



Hector J. Colon

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Hector J. Colón, on Sunday, June 17, 2007.

Beloved husband for 51 years of Mary “Beth” Johnson Colón. Father of Wanda Rankin and spouse Dr. Kevin, Eduardo “Eddie” Colón, Elizabeth “Liz” Brett and spouse Tom, Mary Ellen Colón and spouse Jordi Sales, Grace Colón and spouse Peter Noymer. Grandfather of Bill, Taylor, Meg, Mimi, Nicolas, Ben, Kate and Jack. Survived by three sisters: Brun, Monsin, Vangie and one brother: Athos. Also survived by numerous beloved nieces and nephews.

A graduate of the University of LA at Lafayette, Executive and General Manager of Tres Monjitas Dairy in Puerto Rico, he served on numerous boards in the dairy industry. Before moving to Puerto Rico, he was with Barbe’s Dairy in Westwego, LA. Aged 75 years, a native of Puerto Rico and a resident of Covington, LA for 10 years. He was charming, funny, intelligent, entrepreneurial, strict when he had to be, generous, cordial, musical, faithful, good father, husband, uncle, brother.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the memorial mass on Friday, June 22, 2007 at 2:00 PM at St. Joseph Abbey, 75376 River Road, Covington, LA 70435. Visitation on Friday from 1:00 PM until service time. Interment in St. Joseph Abbey Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to the Voice of the Retarded, 5005 Newport Rd. Ste. 108, Rolling Meadows, IL 60008 (847)253-6020 (www.vor.net). E.J. Fielding Funeral Home Inc., 2260 W. 21st. Ave., Covington, LA 70433 entrusted with the arrangements.



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AO

Arline Osuna posted:

I'm so sad for the loss of Don Hector, as well for his family, especially Ms. Beth who was a loyal wife in the goods and worth. Hope God bless all the family with resignation, and the hope to se him again, some day some time in God's World.

June 23 at 7:00 PM

JS

Jan Sobotik posted:

Queridos Sra Beth y Familia. Les envio mis mas sentidas condolencias. Nuestra amistad nos hacen solidarios en estos momentos tan duros. Recibe nuestro saludo de fe y fuerza vital. Jan Sobotik y Familia

June 21 at 7:00 PM

JJ

Judy Jiménez posted:

A Héctor: Si existió otra vida anterior estoy segura fuimos hermanos. Muchos años de compartir contigo crearon en mi un cariño profundo a un ser tan generoso y de noble corazón y espíritu como lo fuiste tú. Me quedan los recuerdos de una amistad tan bella y sincera como ninguna. El dolor por tu partida lo aminora el saber que tu amada esposa e hijas estuvieron contigo ofreciéndote consuelo y amor en esos últimos días. También la esperanza de un día volver a reunirnos en ese mundo que Dios tiene prometido a sus hijos donde el dolor no existe y la felicidad será eterna. Hasta siempre, Judy Jiménez

June 21 at 7:00 PM

CM

Carmencita L. Morales posted:

Querida doña Beth: Reciba mis condolencias, las cuales extiendo a toda su familia. Don Héctor fue especial para mi ya que tuve la dicha de compartir de cerca con él por muchos años en la oficina, en Vaqueria Tres Monjitas. Lamento de todo corazón su partida. Ruego a Dios Todopoderoso que les brinde fortaleza y paz y les bendiga siempre. Un abrazo, Carmencita

June 21 at 7:00 PM

FM

Fr. Bob Massett posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you. Fr. Bob

June 21 at 7:00 PM



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CM

Carrie And Louis Martin posted:

Greetings Dears, Nothing any of us will say can make this easier for you, but know that your family, faith and friends are here to comfort you. With a sad heart and open arms, Carrie

June 21 at 7:00 PM

JH

Judy Helmstetter posted:

Ms.Beth and family: We just wanted you to know you were in our thoughts and prayers. We will always remember Hector as a very special man. Our deepest sympathies are with you! Love, The Helmstetter Family

June 21 at 7:00 PM

DD

Dorothy Delaune posted:

Beth, my prayers are with you and your family at this time.

June 21 at 7:00 PM

SL

Sal Lupo posted:

My deepest sympathy goes to you Mrs. Colon in your loss. You and your husband were only one of a few parents who cared so much for their son. I will always remember Mr. Colon's compassion and love for his son and his wife. May God continue to bless you and your family.....Sal Lupo

June 20 at 7:00 PM

PT

Patricia Martínez-Tirado posted:

Dear Beth, My most sincere condolences on the loss of "Don Hector". I am so grateful for the love and support that both of you showed our family through the years, specially my mother Diana. He was a great man and will be remembered with much love. You are all in our prayers.

June 20 at 7:00 PM

KM

Kim R. Monroe posted:

Don Hector was a true gentleman. The kind of man that once you meet you'll never forget.

June 20 at 7:00 PM



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JC

Juan M. Corrada posted:

Don Héctor J. Colon All of us at Vaqueria Tres Monjitas, Inc., have felt great sadness with the departure a Don Hector. We are sure that he is at the side of our Lord. He is going to rest in the celestial skies where he will find himself in the glory of Jesus. Don Hector was a dynamic force in the growth of Tres Monjitas. His character always displayed excellence for all the endeavors, which he pursued. He will always be in our minds. At this moment, all the employees, Jenny and myself hope the Lord gives Beth and all of the family the strength to understand that we are loaned in earth and that eternal life is achieved in Heaven, where we are sure Don Hector is right now. Be sure that Don Hector will always be remembered at Tres Monjitas. Juan M. Corrada General Manager Vaqueria Tres Monjitas, Inc.

June 20 at 7:00 PM

SR

Shawna Rochon posted:

Beth and family, So sorry to learn that Hector has passed away. I remember him as a charming gentleman who admired his wife so much. The two of you made such a sweet couple. I'm keeping you in my thoughts and prayers. Peace be with you and your children.

June 20 at 7:00 PM

NC

Nancy Cordero posted:

I send you my condolences and I wish the Lord will give you the strength to go ahead in your lives. He was a loving person for me and I going to miss his calls as well as his jokes. I always remember you all with caring and affection.

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DO

Diana Otero posted:

Querida Doña Beth y Familia: De parte mia, de Patricia y Cristina y de mi familia en general, sepan que nos unimos a ustedes en estos momentos y le oramos al Señor Jesús para que les brinde consuelo y paz, como sólo El puede hacerlo. No fue casualidad él trabajar con don Héctor. Había un propósito, el cual fue cumplido...hasta sus últimos momentos estuve aprendiendo de él...sus lecciones para la vida, su actitud sobre el trabajo, su tenacidad, su jococidad, entre otras muchas características que lo hicieron único; ese es su legado para nosotros. Por esto y más viviré agradecida de nuestro Señor. Don Héctor vivirá siempre en nuestros corazones y en nuestra memoria. Le hemos amado mucho, y le vamos a extrañar, pero sabemos que no es una despedida, sino un hasta luego, ya que sólo se nos adelantó en el camino. Es sólo cuestión de tiempo; lo volveremos a ver en la eternidad donde no hay sufrimiento, ni dolor. Que Dios les bendiga a todos y, recuerde, que la amamos mucho y que estamos para usted y su familia. Un abrazo. Diana, Patricia y Cristina

June 20 at 7:00 PM

MG

Missy Gensler posted:

Liz and family, our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. though I will not be able to attend Friday's services, please know that you will be in my heart. Love, Missy Gensler

June 19 at 7:00 PM

MS

Manuel Y Pepita Santiago posted:

Querida Beth y familia: Pepita, Manny, Javier y yo, sentimos la pérdida de Héctor. Gran amigo, excelente compañero extraordinario ser humano. Pedimos al Señor Todopoderoso que les de paz y conformidad en este momento de tribulación. La Palabra dice: "No se turbe vuestro corazón; creéis en Dios, creed también en mí. En la casa de mi Padre muchas moradas hay; si así no fuera, yo os lo hubiese dicho; voy, pues, a preparar lugar para vosotros." (Juan 14: 1-2) Esa morada ya la está disfrutando Héctor. Dios les bendiga, Manuel, Pepita y familia

June 19 at 7:00 PM



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