



Ruben DeLeon

MAR 28, 1961 - MAR 28, 2026



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Ruben DeLeon, 65, of Houston, Texas, passed away on March 28, 2026, in Houston. He was born on March 28, 1961, to Consuelo and Raul DeLeon in Brownfield, Texas.

On July 1, 1982, Ruben married the love of his life, Susanne Silverstein, in Houston, beginning a partnership filled with devotion, joy, and countless cherished memories.

Ruben built a long and respected career in the gasket industry, dedicating over 30 years to the field. For the past five years, he served as an Operations Manager at Durlon, where he was admired for his strong work ethic, leadership, and dedication.

Beyond his professional life, Ruben was happiest outdoors or surrounded by the people he loved. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and sharing time with his family and friends. His humor, warmth, and generosity made him a joy to be around, and he touched the lives of all who knew him.

Ruben is survived by his beloved wife, Susanne DeLeon; his daughters Tiffany DeLeon and her partner Cesar, Christa Silva and her husband Noe, Savanna DeLeon and her partner Jonathan; his son Matthew DeLeon and his wife Gizele; his sister Julie DeLeon; his mother Consuelo Soliz; 10 grandchildren; and 5 great grandchildren.

He is preceded in passing by his father, Raul DeLeon, and his brother, Roy DeLeon.

Ruben will be dearly missed by his family, friends, and all who were fortunate to share in his life. His legacy of love, strength, and kindness will endure in the hearts of those he leaves behind.



Visitation

- Friday**, April 3, 2026
- 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM CT
- San Jacinto Funeral Home**
14659 East Freeway, Houston TX 77015



Funeral Service

- Friday**, April 3, 2026
- 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM CT
- San Jacinto Funeral Home**
14659 East Freeway, Houston TX 77015



Graveside Service

- Friday**, April 3, 2026
- 2:30 PM CT
- San Jacinto Memorial Park**
14659 East Freeway, Houston TX 77015



Cemetery Details

- San Jacinto Memorial Park**
14659 East Freeway, Houston TX 77015





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San Jacinto Funeral Home & Memorial Park shared a **Webcast Video**.



April 3 at 10:57 AM



Arizpe Family sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the DeLeon family.



April 3 at 9:33 AM



Arizpe Family planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.



April 3 at 9:33 AM



Pete Jimenez sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the DeLeon family.



April 3 at 8:41 AM



Pete Jimenez planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.



April 3 at 8:41 AM



Wanda Dowlearn lit a candle in honor of Ruben.

We'll don't think I'll ever have another friend like you Ruben. We laughed a lot and drank a few but you always showed respect when it came down to it. Hanging out with you I knew I was safe and in good company no matter who showed up or who showed out I knew you wouldn't let nothing happen to me because you were a true friend to me and I'll miss you until I see you up there. Rest in peace my long time friend



April 3 at 3:55 AM



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Julie Deleon RodrãGuez posted:

Brother,Losing you has left a silence in my life that nothing can fill. Being the last sibling now feels heavy in a way I never understood before. It's like a piece of my world is gone, and I'm learning how to stand in a place that used to be shared with you.Cancer may have taken your body, but it never touched who you were—your strength, your love, your presence. I carry that with me every day. I hear your voice in my memories, I see you in the little things, and I hold onto every moment we had.You weren't just my brother—you were part of my foundation. Growing up, we shared laughter, struggles, and a bond that can't be replaced. Now, I carry those memories alone, but I carry them with pride.Being the last one here doesn't mean I'm alone—it means I'm the one who gets to keep our story going. I promise to honor you in the way I live, in how I love, and in how I take care of the family. I'll be strong, even on the days I feel like breaking, because I know that's what you would want.I miss you more than words can ever explain. But I'll keep you close—in my heart, in my thoughts, in everything I do.Until we meet again, I love you always.—Your Sister

April 2 at 1:54 PM



Angie Ruiz shared 5 photos and a video to the **Tribute Wall** album.

As I think back on all the memories we got to share together...I think to myself how blessed was I to have had you as my grandpa/father figure. You truly were an amazing person who always made everyone smile. I hope you know that you are loved so much and will be missed by us all.



March 30 at 7:26 PM



Love, This & That sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the DeLeon family.



April 2 at 10:08 AM



James Whiteside posted:

I had the pleasure of knowing Ruben over 15yrs ☐ I can tell you when we all get together Ruben myself and that Jerry Zaruba Oh its all fun and games and I can tell you its not for the weak. 🤔 Ruben was a real stand up guy, he really could have been a comedian. Im really going to miss Ruben 😞 until we meet again rest easy playa. ❤️👤👤👤

April 2 at 9:09 AM



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JW

James Whiteside sent an Arrive in Style to the DeLeon family.

April 2 at 8:13 AM



GR

Gasket Resources sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the DeLeon family.

April 2 at 8:10 AM



AM

Alan Martin posted:

i remember Ruben from back at Leader.....hard worker and always in a good mood....Rest in Peace

April 1 at 12:09 PM

JK

Jerry Knight sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the DeLeon family.

March 31 at 7:36 PM



JK

Jerry Knight planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.

March 31 at 7:36 PM



FF

From Montes Family sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the DeLeon family.

March 31 at 2:28 PM





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FF

From Montes Family planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.



March 31 at 2:28 PM

BB

Brenda Balerio posted:

I would sit outside and drink with Tiffany. Ruben would go out there and play Johnny Cash, tell jokes and make us laugh all the time. It was never a dull moment at the DeLeon house.

March 31 at 1:05 PM

CV

Carol Vasquez shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Ruben what to say , lol not a dull moment when he was around he made everyone laugh , I'm gonna miss you cuz heaven better be ready for you and my brother together again , until we meet again gonna miss you so much , ❤️😭



March 31 at 11:26 AM

MF

Mr&Mrs Green And Family sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the DeLeon family.



March 31 at 10:50 AM

MF

Mr&Mrs Green And Family planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.



March 31 at 10:50 AM

TF

Tracy & Kathy Long And Family sent a Joyful Memory to the DeLeon family.



March 30 at 10:42 PM



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JZ

Jerry Zaruba shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Feeding the deer in Carta Valley.

March 30 at 10:00 PM



JF

Jerry Zaruba And Family sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the DeLeon family.

March 30 at 9:41 PM



JF

Jerry Zaruba And Family planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.

March 30 at 9:41 PM



WM

William Michelli posted:

I had the privilege to meet Ruben in 2016 in Geismar, LA, as we opened up the first manufacturing branch for Flexitallic together and we quickly became friends. Ruben was a hard worker and great leader of his team. He had the best smile and sense of humor! He knew just what to say and how to treat everyone with kindness and some time, a little stubbornness. Rest in Peace my friend and tell my baby girl hello for me! William Michelli

March 30 at 8:42 PM

LS

Lola Solis posted:

My nephew I'm going to miss you so much! I love to hear you call my name, it was always with a lot of love. I love you son and I will always remember our memories..love always Tia Lola

March 30 at 7:52 PM



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Kenneth Moorman lit a candle in honor of Ruben.

I'm at Ruben and his family in 2005. He hired me to teach me how to run a laser and do the CAD drawings for leader global! I met him and his family and became good friends. Ribbon was a smart man and a hard worker and I loved working with him. He was my best friend and I loved him like a brother. I will miss him. Until we meet again, brother! ❤️ 👤

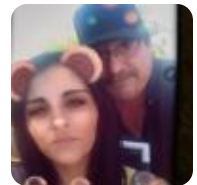


March 30 at 7:46 PM



Mary Cruz shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

My cousin was the clown of the family always made us laugh. Going to his house in the summer was the light of my summer We are all going to miss you cousin ,I love you always..give my baby girl a kiss from her mommy ..love always your cousin Mary



March 30 at 7:46 PM



Bobby Guerra shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I'll always remember the way we'd sit around the campfire, laughing, joking about everything and nothing at all. Ruben had this way of bringing people together—no matter where we were, he was the life of the party. Our last hunt sticks with me the most. Ruben took down the biggest deer of the trip. He was always positive, always a little crazy, and that's exactly what made him unforgettable. More than anything, Ruben was one of my best friends, and I'll carry those memories—the laughter, the adventures, and the way he lived.



March 30 at 7:36 PM



The Seal-Pac Team. sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the DeLeon family.



March 30 at 7:35 PM



The Seal-Pac Team. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ruben.



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Raul Roberto Rodriguez Rodriguez lit a candle in honor of Ruben.

My heart felt condolences, may it be some comfort that he's now at rest my he remembered as a hard working father and husband and his good contribution he made to this world. Rest in peace. God child. RRR

March 30 at 7:30 PM



Raul Roberto Rodriguez Rodriguez lit a candle in honor of Ruben.

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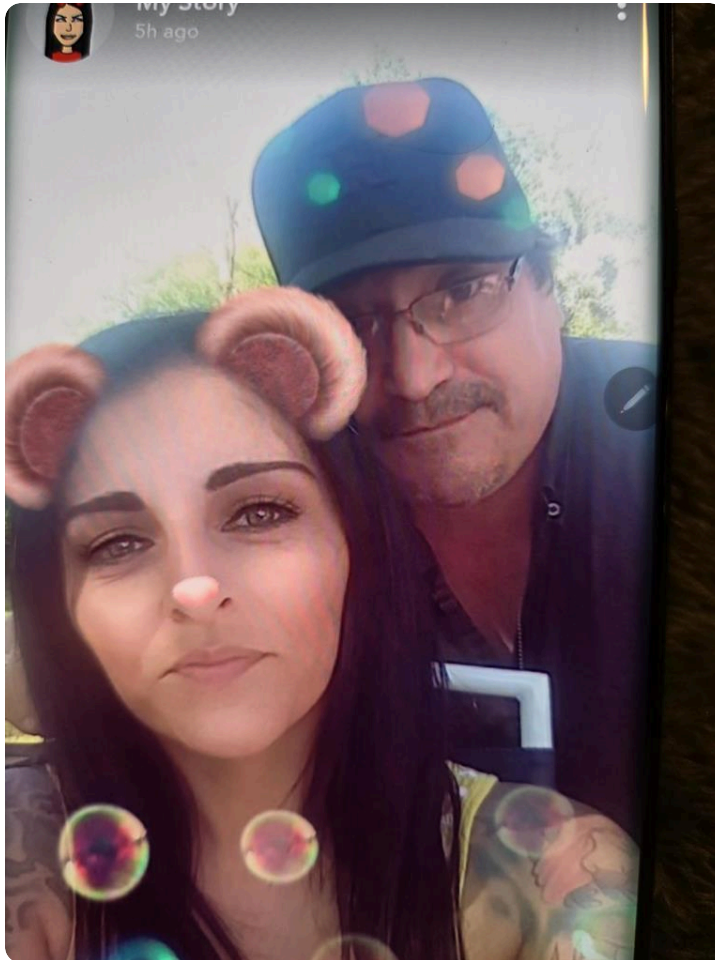
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Memories only last if you share them

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



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