



## Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez

July 21, 1968 - January 24, 2019

Lawrence "Larry" Michael Vasquez, 50, passed away peacefully on January 24, 2019 at home surrounded by his family and friends after a long, hard fought battle with cancer.

Larry was a lifelong resident of Moses Lake and was born on July 21, 1968 in Moses Lake, WA to his loving parents Juan and Josie Barrientoz. He graduated from Moses Lake High School in 1986.

Larry married Barbara Nelson in July of 1998. They welcomed their Princess, Hannah Jean, in July of 1999 and their Champ, Kaeden Michael, in February of 2002. Larry loved being their father and coached his kid's baseball team for many years. He will always be their biggest fan.

Larry had a great love for sports, especially baseball. He was involved in coaching kids locally for many years. He enjoyed playing sports throughout his life including playing softball with his brothers. He was an avid sports fan especially when it came to the New York Giants and the Mariners. His other passions were golfing and playing poker. Larry enjoyed life and loved spending time with his family and friends.

Larry met Margie Milbrandt in October of 2016. He loved spending time with her and playing golf together. He was blessed to have her in his life and she never left his side through the hard times. She was truly his Angel.

Larry had an infectious smile and could light up a room with it. He wore that smile throughout his fight. He would make friends everywhere he went and once you were his friend, you were family. He was very appreciative of those

friends that were by his side the last 18 months.

He is survived by his parents Juan and Josie Barrientoz, his girlfriend Margie Milbrandt, his children Hannah and Kaeden and step-daughter Jaimee (Jaime) Castro, his brothers Dion Vasquez, Johnny (Rachel) Barrientoz, Thomas (Alyce) Barrientoz, and Fabian (Mariana) Barrientoz, his sisters Juanita, Terri and Ann, and close cousins Sandy Greer, Artie Vasquez, Jeff Vasquez, Kino Diaz and Yomeida Treviño, along with many nieces and nephews, cousins and Aunts and Uncles.

He is preceded in death by his Grandmother Aurelia Vasquez and his close friend Travis Scothern.

The family would like to give a special thank you to Dr. Luther Thompson and his kind and caring staff and to Assured Hospice for all their support.

A Rosary and Mass will begin at 9:30am on Wednesday, January 30, 2019 at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church.

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 30. 9:30 AM (PT)

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church (Holy Rosary)  
200 North Dale Road  
Moses Lake, WA

# Tribute Wall

FB

“ My big brother, I miss you. So many memories I can share. My favorite was when you took me to see my Idol John Elway! I still remember the moment when you showed me the tickets and I about fell over in shock! I remember saying over and over, “really Larry really!!! And you had the biggest smile ever and said Ya!!!

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**Fabian Barrientoz** - January 05, 2021 at 05:45 PM

JO

“ I went to school with Larry. He was always a gentleman and he was never cruel and rude to me as so many kids were growing up in Moses Lake. I'm pretty sure he thought I was weird but he never said anything mean and I always remember those few people who showed kindness to those of us who did not fit into any of the cliques or social circles. Larry's smile was the kind of smile that truly lit up a room once he walked in. I was really sad seeing this obituary and I would like to tell his family that Larry truly will be missed by even those who never got to know him personally. I pray for all of you and ask that Jesus bring comfort and blessing to each of your during this time of loss. God bless you all.  
Love Julie Ornelas (Rogers)

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**Julie Ornelas** - March 05, 2019 at 02:43 AM

RF

“ Larry was a great coach and was helpful to all the boys, he was appreciated. Hannah, Kaden our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Ron Welch Family** - February 24, 2019 at 03:12 PM

Lee N  
Julia  
Mease

“ Lee N Julia Mease lit a candle in memory of  
Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Lee N Julia Mease - January 31, 2019 at 01:37 PM

RF

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Ramona Fullerton - January 30, 2019 at 01:49 AM

LB

“ Leeann Baldwin lit a candle in memory of  
Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Leeann Baldwin - January 30, 2019 at 01:32 AM

MC

“ I have worked with Larry many years ago ago  
at Sunspiced in moses lake , even back then  
he was always a man with a smile and a  
laugh . Prayers with his family



Mike Cullinan - January 29, 2019 at 07:14 PM



“ *Ron Washburn lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez*



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**Ron Washburn** - January 29, 2019 at 04:49 PM

 Lori Noyola

“ *Lori Noyola lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez*



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**Lori Noyola** - January 29, 2019 at 12:31 PM

 Lori Noyola

“ *The Gonzalez family would like to give there condolences to the Vasquez family .he is up there right now with Marc and all his friends that we have also lost to early in life .rip Larry you will be truly missed by so many of us .not good buy but until went again.respectfully yours , the Gonzalez family*

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**Lori Noyola** - January 29, 2019 at 12:30 PM

LK

“ Barb, Hannah & Kaden,  
My heart goes out to you for the sadness you are feeling. we always hear "he's in a better place", but we don't want them in a better place we want them sitting right beside us.  
He is still there and always will be, watching over you.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you.

*Lots of love,*

*Lori Kinzel*

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**Lori Kinzel** - January 29, 2019 at 11:13 AM

VO

“ Barbara and kids, I'm so sorry for your loss. I didn't know him but I can see his smile would light up a room. Now that light shines down upon you from heaven. <3

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**Virginia Olsen** - January 29, 2019 at 09:09 AM

BV

“ Thanks to everyone for their love and support. Larry was an amazing dad and great friend. We are going to miss him so very much.

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**Barbara Vasquez** - January 29, 2019 at 01:57 AM

KC

“ Kim Clark lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



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**Kim Clark** - January 29, 2019 at 12:58 AM

KW

“ *Wherever you found Larry, you found his infectious smile. RIP Larry.*



Kristine Worley - January 29, 2019 at 12:50 AM



“ *Michael Keeling lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez*



Michael Keeling - January 29, 2019 at 12:29 AM

KG

“ *Kyleigh Gamez lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez*



Kyleigh Gamez - January 29, 2019 at 12:26 AM

JP

“ *Jennifer Proffitt lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez*



Jennifer Proffitt - January 29, 2019 at 12:18 AM

WW

“ William Witthuhn lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



William Witthuhn - January 28, 2019 at 11:57 PM

RG

“ Robin Fazende Goude lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Robin Fazende Goude - January 28, 2019 at 11:34 PM

SP

“ Sperline's lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Sperline's - January 28, 2019 at 10:28 PM

 Roni Hoffman-Smith

“ Roni Hoffman-Smith lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Roni Hoffman-Smith - January 28, 2019 at 09:19 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Rest in Peace Larry. I must say his smile was 1 in a million, I will never forget it. Memories last a lifetime. ❤️  
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**Billie Martin Vinson** - January 28, 2019 at 08:50 PM



“ Michelle DeLaRosa lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



**Michelle DeLaRosa** - January 28, 2019 at 06:49 PM



“ Prayers for all who loved Larry. RIP peacefully my friend.

**Brandi Swanson** - January 28, 2019 at 06:39 PM



“ Regina Hovgaard lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



**Regina Hovgaard** - January 28, 2019 at 06:10 PM



“ MLI lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



**MLI** - January 28, 2019 at 05:55 PM

KP

“ Kimberlee Poole lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Kimberlee Poole - January 28, 2019 at 04:57 PM

MO

“ Condolences to his family and his children. We will always remember his sense of humor and his smile.

monica - January 28, 2019 at 04:11 PM



“ Nadine Svopa lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Nadine Svopa - January 28, 2019 at 03:34 PM

DT

“ im so sorry for your guys gals loss he was a great freind



darrell templeton - January 28, 2019 at 03:32 PM

MB

“ Michelle Guzman Boundy lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



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**Michelle Guzman Boundy** - January 28, 2019 at 02:56 PM

TG

“ My husband and I both from Moses lake came into town one day a few years back. Larry was chillin at what use to be lake bowl. When he saw us come in he jumped up and greeted us with that million dollar smile and we sat and talked about how things were going for all of us. It was really nice to visit like we never had a gap in time. You will be missed and have left a wonderful permanent impact on your classmates, friend, family and community. You are an angel watching over us all.



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**tina (gripp) grassl** - January 28, 2019 at 02:53 PM

SL

“ Sandy Lopez lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



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**Sandy Lopez** - January 28, 2019 at 02:49 PM

MM

“ Margie Milbrandt lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Margie Milbrandt - January 28, 2019 at 02:41 PM

CT

“ Charla Tapio lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Charla Tapio - January 28, 2019 at 11:30 AM

SI

“ Sissy sent a virtual gift in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Sissy - January 28, 2019 at 12:56 AM

SI

“ Sissy lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Sissy - January 28, 2019 at 12:54 AM

TG

“ Todd & Marina Garry lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "Larry" Vasquez



Todd & Marina Garry - January 25, 2019 at 10:10 PM

CF

“ For Margie & All of Larry's Family & Friends,

All of us at Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation were so very sorry to hear that Larry has passed away....he fought his battle with so much courage and determination! Cancer is such a dreadful disease....I hope it is some comfort to you that he is at peace now, & doesn't have to struggle or suffer anymore. We are keeping you in our thoughts & prayers!



Jean Copley, Patient Services Coordinator  
Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation  
1031 W. Broadway Ave  
Moses Lake, WA 98837  
(509) 764-4644

Columbia Basin Cancer Foundation - January 25, 2019 at 05:22 PM

MC

“ Sending our heartfelt condolences to all Larry's family ,and friend's your in our thoughts and prayers we are so very sorry for your great loss. LORD JESUS comfort your broken hearts. Sending you each hugs . ❤️ 🙏 🎈 🌹 From Johnnie ,and Mari Lu Cedillo

MaaryLou Cedillo - January 25, 2019 at 04:06 PM