



## Thomas George Herrera

December 14, 1959 - February 25, 2021

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With deepest sorrow, we announce that our beloved brother and uncle, Thomas George Herrera, 61, passed from his earthly home into God's heavenly kingdom. He was known as 'Tommy' by family, friends and acquaintances.

Tommy was born on December 14, 1959, in Kansas City, MO., to his beautiful mother Candelaria and loving father Alphonse Herrera, both of whom welcomed Tommy into his heavenly home.

Tommy was also preceded in death by our cherished sister Rebecca Herrera, and precious nieces Jennifer Herrera and Veronica Rios. He is survived by two amazing sisters, Rose Mary Frias (Rick), and Alice Devine (JW). Also surviving Tommy are four awesome brothers, Michael, Andrew, Ed (Margaret), and John (Yvette). He is also survived by his many loving and favorite nieces and nephews, a special great-niece, and several adorable great-nephews.

Tommy graduated from Westport High School in 1978. He worked in retail and in the food industry most of his life. Tommy was a person of many passions. He easily made friends and often struck-up conversations with strangers, enjoyed music of all genres, and watching old movies. He disliked cats, hated waiting in line, and would often cut in front of others. Tommy was a foodie and enjoyed dining out.

Tommy often concluded his conversations and phone calls with, 'I love you; God bless you,' His joyful outlook on life and positive vibe was infectious. He had the biggest heart and greeted everyone with his signature beautiful smile.

We would like to recognize and express our thanks and appreciation to our brother Michael Herrera.

Due to Covid, we plan to celebrate Tommy's life at a memorial service to be held at a later date. He was loved very much and is tremendously missed.

We request that instead of flowers and plants, which Tom disliked, please do an unexpected and unsolicited act of kindness, wave or say hello to a stranger, and remember to smile.

# Comments

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“ I was sadden by hearing the news about Tom passing away. Tom was a caring and very polite man. When ever I did run into Tom, he would always ask about the well being of everyone in my family. I speak for my family and my in-laws ( The Garcia's / "Rudy's Tenampa") he will be missed, but I know Tom is in a far better place now!

Our thoughts and payers are with the entire Herrera Family.

Carlos Aragon, and the entire Aragon Family.  
Gladstone, Missouri

**Carlos M Aragon** - March 15 at 11:12 AM

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“ To Rose Mary, Alice, Mike, Andrew, Ed, John and families. Tommy was truly a kind and compassionate person. May he rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

**Tom Faber** - March 08 at 10:07 AM

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“ Tommy, you truly will be missed. I have always thought highly of you & had the most profound respect for you. You have always treated me, your niece Anjelica & your nephew Alex and greatnephew, Angelo with kindness, respect & love. You are as real as they get. There wasn't any fake, phony nor pretense about you. You've always greeted us with you infectious smile and we enjoyed your jovial laughter. You were so gracious you even treated your enemies with kindness. And that's because you were a Class Act. Not many of you are left with those qualities. So genuine, you were a testament to your Catholic faith. So generous and kind, you would give your last cent to help someone who was in need, no questions asked. My deceased brother, Michael Ramirez, enjoyed the great times hanging out with you back in the day... And I believe you & Michael are making up for lost fun crazy times!

You may be gone but will never be forgotten...

Praise God for taking His son, Thomas, home where he deserved his place to live in Paradise.

You are a Class Act.

Love in Jesus Christ,  
Gloria L. Ramirez

**Gloria Ramirez** - March 05 at 07:07 PM

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**Alice** - March 04 at 08:57 PM

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“ I have so many happy childhood memories of family gatherings and you taking all of us kids to the park, Uncle Tommy. You had the kindest disposition and smile. You were always quick to ask how we were doing and as so many others have noted, ended our conversations w “God Bless and you take care, okay.” You are missed and loved. Big hugs to all of the Herrera family.

**Staci Blair** - March 04 at 07:14 PM

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“ I love and miss you, Tommy. I will always remember and cherish the time we had together, especially from our childhood years and the mischief we got into. From JW, ‘ It was an honor and privilege to have you for a BIL.’

May you rest in eternal, heavenly peace. Until we are united, I will think of you every day, and smile.

**Alice & JW** - March 04 at 03:19 PM



“ I'll always remember dancing with you Tommy back in the day at a club... your beautiful smile and sweet way of always looking out for your cousins will be remembered... heaven has gained another Angel...be at peace with your family...you will be missed..

**Helen Zuniga** - March 05 at 07:57 AM



“ So sorry to hear about your loss. May God Bless Your Family

**Juanita Horton Juanita Lavars daughter** - March 05 at 09:00 AM



“ My brother Tom was a good person, he would make me chuckle. He had a good heart and would knowingly never hurt someone. I m glad he is free from earth's sufferings, I will miss our talks, when he came over to watch Chiefs games, dinners and get togethers. I hope mom, dad, and my sister Becky welcomed him home. I'm sad, I will miss my brother Tom.

**Edward Herrera** - March 03 at 11:49 PM



“ Rest in peace cousin.....yes you were always so pleasant to talk to. You will be greatly missed.

**JoAnna Palacio and familia** - March 03 at 10:25 PM



“ I have so many wonderful memories of Uncle Tommy. He was a caring individual and I will never forget his generosity. He never showed up empty handed, and he usually provided the tastiest treats at our family get togethers. The world has lost a leading example of a compassionate human being and we will miss him tremendously.

**Valeri Vega** - March 03 at 07:32 PM



“ Alice lit a candle in memory of Thomas George Herrera



Alice - March 03 at 07:12 PM

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Alice - March 03 at 07:10 PM