



Jacinto Cantu

May 12, 1969 - November 22, 2025

Jacinto Cantu, beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and friend, passed away on November 22, 2025, in Modesto, California. Born on May 12, 1969, in Patterson, California, he moved to Turlock at the age of 13, where he would spend the remainder of his life.

Jacinto dedicated over two decades of his career to Sam's Grocery in Patterson as a respected butcher. Jacinto met the love of his life, Irene, when they were 14 years old. On April 7, 2007, the two were married in Merced, California, marking the beginning of a loving partnership of 42 years.

Jacinto loved cruising the West Side of Turlock, riding his bike, and hosting BBQs. Music was a constant presence in his life, and he enjoyed yard work. Jacinto cherished time spent with his family above all, and he looked forward to his casino dates with Irene.

Jacinto is survived by his wife, Irene Cantu; son, Jacinto Junior Cantu; daughter, Roseanna Marie Cantu; grandchildren, Joanna J. Cantu, Xavior J. Cantu, Linah L. Cantu, Milah L. Cantu, Elicio J. Cantu, and Jonathan Ceballos Jr.; great-grandson, Andrew J. Oñate; daughter-in-law, Lupe Cantu; and sisters, Angelica Rivas and Sylvia Cantu Aguilar. He was preceded in death by his parents, Beatriz and Guadalupe Cantu, and his siblings, Ralph, Gloria, Wally, Arnulfo DeLeon, Israel DeLeon, Roy, Javier, Alejandro, Joe, and Benny

Cantu.

A visitation will be held on December 3, 2025, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m., followed by a rosary from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Turlock Funeral Home. A funeral service is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. on December 4, 2025, at Turlock Funeral Home, with burial to follow at Turlock Memorial Park. Jacinto's presence will be deeply missed, but his legacy will continue to live on through his family.

Cemetery Details

Turlock Memorial Park

575 N. Soderquist Rd.
Turlock, CA 95380
(209) 632-9111
<http://turlockmemorialpark.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 3. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
(209) 632-9111
<https://turlockfuneralhome.com>

Recitation of the Rosary

DEC 3. 6:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
(209) 632-9111
<https://turlockfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

DEC 4. 11:30 AM (PT)

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Interment following Funeral Service

DEC 4. 12:30 PM (PT)

Turlock Memorial Park
575 N Soderquist Rd
Turlock, CA 95380-3749
(209) 632-9111

Tribute Wall



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Jacinto Cantu.* ”



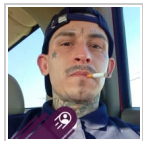
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“ *me and chinto go way back he has always been family to me rip carnal* ”



Domingo Martinez - December 02, 2025 at 11:03 AM



“ *Love u Tío Chinto. U will be missed til we meet again.* ”



Nico Martinez - December 01, 2025 at 10:47 PM