



## Hernandez "Pete" Anthony Perez Jr.

December 22, 2024

Hernandez "Pete" Anthony Perez, Jr. was born May 29th, 1933 in New Orleans, LA, the son of Hernandez Anthony Perez, Sr. and Leonora Duplessis Perez. His spirit left this earth on December 22nd, 2024, in Houston, TX, where he relocated to in July of 2024. He married Barbara L. Colburn on March 18th, 1961, and they had four loving children. Pete was affectionately referred to as Brother by his siblings and Uncle Brother or Uncle Pete by his nieces and nephews. He joined the United States Air Force as a young man and retired as a Master Sergeant. He then began a new career in the banking industry and retired as Vice President and manager of the Real Estate Appraisal Department at the First National Bank of Commerce in New Orleans. Pete, fondly known as Paw Paw, loved spending time with his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. He also enjoyed playing poker at casinos. Texas Hold-Em was his favorite game. Pete was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Barbara Lavinia Perez, one brother, Ricardo Perez, three sisters Ramona Frank, Wanda Gordon, and Lolita Dufauchard. He is survived by his sister, Manuela Fancher, daughters, Carlotta Perez-Minor (Anthony Minor), Valerie Perez, Victoria Stoneking (Isaac Stoneking), and son Anthony Perez (Baraka Perez), grandchildren, Gabrielle Evans, Matthew Evans, Jason Augusta (Gem Morales), Miles Perez, Riley Perez and Gabrielle Stoneking, great grandchildren, Grant Evans, Grace Schmidt, and Giselle Schmidt, as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and dear friends.

Memorial service will be held on Friday, January 10th, 2025, at St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church, 455 Ames Blvd., Marrero, LA 70072. Rosary will begin at 9:00am, followed by Tribute with Mass starting at 10:00am. Stream live at [www.youtube.com/@st.josephtheworkercatholic3091](http://www.youtube.com/@st.josephtheworkercatholic3091) Repast to follow burial at hall next to the church. In lieu of flowers please donate in Hernandez's name to Soldiers' Angels at <https://soldiersangels.org>. Interment: St. Louis #3 Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to Duplain W. Rhodes Funeral Home, 1020 Virgil Street, Gretna, LA 70053.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Louis #3 Cemetery

3421 Esplanade Ave  
New Orleans, LA 70119

# Previous Events

## Recitation of the Rosary

JAN 10. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church  
455 Ames Blvd  
Marrero, LA 70072

## Memorial Service

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