

Christ became obedient to the point of death, even death on the cross. Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name.

Cristo se humillo por nosotros y por nosotros y por obediencia aceptó incluso la muerte y una muerte de cruz. Por eso Dios lo exaltó sobre todas las cosas y le otorgó el nombre que está sobre todo nombre.

In Loving
Memory of
Ismael Barron
By Wife
&
Family
We Miss You!

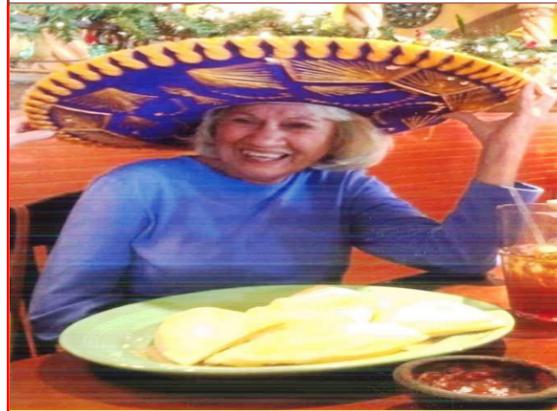


Dedicated to your needs,
Worthy of your trust



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**In Loving Memory
of Gloria Galindo
9/21/1932 to 1/25/2017
You light up our lives!
We Love You!
&
Miss You Very Much!**

Overnight Casino Trip to
**Kickapoo Lucky Eagle Casino
April 18 & 19, 2017**

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**If I cannot say, "I'm sorry", ask Jesus to help.
Everyone benefits from kindness.**

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**April 9, 2017
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

**My God, my God, why have you
abandoned me?**

There are no strangers here, only friends who have not met.

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Mass Schedule

Saturday 6:00 pm Bilingual
Sunday 8:00 am Español
10:00 am English
12 noon English
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
8:30 am
Wednesday 11:00 am

Confessions

Saturday - 5:00 - 5:45 pm or appt.

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Closed 1-2 pm For Lunch

St. Vincent De Paul
438-8477 9:30 am - 11:30 am
Tuesday & Thursday

**Parish Hall For Rent (Capacity 299)
For Information
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BAPTISMS

Infant Baptism Celebrated on the First Sunday of the Month. Registration in Parish Office is required.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
(CONFESSIONS)**

Saturday 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm or appointment

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Consult with priest six months prior to the proposed wedding date.

ESTUDIO DE BIBLIA a las 10:00 am
en la oficina de la parroquia cada Domingo.

GRUPO DE ORACION en nuestra parroquia cada
Miercoles a las 7:00 de la Noche.

HOLY HOUR every first Friday of the month in
church from 7:00 - 8:00 pm

QUINCE AÑOS * Registered parishioners only (must
have received first communion) Debutant must be
attending religious education classes & attending mass
one full year before Quinceañera. Call at least nine (9)
months prior to proposed date

God's suffering servant

What did Jesus cling to? Not to the fleeting glory of crowds shouting, "Hosanna!" Paul says Jesus didn't even cling to his divine position: he "did not regard equality with God something to be grasped. Rather, he emptied himself," becoming human. He accepted the suffering and the pain of human life. He lived vulnerability, God's Suffering Servant, not hiding his face "from buffets and spitting."

But he did not cling to suffering...he did not let it become the final word. Not even on the cross. He clung, instead, to his identity as God's beloved. He clung to his relationship with the Father. Even in his agony, he remembered who he was. His final, heartbroken cry was, nonetheless, a cry of faith, a prayer from Psalm 22: "May God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" He clung to what he knew best: he was God's beloved; he trusted in God. And God did not let him down. Paul assures us, "God greatly exalted him."

We need to be reminded that evil, hatred, suffering, and death don't have the final word. Jesus gives us this gift. He shows us that life is stronger than death; love is stronger than hatred, faith and hope are stronger than fear and suffering. He shows us that we, too, are God's beloved. Let us cling to that.