



Luis Armando Maldonado

March 3, 1936 - April 26, 2019

Luis Maldonado of Mounds View, Minnesota passed away on April 26, 2019, surrounded by family. He was 83.

He was born on March 3, 1936 in Pichilemu, Chile to his parents Jeronimo and Maria Raquel Maldonado. He immigrated to the United States in 1965 in search of adventure. He fell in love with America and then fell in love with his sweetheart, Laura (also a native Chilean). They married in 1971 and settled in California until his retirement from industrial painting in 2006. Luis and Laura moved to Minnesota in order to be closer to more of their grandchildren. Luis was known for his generosity, fun-loving spirit, a twinkle in his eye, and his sacrificial love for others, especially his family. His grandchildren know him for his exciting stories, love for soccer, warmth and comfort, and incessant dispensing of Ricola cough drops.

Luis was survived by his wife, Laura; three daughters Marla (Jon) Thumm; Andrya (Mark) Dieter; and Carissa; and 7 grand-daughters: Viviana; Abigail, Ellie, Eva, Kathryn, Caroline; and Anastasia.

Luis Maldonado will be buried in a private ceremony on April 27, 2019 at Incarnation Cemetery. Although we miss him, we grieve with great resurrection hope and invite you to come celebrate his life with us. A memorial will be held at Bethlehem Baptist Church in Mounds View on Monday, April 29, 2019 at 4pm.

Tribute Wall

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“ *What a day that will be! Thanking God for the memories you will cherish of your Dad and your Grandpa! Celebrating the hope of Heaven with you. Love to you all. Erik Dunham Family*

Margie Dunham - April 30, 2019 at 12:00 AM