



Alejandro S Machado

November 24, 1948 - June 18, 2018

Alejandro "Alex" Machado
age 69
of Bangor

Passed away Monday, June 18, 2018 in Bronson Methodist Hospital, Kalamazoo. Alejandro was born in Von Ormy, Texas the son of Enrique and Maria (Sanchez) Machado, and has lived in the Bangor area for the past 34 years. He enjoyed wrenching on things, was a good mechanic, and always had a garden. Alex loved spending time with his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren; whom all were given a nickname by him. Surviving are 6 children, Alex (Diana) Machado of TX, Hector (Joyce Wilkinson) Machado of Bangor, Javier (Teri) Lopez of Coloma, Rebecca Aldana of Watervliet, Sylvia (Nikolai) Thallas of Bangor, Antonio Machado of Coloma; 12 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; 11 sisters and brothers; and many other nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Connie Machado; and 2 brothers. According to his wishes cremation has taken place and a burial of cremains will take place 12 noon, Friday, June 29, 2018 at Maple Hill Cemetery in Hartford. No luncheon to follow. Arrangements entrusted to the Bangor Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JUN **29**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Maple Hill Cemetery
CR 687 & 60th Street
Hartford, MI 49057

Tribute Wall



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Alejandro S Machado.*



June 28, 2018 at 04:18 PM



“ *Linda Burciaga lit a candle in memory of Alejandro S Machado*



Linda Burciaga - June 27, 2018 at 08:38 PM



“ *I love u so much Hondo I have so many many memories w/u of u I always remember u always used to say "well hi Ya bitch" Con Carinio 😊 n ur lucky ur the only one tht could get away w/tht too I miss u so much im not gonna say by just till we meet again love u my big brother rest in peace ❤️💋🙏🏻✌️*

Linda Burciaga - June 27, 2018 at 08:37 PM

RA

“ I have many memories I will cherish. U were the best daddy.... U had a big heart and loved and cared about everyone that was in ur life. Ur children, grandchildren and great grandchildren were ur life. U were the best daddy!!! I love u with all my heart and I will miss u. Not a day will go by that I won't remember u.... U r with Mom and I know u r safe and very happy... I love u daddy...❤️🙏❤️🙏

Rebecca Machado Aldana - June 22, 2018 at 05:39 PM

RM

“ I love you so much my tio hondo. I will forever keep you in my heart my tio! Our thing has always been "Poreso de tigo, vavoso" i will always keep that with me in my heart ❤️ I love you so much



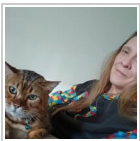
Regina Martinez - June 21, 2018 at 07:55 PM

VA

“ I love you my big brother and I will miss you chingos chingos we love you your family in Oklahoma



Virginia Alvarez - June 20, 2018 at 11:20 PM



“ Rebecca, Sylvia, Javier, Hector and Tony, I have been friends with y'all since 7th grade when you started at Bangor. I'm so sorry to hear about your father. He was such a great man. And funny one also. Just know he is with your momma and smile. Love you all. Stacy Buskirk

Stacy Buskirk - June 20, 2018 at 03:57 PM

JR

“ Jose Rodarte lit a candle in memory of
Alejandro S Machado



Jose Rodarte - June 20, 2018 at 07:52 AM

TF

“ Hector,
My heart is broken. Your dad was the best.
Always a friend from the moment we met.
Troy and I were so blessed to share time and
stories with him. We shall cherish those
memories and great times. Love to you and yours at this time of
sorrow.
Much Love,
Troy and Sandy



Troy and Sandra Fowler - June 20, 2018 at 07:24 AM

DB

“ Dana Bryant lit a candle in memory of
Alejandro S Machado



Dana Bryant - June 20, 2018 at 06:53 AM

LU

“ I’ll always remember you standing tall, proud, so handsome & strong. I always remember the way you loved us all, not just as sobrinos, but as people. Growing up with you and Connie and all our cousins. All your crazy jokes and even crazier stories! Dancing with you. My 8,000 nicknames from you, some of which I can’t share in polite company!! 😭 I’ll try to be happy we had you on this side for as long as we did. I love you, Tío Hondo. Til we meet again, te recordaré. ❤️💔

Luchina - June 20, 2018 at 12:30 AM

RR

Big memories I've known Alex since 1970 I was 5 years old been in and out of my life , heartbreaking news

I told him he was my godfather since that's they way we interacted always made me laugh and constant reminder to be tough and fair And not to give up if you in a fight he said and you won keep on punching!

I'll never forget that. Let somebody pull you off ! That has deep meaning for me. At first I took it literally but then I saw over the years what he meant ! Huge change came when he lost Connie , he seemed defeated.

He confessed just how much he loved her and regretted some things that hurt her though the years my angel he said. I took her for granted I could tell it was heavy on his heart and needed to tell someone I was honored he confided in me. I was shocked at how thin he was he said life lost it's flavor , I begged both his daughters to feed him lol. They were trying very hard already

In my youth our families would gather and throw huge hog roasts n sometimes a goat or lamb so many good memories

As life goes and people grow up and move away didn't get to see him much for about 15 years then he shows up married with a ton of kids and Connie I was happy to see him like a lost brother more good times and hard times be fell us both losing our parents our families remained close more years passed and I want to share a funny story

He and Connie left the kids I. Our card for about two months one summer as his Dad was in hospital dieing , got to know them all real well

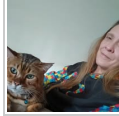
At that time I was 25 and the girls were 15 and 14 , seems like another 5 years passed in an instant and he came for a visit. He asked me if I was gay? Lol. Why in the hell would you ask me that I said he said well I've let you close to my daughters and hoped you would have picked one ! Lol. That's Alex ! I explained to him that my mom had got to me before he did a long time ago and told me hands off!!! Lol he was still a bit mad as both his daughters were beautiful and single at the time Eventually I did find someone to marry and when he found out I'd gotten married n not invited he was furious called me an asshole! lol that's Alex! He met her I gave us the blessing after the fact he teased me though for forgetting him for years

Hadn't seen him in while so I made a trip to bangor to visit last march , he was sad and missing his Connie

I had no idea that's the last time I'd see him I'm glad we hugged and I took a couple selfies loved the old guy like a brother/Dad/friend/godfather

Rest In Peace Alex

Roy Rodriguez - June 20, 2018 at 08:40 AM



Great stories. Made me smile. Thank you for sharing .

Stacy Buskirk - June 20, 2018 at 03:54 PM



My brother love you so much going to miss the talks we had and your encouragement I'm heartbroken love you so much till we meet again brother I'll hold on to the good memories we had thank you for being such a good big brother

Odelia Machado - June 21, 2018 at 02:33 PM



“ Denise, Bob And Gersonde lit a candle in memory of Alejandro S Machado



Denise, Bob and Gersonde - June 19, 2018 at 11:50 PM



from Denise, Bob and Ryan Gersonde

Denise, Bob and Gersonde - June 19, 2018 at 11:52 PM



“ To all the family, our deepest sympathy for the loss of your father, grandfather, great grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend to many We have many wonderful memories of spending time with Alex and Connie and all the Machado's We were treated like one of the family always. We are sending prayers for strength and comfort during this difficult time. Alex will live on in the hearts and cherished memories of all whose lives he touched.. We love you all. RIP Alex

Denise, Bob and Ryan Gersonde - June 19, 2018 at 11:48 PM

DG

from Denise, Bob and Ryan Gersonde

Denise, Bob and Gersonde - June 19, 2018 at 11:53 PM

HS

“ *Mr. Alex did not hesitate when I asked him to drive me to SA Texas in July to relocate in 2011. Because of him and the traveling grace of God we made it safe. With out getting lost. Condolences to the family, God needed another ANGEL.*

hellen smith - June 19, 2018 at 07:57 PM



Yvonne
Sexton

“ *Dear Family, Our hearts hurt with overwhelming love we have for Tio Hondo, He loved us the same way and is so proud of his family. He taught me to garden by the moon and stories of our ancestor. I am very Grateful for having him in my life.*

Yvonne Sexton - June 19, 2018 at 07:54 PM