



Sam Louis Latino Sr.

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Sam Louis Latino, Sr., 76, of Covington, LA passed away on Wednesday, January 10, 2018. He was born on September 4, 1941 in New Orleans, LA to the late Peter Sam Latino, Sr. and the late Iris Rotgé Latino.

Sam is survived by his beloved wife of 56 years, Alvis “Abbie” Dargis Latino; his children Gina M. Latino, Lori Latino-Glynn (Mike), Donna Latino-Brunet (Mark), Sam L. Latino, Jr. (Laura), Holly Latino Schaffer (Richard), Steven P. Latino (Anna Lisa); sixteen grandchildren Matthew, Caity, Maggie, Michael, Sam, James, Abbie, Raegan, Conner, Kate, Clark, Jacob, Ryan, Steven, Jr., Kay Lee, and Christian; and two great-grandchildren Hailey and Mason. He is also survived by his brother Peter S. Latino, Jr.

Sam grew up in New Orleans and was a resident of Metairie before moving to Covington in 1976. He graduated from St. Aloysius High School in 1959. After graduation, he attended Louisiana State University in New Orleans (LSUNO) where he received his Bachelor’s of Science in Business. While attending LSUNO he served in the Air National Guard. After receiving his degree he became a successful business owner and entrepreneur. In addition to being a successful business man, he was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather and his family was always his number one priority. Sam was a long time parishioner of Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral Mass at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 501 Holy Trinity Dr, Covington, LA 70433 on Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at 12:00 Noon with visitation on Tuesday beginning at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in memory of Sam Latino be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478, Oklahoma City, OK 73123, <https://www.cancer.org/involved/donate.html> .






Events

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Visitation

-  **Tuesday**, January 16, 2018
-  10:30 AM - 12:00 PM CT
-  **Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church**
501 Holy Trinity Dr., Covington LA 70433



Funeral Mass

-  **Tuesday**, January 16, 2018
-  12:00 PM CT
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Tribute Wall

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E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services shared a **Tribute Video**.



January 15 at 5:38 AM



Estelle Mannino posted:

Dear Abbie and family I am so sorry I was unable to attend Sam's service since we have shared so much over years from Mr. Pete's relationship with my father to attending your wedding 56 yrs. ago, Midas and Abbie you and Sam's eyeglasses, etc. My family sends prayers to you and family and we offer our deepest sympathy for Sam will be missed by all! Sincerely, Estelle Perroncel Mannino

January 17 at 11:52 AM



Susie Herbert Chauvin lit a candle in honor of Sam.



January 16 at 4:06 PM



Joanna Goutierez Dubois posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to Aunt Abbie, and my cousins Gina, Lori, Donna, Holly, Sam Jr., and Stephen. I wish I could be at the service to honor this great man, but I'm sick and still contagious. Sending all my love to this great family. I have many fond memories at your house (in Metairie and Covington). Uncle Sammie was one of the best, and will be missed dearly. Much love, Joanna Goutierez Dubois

January 16 at 5:46 AM



Sheri Graham posted:

My deepest sympathy to the Latino family. A great privilege to have know Mr. Sam, his wonderful smile made me feel joy every time I saw him. He will be greatly missed. His beautiful personality shines through all his family members that I know. Sheri Graham

January 15 at 6:10 PM



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Anonymous sent a Fiery Lily and Rose to the Latino family.

January 15 at 10:52 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Latino family.

January 15 at 10:29 AM



Darlina Goutierez lit a candle in honor of Sam.

Even at a young age, it was obvious that Sam was a person of character and integrity. First and foremost was his wife and family. My sister-in-law Alvis, (Abbie's mother) was taken into his home early in his marriage and he cared for her as he would his own mother until her death at ninety-plus. That kindness takes a special sort of man. In those early years, one of my favorite memories was when Sam, Abbie and Alvis came to visit when we were stationed at Fort Ord, California. They had hoped that we could all go to Disneyworld, about five hundred miles from where we lived. After traveling all night to get there, for the first time ever, the park was closed! We still had a wonderful time during their visit and created memories that have lasted all these years. I wish that my health would allow me to travel so I could be there to honor a great soul. Abbie, you and the children are in my prayers during this difficult time. I pray that you will find peace and comfort knowing that Sam is no longer suffering and is with God. Much love, Aunt Darlina

January 11 at 5:22 PM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Latino family.

January 15 at 9:17 AM





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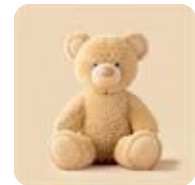
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Lauren Schexnayder sent a virtual gift in honor of Sam.

My prayers are with your family at this difficult time. Mr. Latino will be greatly missed! He was such a ray of sunshine and a breath of fresh air. I love you all!
Lauren (EJ Hem/Onc)

January 15 at 5:27 AM



Josie Cachia posted:

Peter and I are so sorry for your loss. I loved Mr Sammy. He was a sweet, funny, and loving man with a great laugh and sense of humor. Sending y'all strength and courage to pull together and help each other through this difficult time ahead. Sorry I can't be there but I will light a candle for him. Rest in peace Mr. Sammy you will be greatly missed. Big love to all the family. Take care 🙏❤️🙏❤️

January 13 at 12:44 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Latino family.

January 12 at 6:01 PM



Janell Gussman posted:

My heart is broken, to hear of this sad news, Mr. SAM to me was like a grandfather, the sweetest man that I had the pleasure to work for at Armstrong McCall..He will be greatly missed.My condolences to Mrs. Abbie, Gina, Holly, Sam, Donna and Stephen..RIP Mr. Sam ❤️ ..Janell "Bubbles" Gussman.

January 12 at 4:39 PM



Ann Winters posted:

My heart is broken and I am sending my deepest sympathy to Abby and the Latino family . I was fortunate enough to have work for Sam and to know Sam was to know his family. He was a great husband, father, grandfather , great grandfather and boss. He will truly be missed by all that new him. Keeping you all in my prayers doing this difficult time Don and Ann Winters

January 12 at 3:14 PM



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BH

Byron & Bob Howell sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Latino family.



January 12 at 11:02 AM

GG

Gina Cognevich Goetzle posted:

Mrs. Abbie, Gina, Lori, Donna, Sam, Holly and Steven: You're husband/father was a wonderful man and I will miss him dearly. I know your hearts are breaking, and I will keep all of you in my prayers during this very sad time. With love, Gina Cognevich Goetzle (the "other Gina")

January 12 at 9:27 AM

CS

Cathy Serpas posted:

My deepest sympathy to the entire Latino family. Your husband/father was a wonderful man.

January 12 at 4:46 AM

DB

Dianne Bologna Boland posted:

My very deepest condolences to Abby and all of the Latino family. Dianne Bologna Boland

January 12 at 4:17 AM

SG

Sandra Galloway lit a candle in honor of Sam.



January 12 at 3:40 AM

JM

Julie Manuel posted:

My deepest sympathies go out to your sweet family. I pray for your peace and comfort. Sincerely, Julie Manuel

January 11 at 6:23 PM



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Donnalee Kubancsek lit a candle in honor of Sam.



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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Sam by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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