



Esteban Rubio

December 26, 1940 - April 4, 2009

Esteban "Steve" Rubio, Sr., 68, was welcomed with open arms into the gates of Heaven on April 4, 2009, after losing his battle to liver cancer. Steve was born in La Villa, TX on December 26, 1940. He moved to the Quincy area in 1963, and married the love of his life, Maria "Connie" Vasquez, on September 26, 1970, at St. Pius X Catholic Church in Quincy. For 30 years, Steve provided some of the straightest crop rows in the county for Boorman Farms, before anyone ever thought of using GPS. He also owned and operated his own trucks every potato season for 35 years. He was an active member at St. Pius X and a member of the Knights of Columbus. While he only had four children, he treated many like his own. Many have sat at the Rubio table and shared a meal and many conversations with Steve. He was always willing to help others, without hesitation, and placed their needs before his own. His compliments ran freely and genuinely to anyone he would befriend.

He is survived by his wife, Maria "Connie" Rubio of George; his four children, Steve and Amy Rubio of Quincy, Miguel Rubio of George, Eddy and Stacy Rubio of Spokane and Maribel and Jeremy Welch of East Wenatchee; his five grandchildren, Carter and Dawson Rubio, Hunter and Colby Welch and Joslyn Rubio; his brothers, Reyes Rubio of Quincy, Jose Rubio of Redmond, OR and Jueventino Rubio, Jr. of Elsa, TX; and his sisters, Giesela Silva of Kent, WA, Teresa Montoya of Elsa, TX, Maria Esquivel of Chicago, IL and Maria Luisa Rivera of Quincy. He was preceded in death by his father and mother, Jueventino and Guadalupe Rubio; and his brothers, Severiano Rubio and

Richard Rubio.

His family would like to thank everyone for their support, especially Dr. Robert Ogburn and the hospice staff at Central Washington Hospital.

Services have already been held.