



Arturo Montelongo

January 8, 1948 - December 8, 2025

Arturo Montelongo, a beloved father, grandfather, and a long-time resident of Grand Prairie passed away on December 8, 2025 at a care center in Midlothian, Texas at the age of 77. He was born on January 8, 1948 in Laredo, Texas, second of seven children and the son of the late Jose Montelongo and the late Guadalupe Montelongo. He will be profoundly missed by his family and his caregivers at the Midlothian care center.

Always proud of his country, he was drafted into the US Army and served in Vietnam from 1968 to 1969. He was an electrician by trade, becoming a voice and data contractor with Haliburton for many years.

Arturo was preceded in death by his loving wife of 39 years, Maria De Jesus Montelongo, who passed away in June 2006. Together, they built a life filled with love, compassion, and cherished memories. Arturo's stern but fun loving spirit will be remembered fondly by his daughters Melissa Hallmark and Melina Hinojosa, as well as his sons-in-law Rick Hallmark and Hector Hinojosa Jr. His legacy will continue through his grandchildren, Nathan Gonzales, Larissa Gonzales, Megan Hinojosa, and Hayden Hinojosa; siblings, Sabas Montelongo, Esther Amaya, Raul Montelongo, Josefa Contreras, Reymundo Montelongo and Juan Montelongo; nieces and nephews, all who held a special place in his heart.

A public viewing will take place at Guerrero Dean Funeral Home on December 10, 2025, at 6:00 p.m., providing an opportunity for all to pay their respects. A graveside service will be held at Holy Redeemer on December 11, 2025, at 12:00 p.m., where family and friends can gather to celebrate Arturo's life and share their memories.

Arturo Montelongo's spirit will forever live on in the hearts of those who loved him. May he rest in peace, surrounded by the love of his family, and may his memory be a blessing to all who were fortunate enough to know him.

Cemetery Details

Holy Redeemer Cemetery

1500 S Westmoreland Road
DeSoto, TX 75115

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 8. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM.

Holy Redeemer

Public Viewing

DEC 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Guerrero Dean Funeral Home
500 E. Main Street
Grand Prairie, TX 75050

Tribute Wall

LB

“ Laurie B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arturo Montelongo.

Laurie B. - December 11, 2025 at 09:30 AM

CF

“ Christina Luna & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arturo Montelongo.

Christina Luna & Family - December 10, 2025 at 01:51 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Arturo Montelongo.



December 10, 2025 at 01:51 PM



“ 182 files added to the album Life Tributes



Guerrero - Dean Funeral Home - December 10, 2025 at 01:18 PM

CC

Omg. Love all the pictures of your beautiful family. Such wonderful memories. Thinking of you all tonight and tomorrow. Sending my sympathies. Cathy

Cathy Casstevens - December 10, 2025 at 06:06 PM

BF

“ *Bocanegra Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Arturo Montelongo.*



Bocanegra Family - December 10, 2025 at 01:08 PM

MM

“ *Oh my... my sincere condolences to the Montelongo family. I hold so many childhood memories with him close to my heart. He always made me laugh and smile, such a great man, always ready with good advice. There was never a dull moment around him*

When his wife passed, a part of him left too, but he stayed strong. He loved his girls dearly, and of course his grandchildren as well. He lived life the way he loved, and that's how I'll always remember him.

Even as the years passed, I would still get excited to hear his voice talking to my dad again. Those moments meant so much.

My deepest condolences to all of you. May his beautiful memories bring you comfort.

With hugs and love, Mireya Mancha-Chavez

Mitrya Mancha - December 10, 2025 at 12:57 PM

GC

“ Good Autobody and Collision planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arturo Montelongo.

Good Autobody and Collision - December 10, 2025 at 10:12 AM

GC

“ Good Autobody and Collision purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Arturo Montelongo.



Good Autobody and Collision - December 10, 2025 at 10:12 AM

LW

“ Leona, Ms. Fayola and Mr. Willie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arturo Montelongo.

Leona, Ms. Fayola and Mr. Willie - December 09, 2025 at 07:46 PM

LW

“ Leona, Ms. Fayola and Mr. Willie purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Arturo Montelongo.



Leona, Ms. Fayola and Mr. Willie - December 09, 2025 at 07:46 PM

MM

“ Monica M. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arturo Montelongo.

Monica M. - December 09, 2025 at 07:09 PM

YT

“ Your Klein Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Arturo Montelongo.



Your Klein Team - December 09, 2025 at 06:27 PM

TD

“ Traci and Dylan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arturo Montelongo.

Traci and Dylan - December 09, 2025 at 04:35 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Arturo Montelongo.



December 09, 2025 at 04:35 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Arturo Montelongo.*



December 09, 2025 at 04:14 PM



“ *Cathy Casstevens purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Arturo Montelongo.*



Cathy Casstevens - December 09, 2025 at 04:04 PM



“ *Randy and Debbie purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Arturo Montelongo.*



Randy and Debbie - December 09, 2025 at 02:56 PM