



## Mr. Juan Melgoza

August 12, 1960 - September 24, 2016

It brings us great grief to announce the passing of Juan Carlos Melgoza. On the evening of September 24, 2016 he was called to the Heavens. He was surrounded by Family and Friends at Glen Oaks Hospital in Glendale Heights, IL.

Juan Carlos was born on August 12, 1960, to Carlos and Eloisa Melgoza. Lived in Compton, California where he found his love for music and cars. He loved playing drums, while in a band with his closest friends. He also loved being a part of a low rider car club. But above all, his family came first. Growing up with 8 siblings before starting a family of his own and moving to Chicago about 15 years ago.

Juan Carlos is survived by his Loving Mother Eloisa Melgoza. His Dearly Beloved Wife Bertha Melgoza. His Loving Children Raymond and Carla, Son in Law Alberto and GrandDaughter Lilly. His Loving Brother and Sisters Graciela (Chela), Maria (Mari), Lucila (Lucy), Guillermina (Guille), Eduardo (Lalo), Araceli (Chelis), Laura, Alejandra (Alex); and many Nieces, Nephews and Cousins.

Carlos was a great man, full of life and a blessing from above. He filled our hearts with love, joy, and laughter. Thank you for all the great memories which we will cherish forever. You will always be in our hearts. You will be deeply

missed .Visitation Sunday 2 until 8 P.M. at CARBONARA FUNERAL HOME,  
1515 NORTH 25TH AVENUE, MELROSE PARK. Funeral Monday 9 A.M.  
from the Chapel to St. John Vianney Church, Northlake, Mass 10 A.M.. Int. Mt.  
Carmel Cemetery.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 2. 2:00 PM (CT)

Carbonara Funeral Home  
1515 N 25th Ave  
Melrose Park, IL 60160  
(708) 343-6161  
<https://carbonarafuneraldirectors.com/>

## church service -St. John Vianney Church, Northlake

OCT 3. 9:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Juan Melgoza*

October 05, 2023 at 03:04 AM



“ *Mr. Juan Melgoza*

September 08, 2022 at 03:08 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Juan Melgoza.*



September 30, 2016 at 04:00 PM

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“ I remember when I first started Navistar, Juan was one of 30+ in my hiring group, this was over 10 years ago. Throughout the 10 years I worked with Juan there were many times we found ourselves working side by side, or at least in the same department or the same shift. I recall, probably one of my best memories at that job. Juan and I and a few other good friends/coworkers, we all worked on 2nd shift. We had all decided that after work we would go out and get a few drinks. Juan was the only person who showed up late....he had to go home and gather his family to include them in a get-together moment. He introduced everyone. That one moment has stuck with me for years. Juan is a man with a great heart, who seemed to want to include everyone in a good time. My last memory I would like to share is the last memory I have with Juan. A little over a year ago I shared with him (as well as a few other coworkers) that I was leaving the job. Juan gave me a hug, and wished me well. Our conversation went on for a little longer and he had expressed his want and desire to head back home to California, with his wife....I am sorry he was not able to fulfill this wish, but I find solitude knowing he is finally at peace, and in some way he has made his way back home and he is waiting in Compton for his family to come back as well. Juan 'Johnny' Melgoza you will be deeply missed and forever remembered, by many. I know he had touched many lives and hearts in his fellow coworkers, and he will be forever missed!

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**Adrianna DeRousse** - September 29, 2016 at 10:43 PM

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“ Johnny was a great co-worker. Always had a story to tell. Expressed his love of the Motown sounds and how he shared it with his neighbors (I'm sure they will miss that). Johnny will be missed yet remember. I pray God will continue to give strength to all of you during your mourning. Peace be with you.

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**Bobbie King (Navistar)** - September 29, 2016 at 04:54 PM

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“ *Cuñado Danny and i will always remember the day we went to Lake Tahoe and saw smokey Robinson when he started unbuttoning his shirt and you were screaming smokey don't do it we had such a blast thank you 😊 for the great times love ❤️ you tons we will miss you dearly 😞*

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**carmen torres sister in law** - September 29, 2016 at 04:37 PM