



Luis Antonio Martinez II

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In Loving Memory of Luis Antonio Martinez II
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Luis Antonio Martinez II, a devoted father, husband, son, and brother, passed away leaving behind a legacy of profound love and dedication to his family. Born on December 19, 1986, in Richland, WA, to Luis A. and Lorena G. Martinez, Luis was the eldest of five sons. He set a powerful example for his younger brothers—Joel, Eric, Alex, and Nick—through his work ethic, his character, and his heart.

Luis grew up in Warden, WA, but his heart was always split between the Pacific Northwest and the family homestead in Los Angeles, Nuevo Leon, Mexico. A proud Warden Cougar, Luis excelled in every arena. He was a perennial Honor Roll student and a standout athlete, earning All-League Honors in football and contributing to the legendary four-time State Championship wrestling team. After graduating from Warden High School in 2005, Luis attended the University of Washington. There, he became a brother of the Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity and earned a Bachelor's Degree in Economics.

While his accolades were many, Luis's greatest achievement began in the halls of Warden High School, where he met his high school sweetheart and

the love of his life, Yajaira J. Martinez. Their bond blossomed into a beautiful marriage on December 26, 2009, at the Iglesia Catolica Cristo Rey in Los Angeles, Nuevo Leon, surrounded by the family and friends who meant everything to them.

Luis and Yajaira eventually settled in Bellingham, WA, to raise their family. Luis's children were his entire world. He was a father who led with love, ensuring his children—Luis Alexander (8) and Alessandra Jasmine (6)—knew they were his priority above all else. Though they endured the heartbreaking loss of their infant daughter, Alexis Montserrat, in 2016, their strength as parents only grew.

Beyond his own home, Luis was a proud godfather and a deeply cherished uncle. He took these roles to heart, offering guidance and love to the next generation of the Martinez family. The family were faithful members of the Catholic Church of the Assumption in Bellingham and remained deeply connected to the Queen of All Saints parish in Warden. They were a family of tradition—spending Christmases in Mexico with relatives and making frequent trips to Disneyland. These trips were never just about the destination; they were about bringing siblings and adjoining families together so that their children and nieces/nephews could all enjoy time together as cousins.

Luis was a man who couldn't stay away from his loved ones for long. Whether he was visiting friends in his hometown or traveling across borders to see family, his presence brought a sense of stability and warmth. He and Yajaira were the ultimate example of what caring, loving parents should be. While he is no longer with us, his children will feel his love every day of their lives, and his memory will be carried forward by his parents, his four brothers, and the countless lives he touched with his strength and kindness.

Arrangements are under the care of Kayser's Chapel of Memories.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Gardens

9934 Road U SE
Warden, WA

Previous Events

Rosary

MAR 19. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (PT)

Queen of All Saints Catholic Church
1100 S. Pine
Warden, WA

Mass

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ayda Flores lit a candle in memory of Luis Martinez*



Ayda Flores - March 18 at 12:44 AM