



## Ruben Ruiz Sr

February 15, 1957 - April 5, 2025

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Ruben Dario Ruiz Sr., beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and brother, who passed away on April 5, 2025, at the age of 68. Ruben was born on February 15, 1957, in Barranquilla, Colombia, to the late Juan Modesto Ruiz Mejia and Emma Aura Fernandez Morales.

Ruben is survived by his devoted wife of 43 years, Carmen D. Ruiz, and their three children: John Ruiz, Ruben D. Ruiz Jr., and Debora Ruiz. He also leaves behind his four grandchildren: Naomi Brown, Jael Ruiz, Nathaly Ruiz, and John Ruiz Jr., as well as two great-grandchildren, Naliyah and Aven. He was also deeply loved by his siblings: Emma Moreno, Juan Ruiz, Tony Ruiz, Jesus Ruiz, Tito Ruiz, and Fernando Colarte.

Ruben had a fulfilling career managing auto shops, where his hands-on skills and leadership were greatly appreciated. He cherished time spent with his family, bonding over fishing trips, car repairs, and his love of shooting. Ruben was known for his warm and infectious personality. He was a "big teddy bear" with a heart full of love, always ready with a smile, a hug, and a joke to make

everyone laugh. His presence brightened any room, and his sense of humor and kindness will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Ruben was a loving and devoted family man who believed in the importance of togetherness. He will be remembered for his unwavering love, generosity, and the joy he brought to the lives of those around him. His legacy of laughter, love, and strong family bonds will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

In honor of Ruben's wishes, there will be no funeral or memorial service. Instead, we ask that you remember him by spending time with your loved ones, sharing laughs, and cherishing the moments you have together—just as he always did.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Ruben Ruiz Sr.*



April 21, 2025 at 08:16 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ruben Ruiz Sr.*



April 17, 2025 at 03:20 PM



“ *Jose and Amanda Garay purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ruben Ruiz Sr.*



**Jose and Amanda Garay** - April 13, 2025 at 11:18 AM



“ *Esther zuniga purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ruben Ruiz Sr.*



**Esther zuniga** - April 10, 2025 at 07:51 PM

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“ *Callista & Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Ruben Ruiz Sr.*



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**Callista & Family** - April 08, 2025 at 02:03 PM



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**Debora Ruiz** - April 08, 2025 at 09:19 AM