



## Joe Hernandez Sr.

September 18, 1941 - May 4, 2020

Joe Dionicio Hernandez Sr., 78, of El Campo, passed away May 4, 2020. He was born on September 18, 1941 in Yoakum to the late Dionicio and Emilia Gonzalez Hernandez. Joe was owner and operator of Hernandez Nursery for 40 years. He had a passion for plants and beautifying his clients' yards. He was also the owner of Casa Hernandez.

He is survived by his daughter, Rachel Hernandez of El Campo; sons, Stephen Hernandez of El Campo, Joe Hernandez Jr. and wife Esmeralda of San Marcus, Richard Hernandez of El Campo and John Hernandez of Dallas; grandchildren, Elena Hernandez, Amanda Vasquez, Stephen Anthony Hernandez, Gabriela Hernandez, Isabella Hernandez and Xena Hernandez and great-grandchild, Judith Hearne.

Joe was preceded in death by his parents and wife, Isabel Hernandez.

Memorial Mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, September 19 at St. Robert's Catholic Church with the Rev. Philip Brune officiating. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Memorial Park. Due to the CDC guidelines for the pandemic, masks are required at church and seating will be limited.

Honorary pallbearers will be Bobby Perez, John Steelman, Paul Gordon, Blair Couey, Chris Couey, Gerry Couey, Frank Marek and Cotton Street Gang.

Memorial donations in memory of Joe may be made to St. Robert's Catholic Church or Altus Hospice.

Triska Funeral Home, El Campo, 979-543-3681

# Cemetery Details

## Holy Cross Memorial Park

US Hwy 59 and Mechanic St.  
El Campo, TX 77437

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

SEP **19**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Robert's Catholic Church  
512 Tegner St  
El Campo, TX 77437

# Tribute Wall

DS

“ *A very kind and dear friend. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*



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**D and M. Stumer** - May 08, 2020 at 10:53 PM

TF

“ 🙏 *You will be truly missed Mr Joe Hernadez May your soul Rest In Peace* 🙏 *Jose & Tina Fragoso*

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**Teena Fragoso** - May 08, 2020 at 02:54 PM

JF

“ *Julie Strnadel & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.*



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**Julie Strnadel & Family** - May 08, 2020 at 01:45 PM

JS

*Julie Strnadel & Family*

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**Julie Strnadel** - May 08, 2020 at 01:46 PM

GC

“ Gary & Jan Charbula lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



Gary & Jan Charbula - May 08, 2020 at 01:20 PM

DS

“ I remember his smile, and traveling to Delta Downs with him he would always share his joy and the warmth of his smile. I will miss him dearly, my heart goes out to his family

Douglas Sifford - May 08, 2020 at 10:46 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joe Hernandez Sr..



May 08, 2020 at 12:02 AM

GD

“ Our condolences to the family from Gilbert Delgado family

Gilbert Delgado - May 07, 2020 at 11:35 AM

NV

Our sincerely sympathy to the family.

Nelda Vallejo - May 07, 2020 at 09:18 PM

NV

Sincerest

Nelda Vallejo - May 07, 2020 at 09:19 PM

MS

“ I sure am going to miss Joe. Deepest condolences to his family.



Martin Strarup - May 06, 2020 at 06:35 PM

EC

“ To the entire Hernandez Family. I got to know your Dad at the Nursery because your Mom Isabelle and I went to school in Hungerford. He always had the time to talk with me and answered any questions I had about plants. RIP Mr. Joe. Elaine Orsak Cook



Elaine Cook - May 06, 2020 at 02:18 PM

AA

“ Your family is in our thoughts & prayers. ~ Jesse & Aileen Avendano family



Aileen Avendano - May 06, 2020 at 01:34 PM

JS

“ Our Condolences to the Hernandez family Mr Joe was respected and loved by everyone that knew him. May he Rest In Peace.



Jeanette and John Stockton - May 06, 2020 at 11:07 AM

VH

“ Thoughts and prayers to the entire family on the loss of your Father. So many memories of Mr. Hernandez, from the nursery to Casa. Love to all of you.  
Randy and Vicki Hildebrand



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**Vicki Hildebrand** - May 06, 2020 at 10:23 AM

KA

“ So many great memories from the early years when we had our store near y'all's home and nursery on Southside! Loved buying plants from Joe and Steve especially enjoyed times with Joe over a beer! Always loved seeing the family at Casa Hernandez while having great food! We send loving thoughts and prayers to all of the Hernandez family!  
Kathleen and Steve Appling and family

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**Kathleen Appling** - May 06, 2020 at 07:46 AM

PV

“ Pam Vesely lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



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**Pam Vesely** - May 06, 2020 at 04:47 AM

KL

“ Karen Lopez lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



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**Karen Lopez** - May 05, 2020 at 09:47 PM

DP

“ What a great person Mr. Joe was. The stories he shared with me about him and Dad, the questions he’d ask about my family, so much love and concern. I’m going to miss those “talks” at the counter and at the grocery store. Mr. Joe, you hit the JACKPOT!❤️

Denise Prochazka - May 05, 2020 at 09:04 PM

TB

“ Our prayers are with your family. I got to know your dad at the Friday morning masses. I gave him holy medals of the Holy Face of Jesus, Our Lady of the Miraculous medal and one of St. Benedict not at the same time only when he would come to mass and I would be praying a novena at that time. He seemed happy to take them. He has received total healing in Jesus. May he Rest In Peace and may the perpetual light shine shine upon him. Augie & Terri Beltran



Terri Beltran - May 05, 2020 at 07:50 PM

PD

“ Patricia Dybala lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



Patricia Dybala - May 05, 2020 at 06:52 PM

DH

“ Donald And Jean Henderson lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



Donald and Jean Henderson - May 05, 2020 at 05:56 PM

KA

“ Kari lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



kari - May 05, 2020 at 05:51 PM

SK

“ Sandra Kaluza lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



Sandra Kaluza - May 05, 2020 at 05:35 PM

AC

*My condolences to. the Hernandez family Joe is now with his beloved wife celebrateing his coming home Rip Mr.Hernandez Sr.*

Anita Contreras - May 05, 2020 at 06:59 PM

MM

“ Mike & Olga Molina lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



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**Mike & Olga Molina** - May 05, 2020 at 05:23 PM

JS

“ John And Jeanette Stockton lit a candle in memory of Joe Hernandez Sr.



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**John and Jeanette Stockton** - May 05, 2020 at 05:09 PM