



Ricardo Manalad Suarez

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The world has dimmed just a little with the passing of Ricardo Manalad Suarez, but his vibrant legacy continues to shine in all the bright colors he loved and the lives he so profoundly impacted.

Born in Makati, Philippines, Ricardo was a man carved from independence and painted with purpose. He was never one to follow the crowd—he followed principle. With quiet sarcasm, sharp observation, and a realism that kept dreams tethered to action, Ricardo guided his family like a skilled navigator steering through both calm and storm.

To his beloved children—Roderick, Ricky, Jonalyn, Ronald, Richard—he was not just a father, but a pillar, a protector, a life coach wrapped in humility and wit. He gave them not only lessons, but tools. He created opportunities where there were none, illuminating paths with practicality and silent determination. His spouse, Irma, who remains his steady companion, knew the depths of his unwavering devotion—a love built on grit, loyalty, and shared dreams.

Known fondly as a "Duterte," Ricardo embodied the Filipino archetype of a motivator and respected guide. He was more than a figurehead—he was the quiet strength behind his family's courage. Never boastful, never a complainer, Ricardo carried both physical pain and life's burdens with grace and grit.

He adored his burgundy Nissan—a car he kept for 27 remarkable years—not because it was flashy, but because it carried memories, purpose, and the stubborn charm that mirrored his own. His work ethic was unmatched, his legacy stitched into every sacrifice, every choice made with his children in mind.

Ricardo Suarez was a man of accomplishments not catalogued in awards, but in lives improved, laughter shared, and resilience modeled. His story continues through those he loved, those he taught, and those lucky enough to call him "Dad."



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He leaves behind a world brighter for having known him—and a family forever changed by his fierce love.




Events


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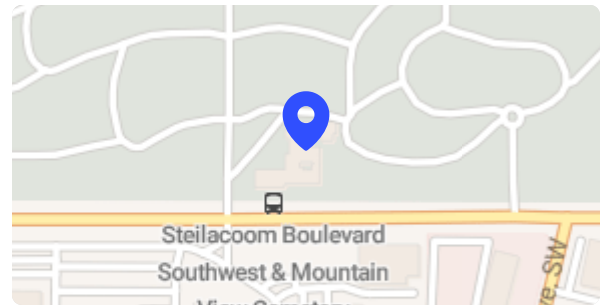
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Visitation

 **Saturday**, August 9, 2025

 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM PT

 **Mountain View Funeral Home - Valley Chapel**
4100 Steilacoom Boulevard SW, Lakewood WA
98499





Tribute Wall

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Lizzele Siguenza lit a candle in honor of Ricardo.

Condolences to you Jonah and your family. May the lord be with you all. May Ricardo rest in peace.

August 7 at 7:52 PM



Marcia Black planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ricardo.

August 7 at 7:31 AM



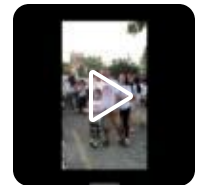
Marcia Black sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Suarez family.

August 7 at 7:31 AM



Anonymous shared a video to the **Tribute Wall** album.

August 6 at 7:30 PM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Suarez family.

August 6 at 5:49 AM



Jun-Jun And Nasayao Family sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Suarez family.

August 5 at 9:58 PM





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Anonymous lit a candle in honor of Ricardo.

Thank you sa kabaitan mo uncle ❤️❤️ we always remember you and may you rest in peace

August 5 at 12:40 PM





Media

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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