



## Frederick A. Rodriguez

March 2, 1946 - March 4, 2022

Frederick A. Rodriguez, age 76, of Crown Point, passed away after years of fighting cancer and other health issues on March 4, 2022 surrounded by his family. He was preceded in death by his parents- Pedro and Mary Rodriguez, his sister Grace Plesner and his brother Eugene Rodriguez. Fred is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Carmen (Rivas) and is lovingly remembered by his daughters: Kimberly Fantin (Craig) and Julie Gorin; Grandchildren - Gianna, Cameron, Dominic, Nevaeh and Luca; Siblings - Pete Rodriguez (Rosie), Gloria Goodman (Don), Debbie Schacknovski (Alan), Ralph Rodriguez (Joi), Claudia Martin(Shawn) and many nieces and nephews. He was born in East Chicago, IN on March 2, 1946 and grew up in East Chicago and Hammond. Fred attended Bishop Noll Institute, graduating in 1965. After high school, Fred enlisted in the United States Army and shortly after became a Hammond Firefighter, where he retired after 35 years of service. He had such a passion for firefighting, hunting, fishing, nature, and had so many stories to tell. Fred made lasting memories with his family and many wonderful friends. Fred and Carmen moved to Crown Point, IN where he enjoyed his retirement spending time with his family and especially his grandchildren. A memorial visitation will be held Thursday, March 24, 2022 from 5 p.m. until the time of the memorial service at 7 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

MAR **24**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

PR

“ Dear brother love and miss you more every day. We had so many fond memories of together that I will never forget. Miss you so much. Bro. Pete

Pete Rodriguez - July 26, 2022 at 10:03 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - March 25, 2022 at 03:43 PM

MG

This was a very nice and well deserved memorial service for Fred. Julie ....you did a wonderful job in capturing and relating the love ....the humor....and the essence of your Dad's life . Great memories..! We all know there is a smile on his face.!

Michael Gorin - March 27, 2022 at 02:13 PM

DS

Missing you more everyday 😭 will see you in heaven . Pray for me.

Debbie Schachnovsky - February 27, 2025 at 02:03 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.*



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March 24, 2022 at 10:23 AM



“ *Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.*



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March 23, 2022 at 09:32 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.*



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March 19, 2022 at 09:28 PM

Rosa  
Guerrero

“ I did not get to spend very much time with Fred while visiting my sister Carmen but when I did I enjoyed his company. He had a personality that made my visits welcoming and loved. I know that Lupe spoke highly of Fred all the time and just the fact that Carmen spent most of her life by his side says a lot to me.

*I wish I could be there with my family during this time but I am always thinking and there in spirit. Family is solid and very important to me and so was Fred because he made my family happy and loved. God Bless You, Rest In Peace.... You Will Suffer No More.*

Love,

Rosa Rivas

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Rosa Guerrero - March 15, 2022 at 01:15 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.



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March 09, 2022 at 06:41 PM

DK

“ For my entire life there was aura about the Rodriguez family- Freddie was a big part of this—my mom told me all the stories when he and his brothers and sisters would come visit on the farm-it was such great memories for my family—whenever I met him he was a true gentleman and I enjoyed our visit—rest well sir..

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David Kozuchowski - March 07, 2022 at 11:32 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.



March 07, 2022 at 06:30 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.



March 07, 2022 at 06:07 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Frederick A. Rodriguez.



March 07, 2022 at 05:16 PM