



Manuel G. Alvarez Sr.

August 6, 1919 - December 13, 2014

Manuel G. Alvarez, Sr. age 95 of St. Petersburg, FL, formerly of Gary, passed away December 13, 2014 in Greenwood, IN. He graduated from high school in Havana, Cuba. He was a veteran of WWII, serving with the U. S. Army, 89th Infantry Division. On 4/4/1945 his army division freed over 20, 000 people from the Nazi concentration camp, Ohrdruf, which was the first concentration camp liberated by the U. S. Army. Manuel retired from U. S. Steel after 45 years as a millwright.

He is survived by his brother – Cesar Alvarez; children – Manuel (Christine) Alvarez, Jr., Robert C. (Lena) Alvarez, Gloria J. Kuchaes and Marie A. (Karl) Lofgren; stepchildren – Emil Garcia, Bonnie (Bill) Bosse and Joe (Joyce) Garcia; 20 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren; 2 great-great grandchildren. Funeral service Thursday, December 18, 2014 at 10 a.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, Rev. Andrew Corona officiating. Entombment in Graceland Cemetery, Valparaiso. Friends are invited to meet with Manuel's family on Wednesday from 2-8 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home. w www.burnsfuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

1505 E. Morthland Drive
Valparaiso, IN 46383

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 17. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point
10101 Broadway
Crown Point, IN 46307
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Funeral

DEC 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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Maria Anita Wright - December 17, 2014 at 04:01 PM

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“ *Maria Anita Wright purchased the Let It Snow for the family of Manuel G. Alvarez Sr..*



Maria Anita Wright - December 17, 2014 at 01:30 PM

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“ *My beloved Tio I have so many wonderful memories of you. I shall cherish them always. I am extending my deepest condolences to all of you during this most difficult time. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you all now and always.*

Love,

Maria Anita



Maria Anita Wright - December 17, 2014 at 01:23 PM

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“ *Joseph Alvarez purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Manuel G. Alvarez Sr..*



Joseph Alvarez - December 17, 2014 at 12:50 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Manuel G. Alvarez Sr..*



December 16, 2014 at 07:04 PM

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“ *We are sorry to read about your loss. We do not like to lose our veterans.*

Johnson County Veterans Affairs

Charles Russell, Director

Lucy Noblitt

Carolyn Russell

Johnson County Veterans Affairs - December 16, 2014 at 07:30 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Manuel G. Alvarez Sr..*



December 15, 2014 at 01:45 PM