



Luis Tinajero Alvarez

May 20, 1941 - January 23, 2022

Luis Tinajero Alvarez, age 80, of Chicago passed away Sunday, January 23, 2022 at Weiss Hospital in Chicago. He was born May 20, 1941 in Guadalajara, Mexico, the son of Jose Guadalupe Tinajero & Maria Alvarez. Luis married Maria de Jesus Olivarez Nuno on November 21, 1975 in Zapotlanejo Jalisco, Mexico.

Luis worked various jobs in Agriculture and Landscaping. He became a Foreman for shipping/receiving at a Cold Storage Facility. Luis enjoyed his time as a union steward and loved defending the rights of fellow workers. He loved to talk with anyone. Luis enjoyed riding his bike to the local park and playing tennis. He loved keeping his community clean. His lawn was always well kept, and he helped his neighbors keep up their lawns as well. Luis enjoyed gardening fruits and vegetables, tinkering, and learning different trades. He used his skill and labor to help others as much as possible. Luis loved to eat. If he had a craving for a certain food, he would always make it. He also had a sweet tooth. Most of all, Luis adored his grandchildren.

He was a parishioner of the Holy Cross Immaculate Heart of Mary in Chicago. Surviving are his wife of 47 years, Maria of Chicago; one son, Luis Tinajero Jr. of Chicago; two daughters, Cecilia Tinajero of Chicago and Irma Tinajero & Alvara Quezada of Kankakee; two grandchildren, Mario Reyes and Xavier Reyes; five sisters, Maria del Rosario Tinajero, Leticia Tinajero, Graciela Tinajero, Maria del Carmen Tinajero, and Teresa Tinajero; four brothers, Jose Tinajero, Ruben Tinajero, Salvador Tinajero, and Rafael Tinajero; and several

nieces, nephews, and cousins. Luis is preceded in death by his parents; grandparents; two sisters, Sara Tinajero and Maria Guadalupe Tinajero; and two brothers, Jesus Tinajero and Ramon Tinajero.

Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. on Friday, February 4, 2022 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 1 p.m. on Friday at St. John Paul II Catholic Church-West Campus. Interment will follow at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-2342

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 4. 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

FEB 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ Garden Accent Stone - *"Wherever a Beautiful Soul..."* was purchased for the family of Luis Tinajero Alvarez.



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“ Garden Accent Stone - *"Our Family Chain Is Broken"* was purchased for the family of Luis Tinajero Alvarez.



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“ *Mi mas sentido pésame para toda tu familia, Irma. Deseo sientan tranquilidad en su alma sabiendo que Don Luis ahora descansa en Paz y que él vivirá por siempre en su corazón.*



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