



## Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela

December 7, 1962 - March 6, 2026

Jose de Jesus Fabela, also known as Chuy, age 63, passed away on March 6, 2026, in Las Vegas, Nevada, where he had made his home for many years.

Jose was born in Durango, Mexico, to Enrique and Luisa Fabela. From humble beginnings, he carried with him the strong values of hard work, loyalty, and devotion to family that would define the rest of his life.

For most of his life, Jose worked in the hospitality industry, a field that suited his generous and welcoming nature. Through dedication and perseverance, he built a career centered around serving others and creating spaces where people could gather and feel at home. At one point, he proudly fulfilled a dream of owning a small Mexican restaurant, sharing his culture and love of food with those around him.

Jose was a devoted husband, father, brother, and friend. He was married for 39 years to the love of his life, Susan Fabela. Together they built a life centered on family, support, and enduring partnership. He was a proud and loving father to his three children: Alisha Fabela, Nicklaus Fabela, and Jose Fabela Jr., all of whom were a constant source of pride and joy in his life.

Those who knew Jose will remember him as a caring, gentle, and loving man. He had a quiet nature but was always observant and thoughtful, offering

steady support to those around him. He was known for his honesty, loyalty, and willingness to give to others without expecting anything in return. His calm strength and dependable character made him someone people could always count on.

Jose also had a lifelong passion for sports, especially Chicago teams. He was a devoted Chicago Bears fan and enjoyed following Chicago sports throughout his life. Whether watching a game, talking sports with family, or celebrating a big win, those moments brought him great happiness.

Above all else, Jose valued his family. He was deeply supportive of his loved ones and took pride in being present for the people who mattered most to him. His kindness, humility, and quiet wisdom left a lasting impact on everyone fortunate enough to know him.

Jose is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Susan Fabela; his children, Alisha Fabela, Nicklaus Fabela, and Jose Fabela Jr.; and his sisters, Silvia and Norma. He is also survived by many aunts and uncles who were like siblings to him, as well as many friends whose lives were touched by his kindness.

Jose's memory will live on in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

#### Visitation Services

Sunday, March 15, 2026

3:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Carbonara Funeral Home

1515 N 25th Ave

Melrose Park, IL 60160

#### Funeral Mass

Monday, March 16, 2026

10:00 AM

Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe

1170 N River Rd

Des Plaines, IL 60016

Burial to Follow

All Saints Cemetery

700 N River Rd

Des Plaines, IL 60016

Spanish Version

Obituario de Jose de Jesus Fabela

Jose de Jesus Fabela, "Chuy", de 63 años, falleció el 6 de marzo de 2026 en Las Vegas, Nevada, donde vivió durante muchos años.

Jose nació en Durango, México, hijo de Enrique y Luisa Fabela. Desde sus humildes comienzos, llevó consigo los valores de trabajo duro, lealtad y una profunda dedicación a la familia que lo acompañaron durante toda su vida.

Durante la mayor parte de su vida, Jose trabajó en la industria de la hospitalidad, un campo que reflejaba perfectamente su naturaleza generosa y acogedora. Con dedicación y perseverancia, construyó una carrera centrada en servir a los demás y en crear lugares donde las personas pudieran reunirse y sentirse como en casa. En algún momento, también cumplió con orgullo el sueño de tener su propio pequeño restaurante mexicano, donde pudo compartir su cultura y su amor por la comida con la comunidad.

Jose fue un esposo, padre, hermano y amigo devoto. Estuvo casado durante 39 años con el amor de su vida, Susan Fabela. Juntos construyeron una vida basada en el amor, el apoyo mutuo y una fuerte unión familiar. Fue un padre orgulloso y amoroso de sus tres hijos: Alisha Fabela, Nicklaus Fabela y Jose Fabela Jr.; quienes siempre fueron una gran fuente de orgullo y alegría para él.

Quienes tuvieron la fortuna de conocer a Jose lo recordarán como un hombre cariñoso, gentil y amoroso. Tenía una personalidad tranquila, pero siempre estaba atento y observador, ofreciendo apoyo constante a quienes lo rodeaban. Era conocido por su honestidad, lealtad y por su disposición a ayudar a los demás sin esperar nada a cambio. Su fortaleza tranquila y su carácter confiable lo convirtieron en una persona en quien siempre se podía confiar.

Jose también tuvo una gran pasión por los deportes, especialmente por los equipos de Chicago. Fue un fiel seguidor de los Chicago Bears durante toda su vida y disfrutaba mucho seguir los deportes de Chicago. Ya fuera viendo un partido, hablando de deportes con su familia o celebrando una victoria, esos momentos le brindaban gran felicidad.

Por encima de todo, Jose valoraba profundamente a su familia. Siempre

brindó apoyo a sus seres queridos y se sentía orgulloso de estar presente para las personas que más amaba. Su bondad, humildad y sabiduría tranquila dejaron una huella duradera en todos los que tuvieron la dicha de conocerlo.

A Jose le sobreviven su amada esposa de 39 años, Susan Fabela; sus hijos, Alisha Fabela, Nicklaus Fabela y Jose Fabela Jr. sus padres Enrique y Luisa, y sus hermanas, Silvia y Norma, También le sobreviven muchos tíos y tías que fueron como hermanos para él, así como numerosos amigos cuyas vidas fueron tocadas por su bondad.

La memoria de Jose vivirá para siempre en los corazones de quienes lo conocieron y lo amaron.

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Domingo, 15 de marzo de 2026

3:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Carbonara Funeral Home

1515 N 25th Ave

Melrose Park, IL 60160

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Lunes, 16 de Marzo de 2026

10:00 AM

Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe

1170 N River Rd

Des Plaines, IL 60016

Sepelio a continuación

All Saints Cemetery

700 N River Rd

Des Plaines, IL 60016

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 15. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (Ct)

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1515 N 25th Ave  
Melrose Park, IL 60160  
(708) 343-6161  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela.*



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March 15 at 11:04 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela.

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“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela.*



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March 13 at 04:00 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela.

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“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela.*



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March 13 at 03:00 PM



“ *Care and Compassion Spray was purchased for the family of Mr Jose De Jesus Fabela.*



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