank A Munoz, Michelle Munoz, Gina Munoz, Michael (Heather) Munoz, and Deidra (Roger) O'Rourke. A beloved grandfather to his nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren; Alex, Angelo, Christian (Kasey), Cherise (Thomas), Noah (Sadie), Alyssa, Lilli, Lucas, Damian, Thomas III, Olivia, Harrison, and Parker. He is preceded in death by his father; Frank Munoz Sr., and his first wife; Lupie Munoz.

Frank retired from Bethlehem Steel Mill after 44 years of long, dedicated work. He had a love for music that he passed down to his kids and grandkids. He enjoyed riding his Harley's, going to the movies, playing guitar, comic books, and collecting classic cars. Frank truly enjoyed hanging with his kids and loved spending time with his grandkids. He was the BEST dad, grandpa, son, brother, and friend.

Frank will be deeply missed by his family and friends. His memory will live on in the hearts of those who loved him.

"LIVE TO RIDE, RIDE TO LIVE"

Friends and family are invited to visit Monday, March 11, 2024 at 2:00 pm until

the time of sharing at 6:00 pm at Burns Funeral Home 701 East 7th Street  
Hobart, Indiana 46342

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 11. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home - Hobart  
701 E. 7th Street  
Hobart, IN 46342  
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# Tribute Wall

RA

“ Ryan & Sarah Alsman-zervos purchased the Fier y Lily and Rose for the family of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..



Ryan & Sarah Alsman-zervos - March 10, 2024 at 09:40 PM

M(

“ Mr. Angelo Sebastian Muñoz (Grandson) purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..



Mr. Angelo Sebastian Muñoz (Grandson) - March 09, 2024 at 05:33 PM

DB

“ Daniel B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..

Daniel B. - March 08, 2024 at 08:32 PM

CS

“ Crown Corr shop purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..



Crown Corr shop - March 08, 2024 at 01:20 PM

JS

“ Judy S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..

Judy S. - March 08, 2024 at 11:03 AM

LG

“ Love Your Friend Patti Gutierrez purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..



Love Your Friend Patti Gutierrez - March 07, 2024 at 05:02 PM

LG

“ Love Your Friend Patti Gutierrez planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..

Love Your Friend Patti Gutierrez - March 07, 2024 at 05:02 PM

AD

“ and Donna purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Frank "Poncho" Munoz Jr..



and Donna - March 06, 2024 at 12:06 PM

TO

“ Tammy (Morris) and Dan O’Keefe purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Frank “Poncho” Munoz Jr..



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**Tammy (Morris) and Dan O’Keefe** - March 06, 2024 at 12:10 AM

BN

“ Bridgette Nelson lit a candle in memory of Frank “Poncho” Munoz Jr.



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**Bridgette Nelson** - March 05, 2024 at 04:25 PM

FL

“ Forever, Lisa purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Frank “Poncho” Munoz Jr..



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**Forever, Lisa** - March 05, 2024 at 12:51 PM

FL

“ Forever, Lisa planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frank “Poncho” Munoz Jr..

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**Forever, Lisa** - March 05, 2024 at 12:51 PM

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“ Though I was very young when I met my extended Munoz family in person, Frank and Lupe left a wonderful impression. Both very good looking with a fun and wonderful persona. Later, we kept in touch via phone and email. Family meant everything to them both. I'm so sorry we didn't get to host Frank on a couple of planned trips out here but there was Facebook. Nothing beats hearing Frank's unique laughter. Rest in peace Frank and know you will never be forgotten. You are now your family's personal Guardian Angel.

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**Angela Perales** - March 05, 2024 at 12:33 PM