



Rafael Angel Valazquez Gonzalez

January 17, 2019

Rafael Angel Valazquez Gonzalez, 86, of John Street, Lancaster, PA, passed away at his home on Thursday, January 17, 2019 surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, he was the son of the late Juan Velazquez and Emilia Gonzalez. Rafael worked until he was 76 years old, as a horse trainer in Puerto Rico. He had a passion for working with the horses, enjoyed working construction, playing dominos, and being the “best father ever.”

He is survived by his children, Natividad Martinez, Rafaela Velazquez, Emilia Vargas, Ismael Velazquez, Luis M. Velazquez, Francisca Velazquez-Cruz, Evelyn Velazquez, and Ana Maria Seguinot; 27 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Maria Delcarmen Velazquez, as well as his siblings.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Rafael’s Funeral Service at The Groffs Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc., 528 W. Orange Street, (corner of W. Orange and Pine Sts.), Lancaster, PA on Friday, January 25, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. The family will receive friends from 1:00 p.m. until time of service. Interment will take place at St. Mary’s Catholic Cemetery on Wednesday, January 30, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 25. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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