



Adolfo Jose Villagomez

April 23, 1953 - May 28, 2026

Adolfo Jose Villagomez, age 73, of Kankakee passed away Thursday, May 28, 2026 at his home surrounded by his family. He was born April 23, 1953 in Guanajuato, Mexico, the son of Nicholas Villagomez & Elena Corona. Adolfo married Cheryl Villagomez. She preceded him in death on March 9, 2023, after 50 years of marriage.

Adolfo retired from the park district in Homewood. He enjoyed fishing and cooking out. Most of all, Adolfo loved spending time and making memories with his family and friends.

Surviving are one stepson, Ronald Ownbey; three sisters, Ofelia Villagomez of Kankakee, Alicia Villagomez (Pedro Avalos) of Mexico, and Irma (Carlos) Villagomez of Kankakee; two brothers, Eliseo (Martha) Villagomez of Kankakee and Martha Villagomez (Jaime Delgado) of Mexico; and many nieces and nephews. In addition to his wife, Cheryl Villagomez, Adolfo is preceded in death by his parents and one son, Joe Villagomez.

Visitation will be held from 8:30-10:15 a.m. on Monday, June 1, 2026 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. on Monday at St. John Paul II-West Campus. Interment will follow at Kankakee Memorial Gardens in Aroma Township. Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

Cemetery Details

Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 S. 3000 E. Rd.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 8:30 AM - 10:15 AM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
1480 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Mass

JUN 1. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. John Paul II - West Campus
953 South 9th Avenue
Kankakee, IL 60901

Tribute Wall

NW

“ Adolfo era una de las personas más trabajadoras que conocía y muy dulce. Él era nuestro gurú de la jardinería... siempre tenía nada más que palabras amables cuando hablábamos. Me alegré de haber hablado con él una vez más por teléfono. Muchos lo echarán mucho de menos. Qué corazón tan increíble. El cielo seguramente ganó otro ángel. Descansa en paz, amigo mío. También nuestras más profundas condolencias a la familia. Todos ustedes están en nuestras oraciones.

Nicole Windsor - May 30 at 12:30 PM

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“ I will miss you Adolfo so much!!! Adolfo was the kindest man he would do anything for you, he would give you the shirt off his back!! Adolfo would go every mother's day and get his family & friends flowers. Every summer he would go buy watermelons & other fruits & corn on the cob & give it to his family & friends!! Adolfo & I would go out to lunch alot & we would fight over the bill, he would always say the man is supposed to pay! So half the time I would tell the waitress to give me the bill. I'm going to miss our lunches & out talks!! I use to make him laugh so much he would tell me to stop because he was laughing so much he would say his stomach hurt. Adolfo said i was his gardening angel!! But i told him he was my gardening angel!! So now her is with his wife Cheryl & their son Joey & his parents. I'm so glad I got to know Adolfo!!! When I frist me Adolfo I would always ask Cheryl what he was saying. Then I got to be able to understand stand him pretty much but I would also tell him his English sucked& he would laugh at me! Adolfo was a very hard working man!! But Adolfo was so very sweet!!!! I'm going to miss you so much Adolfo!!!!

Sherrie Cass - May 29 at 12:37 PM

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“ *My sincere prayers and condolences to the family for the loss of your love one*

Eloise Edwards - May 29 at 04:45 AM

DS

“ *Denise And Marvin Schrum lit a candle in memory of Adolfo Jose Villagomez*



Denise and Marvin Schrum - May 28 at 04:46 PM

DS

Cheryl and Adolpho were our good friends,we moved to Mississippi,he gave us a beautiful fig tree,I will remember them when I look at it.

Denise and Marvin Schrum - May 28 at 04:50 PM

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Thankyou for beautiful memories.

Denise and Marvin Schrum - May 28 at 04:51 PM