



Mr. Zorobabel Lopez

August 4, 1929 - March 26, 2021

Zorobabel Lopez, 91, husband of Maria Macaria Lopez, of 9 Keowee St., Walhalla, passed away peacefully on Friday, March 26, 2021, surrounded by the overwhelming love and affection of his family at his residence.

A native of Nanacamilpa Tlaxcala, Mexico, Zorobabel was the son of the late Tomas and Julia Gonzales Lopez. He was a proud and faithful member of The Light of the World Church (La Luz Del Mundo) and was one of the first pioneers of the faith to settle in Walhalla in 1978. He played an important role in the establishment of the church in 1985 which has expanded to other parts of the state as well as North Carolina and Georgia. Zorobabel was known for his dedication and commitment to serving the Lord and was highly respected by fellow church members and the Hispanic community.

In addition to his wife, Zorobabel is survived by his sons: Samuel Lopez (Michaela) of West Union, Soloman Lopez (Olivia) of Walhalla, and Joseph Lopez (Graciela) of Walhalla; daughters: Evangeline Gomez (Alfoso) of Walhalla, Lucia Lopez (Alfredo) of Walhalla, Martha Lopez of Walhalla, and Julia Childress (Michael) of Fairplay; and sister: Febe Ortega (Isidro) of West Union.

There isn't a single person who met or knew Zorobabel that doesn't have a

story or memory to share. His personality effortlessly lit up a room and the world will be a dimmer place without his bright smile.

One of Zorobabel's biggest accomplishments was being a loving grandfather and great-grandfather. Zorobabel perpetually radiated love, laughter, and wisdom that others longed to be a part of, even for just a moment. Those close to him, especially his grandchildren, would describe him as selfless, loving, bold, genuine, and above all, a man of faith and the world's greatest grandfather.

Funeral services will be held at 4:00 PM, Monday, March 29, 2021, at Davenport Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow at Heritage Memorial Gardens.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 – 3:00 PM, Sunday, March 28, 2021, at The Light of the World Church, Walhalla, SC and from 3:00 – 4:00 PM, Monday, March 29, 2021, prior to the service, at Davenport Funeral Home.

Flowers and/or donations are accepted.

Cemetery Details

Heritage Memorial Gardens

4500 South Highway 11
Westminster, SC 29693

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

The Light of the World Church
Walhalla, SC

Visitation

MAR 29. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home
311 S Highway 11
West Union, SC 29696
(864) 638-3611
davenportfhome@gmail.com
<https://www.davenportfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

MAR **29**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Zorobabel Lopez*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Tony McIntosh lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez*



Tony McIntosh - March 29, 2021 at 04:26 PM



“ *Kathy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez*



Kathy - March 29, 2021 at 04:18 PM



“ *Had the honor of teaching some of Mr. Zorobabel's grandchildren. What a mighty influence he was on them! Prayers are being sent to the families.*

Louise L Towe

South Pine Street Elementary School



Louise Towe - March 28, 2021 at 09:57 PM

RH

“ Rick Holden lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez



Rick Holden - March 28, 2021 at 09:05 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez.



March 28, 2021 at 07:44 PM



“ Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez.



March 28, 2021 at 05:30 PM



“ Lucas Wilson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez



Lucas Wilson - March 28, 2021 at 01:51 PM

JM

“ Jim & Becky Manley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez



Jim & Becky Manley - March 28, 2021 at 09:29 AM

SE

“ Sherry Moore~James M. Brown Elementary lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez



Sherry Moore~James M. Brown Elementary - March 28, 2021 at 08:59 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez.



March 28, 2021 at 12:26 AM

GO

“ Gwen Owens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez



Gwen Owens - March 27, 2021 at 11:20 PM

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“ *Gwen Owens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez*



Gwen Owens - March 27, 2021 at 11:17 PM

RB

“ *My prayers are with your family as they bid a goodbye to you (until a later day in Heaven). Vaya con Dios!*



Rosemary & Lamar Bailes - March 27, 2021 at 11:08 PM

NG

“ He was the one who introduced my husband's uncle, Alfonso, to the church all those many years ago.

Then my father-in-law...

And the rest is our history.

He came to New York with his family and was transferred here to South Carolina with them all to work in the quilting factory.

He was the first church member of South Carolina.

I met him before I ever met my husband.

I was 7.

He lived in a 2-story apartment with his whole family, (even grandkids) @Walhalla Gardens and they did the nightly consecrations, services every Thursday, and Sunday School every Sunday from that apartment.

They were the first Mexicans in this small town of Walhalla...

We lived there in Walhalla Gardens with my mother at that time and I became best friends with Dalilah, his granddaughter.

She would take me with her for the services @their apartment.

...always a pillar in our local church.

He is of impeccable testimony and will surely be remembered for his perseverance in the church.

He brought many a soul to know the truth of our Lord by sharing his knowledge and wisdom.

Great reward awaits him.

My most sincere condolences to the family.

#TriumphInTheLord

Nikki Gomez - March 27, 2021 at 09:22 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Zorobabel Lopez.



March 27, 2021 at 09:01 PM