

Obituary

Johnny Torres, a devoted construction worker and truck driver, passed away on September 23, 2025, in Lubbock, Texas. Born on January 25, 1946, in Waco, Texas, Johnny was known for his hard work, outspoken nature, and endearing sense of humor that always brought laughter to those around him.

Throughout his life, Johnny dedicated himself to his career, embodying the spirit of diligence and commitment. He was a steadfast provider for his family and friends, a role he cherished and fulfilled with pride. His contributions to the construction industry and his time behind the wheel as a truck driver reflect not only a strong work ethic, but also a genuine love for the tasks he undertook.

Johnny leaves behind a loving family. He is survived by his sons, John Jr. and Christopher Lee Torres, who is married to Shastity; and daughters, Veronica Zavala, who is married to David, Jessica Urrutia, who is married to Saul, and Apolonia Torres, who is engaged to Robert Puente. Johnny enjoyed the blessing of 18 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren, all of whom were a significant part of his life and brought him immense joy.

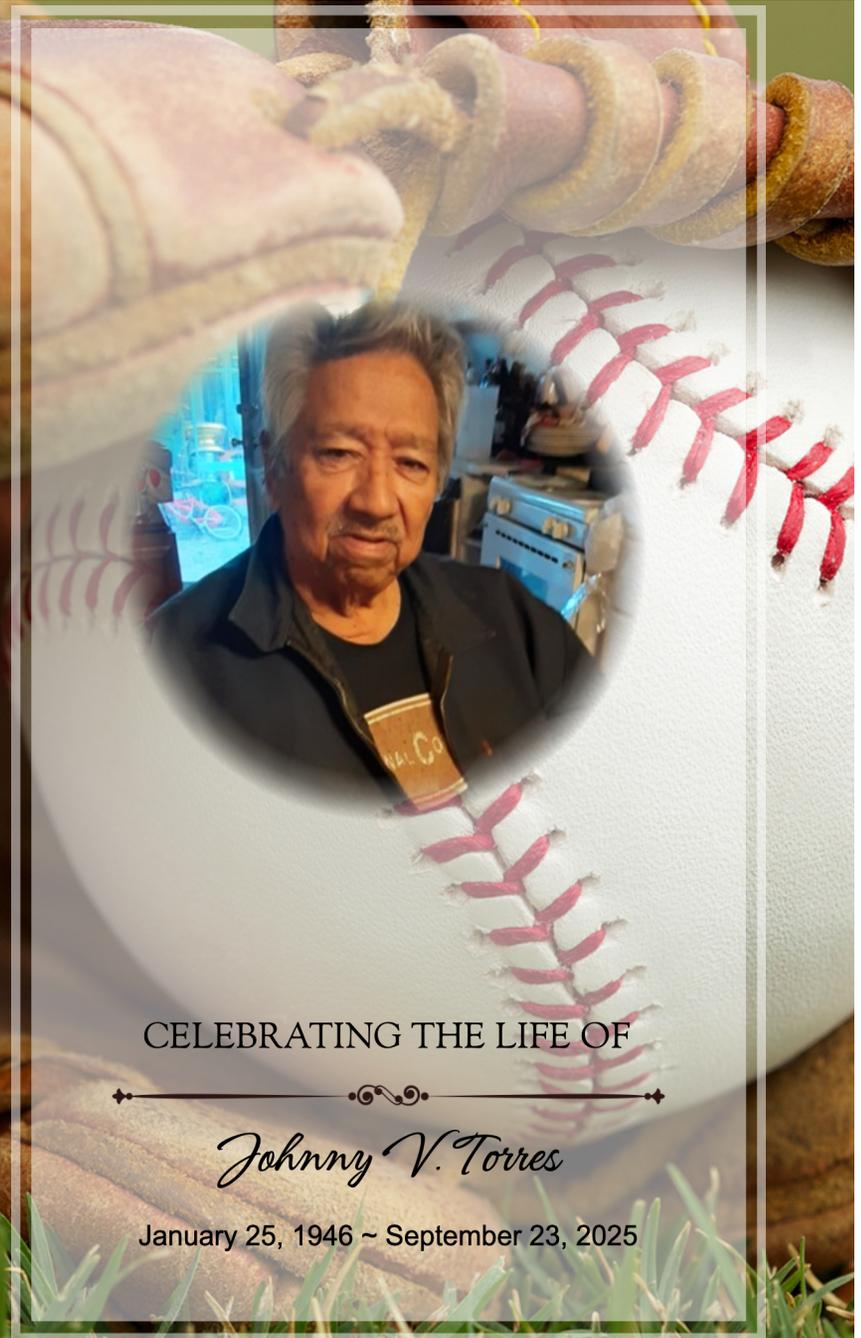
He is also survived by his brothers, Juan and Henry Torres, both residing in Lubbock, and his sisters, Romana Martinez of Dallas, and Yolanda Sanchez of Lubbock. Johnny shared countless memories with his family, enriched by the bonds of love and support that defined their relationships.

He joins in eternal rest with loved ones who have preceded him, including his beloved wife, Elidia Torres; daughter, Priscilla Moreno; grandsons, Noah David Zavala and Ivan Lee Torres; brothers, Abraham and Martin Torres; sisters, Beatrice Godinez and Nicholasa Valdez; as well as his parents, Apolonia and Valerino Torres.

In a testament to his impact on those he loved, he will be lovingly honored by his pallbearers—his grandsons: Johnny Torres III, Justin Torres, Greg Torres, Christopher Jr., Damion Torres, and Gabriel Valdez.

Johnny Torres will be deeply missed, but his enduring spirit and the memories created with family and friends will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

Johnny's legacy will be honored during visitation on September 29, 2025, from 3:00 PM to 9:00 PM at Guajardo Funeral Chapels, located at 407 N University Ave, Lubbock, TX. A funeral service will follow on September 30, 2025, at 10:00 AM, also at Guajardo Funeral Chapels, with burial to follow at Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park in Woodrow, TX.



CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Johnny V. Torres

January 25, 1946 ~ September 23, 2025

One night I had a dream.

I was walking along the beach with the Lord,
and across the skies flashed scenes of my life.

In each scene I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand.

One was mine, and the one was the Lord's.

When the last scene of my life appeared before me,
I looked back at the footprints in the sand, and to my surprise,
I noticed that many times along the path of my life
there was only one set of footprints.
And I noticed that it was at the lowest and saddest times in
my life.

I asked the Lord about it.

"Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you,
you would walk with me all the way.

But I noticed that during the most troublesome times in my
life
there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why you
left my side when I needed you most."

The Lord replied, "My precious child, I love you and would
never leave you.

During your times of trial and suffering, where you see only
one set of footprints,
I was carrying you."

In Memory Of

Johnny V. Torres

Entered Into Life

January 25, 1946

Entered Into Rest

September 23, 2025

Funeral Services

10:00 AM, September 30, 2025

Guajardo Funeral Chapel

Lubbock, Texas

Officiating

Gyl Gutierrez

Bearers

Johnny Torres III

Christopher Torres Jr.

Gregory Torres

Justin Torres

Damion Torres

Gabriel Valdez

Interment

Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park