



Santiago Ramon Martinez

September 9, 2005

Santiago "Chico" Martinez, age 85, of Minnow Drive, died Friday, September 9, 2005 at his residence. Mr. Martinez was born September 16, 1919 in Camaguey, Cuba and moved to the US in 1958. He was a member of the Pawleys Island Masonic Lodge #409 and had worked for Pawleys Plantation for 18 years. Survivors include his wife Lorraine Dwyer of Pawleys Island; daughter, Juanita Alvarez of Miami, FL; grandchildren, Andrew and Amanda Alvarez both of Miami, FL; and a brother, Alberto Martinez of Camaguey, Cuba. A memorial service will be held 10:00 AM Saturday, September 17, 2005 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel. The family request that memorial donations be made to Tidelands Hospice, 2591 North Fraser Street, Georgetown, SC 29440.

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Juanita: Please call me; I somehow cannot find your new # or adress and I wanted to send you something. My cell is 610704-1000. Love, Eileen##imported-begin##Eileen Serratelli##imported-end##

October 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ I would like to extend my sincere condolences to the family of Santiago Martinez. After reading all of the loving, warm messages in the guest book, I can see that Mr. Martinez was a very special man. It is good to know that you, Lorraine, have supportive friends and family ready to help you at this difficult time. God, our Creator, also understands and cares for what the Marinez family is going through right now. This is the time to, ?Draw close to God, and he will draw close to you.? James 4:8 The Bible is a rich source of hope, comfort and encouragement. The Bible, God?s Word, give us the hope of a resurrection. The word resurrection literally means a ?standing up again.? And that is exactly what happened in the nine-recorded resurrections that are in the Bible. The individuals who were resurrected were returned to life here on Earth. Though that may be difficult to understand, it is true. At John 5:28,29 Jesus said, ?Do not marvel at this, for the hour is coming when all those in the memorial tombs will hear my voice and come out...? There is a beautiful account in the book of John, Chapter 11, and verses 11-44. This is the account of the resurrection of Jesus? close friend Lazarus. It is recorded for you to be comforted and put confidence in the hope that God has held out to all who have died. In fact, the resurrection of Jesus Christ himself is the most outstanding reason to believe that this will happen. The bible also describes those who have died as ?asleep in death ?. Just as in a deep sleep, those who have died will be woken up to life. Imagine God calling out to Santiago to come out, just as Jesus did for his friend Lazarus! The joy is beyond words to describe. I would encourage you to take some quiet time and read the account of Lazarus? resurrection and meditate on what this will mean to you. I hope this message has brought some hope and comfort to you. My prayers are with your family.##imported-begin##Suzanne Lombardo##imported-end##

October 03, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Our Dear "CHAGO": There are so many special memories that come flooding back reminiscent of life growing up at 31 & 34 E. North St. Always ready to offer love & affection and of course a good laugh! There was nothing you wouldn't do for Juanita, and I was always along for the ride. We always managed to track you down, whether working hard @ M&B Garage or relaxing with all the friends who adored you at the Maples or the Lantern. Nothing upset you: repeated requests for cash, Flopsy having her puppies in your bed, fender benders on our jaunts, coming home way too late, etc... The heartfelt memories and love I have for someone who loved much, didn't sweat the small stuff and possessed the ability to make everyone around him smile and share a good laugh. I hope and pray he's having a chat in heaven w/ Kathleen and Charlie with a fishing pole and corona w/ lime in his hands. May he rest in peace....love you always... BEANY##imported-begin##Eileen Serratelli##imported-end##

September 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Chago, Por siempre viviras en nuestras memorias.##imported-begin##Mariano y Gladys Lopez##imported-end##

September 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ CHICO WILL BE MISSED GREATLY. HE WAS A JOY TO WORK WITH AND I GREATLY ENJOYED GETTING TO KNOW HIM. LORRAINE, IF YOU NEED ANYTHING LET ME KNOW. I WILL GATHER THE GUYS AND WE'LL HELP ALL WE CAN. CAMMY HYMAN##imported-begin##CAMMY##imported-end##

September 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *Santiago-Chago, Lamento mucho haber perdido un buen amigo. Alguien que siempre fue muy carinoso y atento conmigo y mi familia. Siempre te recordare. Nelson Y Ofelia Lopez###imported-begin###Nelson Lopez###imported-end###*

September 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *Juanita, Jay, Andrew & Amanda I am so sorry to hear about chago my deepest sympathy to all of you. I remember growing up and he was always in the garage BUT would stop to do anything we asked him to do, and off he would take us to where ever we asked. Remember the good times... The Atkinson family sends all there love and sympathy at this time. Maryann, Roachela, Michele, Michael, Mark, Lil Michael Juanita please e-mail to let me know how you are..###imported-begin###michele atkinson###imported-end###*

September 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ *Remember that you are not alone at this time of loss. You have wonderful friends and family who can help support you at this time, but most of all God is with you. Allow him to comfort you - His love and peace will sooth your soul. You and your family are in my prayers. Call me for anything - I'll be there for you. God bless.###imported-begin###Lori Hixon###imported-end###*

September 14, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Juanita & Jay, Our thoughts and condolences are with you and your family. Having just lost my Dad a 1919er as well, I know what you're going through, but always remember and take comfort in the fact that your Dad was an extraordinary guy who lived life to the fullest. We're all thinking of you and, as LeeAnne mentioned, please let us know if we can help in any way. Jono##imported-begin##Jono##imported-end##

September 14, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ he was one of a kind--will miss him so much--he was like a great uncle to me & grandfather to the girls, & a very good friend to Ansel--he will be missed by all love & thoughts with you & your extended family##imported-begin##dodie, peggy, penny##imported-end##

September 14, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Juanita, Jay, Andrew and Amanda, My condolences on your loss. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. Mark##imported-begin##Mark Keegan##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Our deepest sympathies for the loss of your loved one. Please remember that his spirit will live on forever in the hearts of those he loved and always call to mind his wonderful qualities and all the good times spent together that made your love for him so strong. You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Doreen and Ted Connolly##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Juanita, Jay, Andrew and Amanda, I am sorry for your loss. Your in my thoughts and prayers, Lisa G.##imported-begin##Lisa Grillo##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Please remember you are in our hearts and you're being thought of every day. Let us know if you need help with anything here at home. Love, The Skipp Family##imported-begin##LeeAnne Skipp##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Juanita, Jay, Andrew and Amanda, Tia and I extend our deepest sympathies to you. We are saddened to hear of your loss.##imported-begin##Ben##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ i didnt no u that well but i love u very much.##imported-begin##corinne##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Juanita, Jesus, Andrew and Amanda, Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. We extend our condolences and hope you know you are in our thoughts. Love, The Kealy Family##imported-begin##Matt and Tracey Kealy##imported-end##

September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Juanita: Please know that my prayers and thoughts are with you during this time of loss. Words will not make it easier, but remember him with laughter, love, joy and let the tears flow to rinse away the void. He is only in the next room as we wait in the waiting room of life. Speak of him as if he were there listening and know he is laughing with you. He will live on in your heart and memory. He must have been very special because he raised a special daughter who gives freely to all around her. Again, my sympathy is with you and your family. Fondly yours, Karin Brown###imported-begin###Karin Brown###imported-end###

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