



Juan Melendez

July 5, 1921 - December 8, 2010

Mr. Juan Melendez, age 89, of Utica, passed away on Wednesday, December 8, 2010 at the St. Elizabeth Medical Center with his loving family by his side. Born in Puerto Rico on July 5, 1921, Juan was the son of the late Carlos Melendez and Carmela Sepulveda. He was raised and educated in Puerto Rico. He shared a loving union with Altagracia Sepulveda.

Juan is survived by his wife, Altagracia; his sons and daughters-in-law, Alberto and Emma Melendez, and Roberto and Julia Melendez; his grandchildren, Nilsa, Roberto, Jr., Billy, Edwin, Joel, Andy, and Darwin; and his 12 great-grandchildren. Survivors also include his sister, Antonia; 2 brothers; many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, in-laws, and a multitude of dear friends.

Visitation will be held Tuesday from 4:00-6:00 at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Juan's funeral service and Celebration of Life will commence on Tuesday evening at 6:00 at the funeral home immediately upon conclusion of visitation, with Rev. John Buehler officiating. Interment will take place in St. Agnes Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Cemetery Details

St. Agnes Cemetery

601 Arthur Street
Utica, NY 13501
(315) 732-8588

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 14. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Eannace Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Juan Melendez



Eannace Funeral Home, Inc. - December 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ I was blessed to be able to meet him thru Emma and his grandsons Darwin n Andy taking me puerto rico on vacation the summer of "96" where i stayed with him and his wife for about 3 wks and it was the best time of my life. He was the most polite, respectable, religious, fun, family oriented man i have ever met he made me feel like family and that i was right at home. When he came to NY and i saw him again after so many yrs passing he knew exactly who i was and that made me feel like a million bucks spite his illness he still remembered my face! I know this is a sad time and he will be missed but keep in mind he is in a much better place a place they say the streets are paved in gold. I will be praying for comfort for you all in the days to come and i leave you with this Weeping May Endure For A Night But Joy Will Come In The Morning Light.....LOVE YOU!

Gerald Graham - December 13, 2010 at 11:37 AM

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“ *En el tiempo que lo conocí, me llenó de mucha alegría. Él fue un señor muy alegre y hacía reír a todos. Siempre lo llevaré en mi corazón. Que Dios te bendiga y que descanse en paz. Te queremos y te vamos a extrañar mucho.*

Muniz Marlene - December 10, 2010 at 02:08 PM

GJ

“ •*Nimel Melz: Mi abuelo:*
Un hombre íntegro lleno de bondad y amor, respetuoso, generoso, muy trabajador y protector de su familia. Vivió con una alegría que contagiaba a todos los que estaban a su alrededor, haciendo olvidar los momentos difíciles. Aprendimos de él, que no hay problemas en la vida si no, solo situaciones que siempre tienen solución. Vivió cada día como si fuera el último, brindando siempre lo mejor de él, haciendo el bien sin esperar nada a cambio. Amo su tierra, en la cual sembraba para cultivar alimentos y los compartía con los demás. Su más grande pasión era por la música, él tocaba diferentes instrumentos el cuatro, la guitarra, el guiro, las maracas, la simfonía entre otros...
Abuelo, nos has dejado un legado invaluable, "Nunca te olvidaremos", te recordaremos como siempre fuiste alegre, sencillo, humilde, amoroso.
"TE AMAREMOS POR SIEMPRE", DESCANSA EN PAZ, BESOS Y ABRAZOS PARA TI...

Gianna Joseph - December 10, 2010 at 11:45 AM