



# Lance Lewis

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## **Lance Lewis**

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**L**ance Allen Lewis of Donna, Texas, passed away Saturday night, July 29th, 2023, surrounded by friends and family from complications brought on by influenza.

Lance was born on February 21st, 1971, to Errol and Barbara Lewis in Weslaco, Texas. The family lived in Elsa but moved to Donna soon after, where Lance grew up and spent the rest of his life.

Lance was a good son who participated in boy scouts at a young age. He and his family went on countless camping trips and summer vacations every year. The neighborhood gang was always active; backyard football, bicycle ramps, Roman candle wars, and lots of good trouble made priceless memories.

Later in high school, he developed a love for music and learned to play guitar. He went on to play in bands such as Nothing Sacred and Cranial Overload. Lance and his friends also played board games for hours.

After high school, he briefly attended college at Pan American University in Edinburg, where he formed some of his lifelong friendships. He would leave college to pursue a career in the service industry, working as a server in Club-X and South Dallas. He finally settled as bar manager at the Weslaco Elks Lodge, where he would work for nearly twenty years.

Lance loved serving and being around people. Although soft-spoken, he enjoyed the unique personalities, jokes, and friendships he developed during his two decades at the Elk's. After leaving the Elks, Lance joined the Lions Club, volunteering at their monthly "Lion Chalupa" games and helping wherever possible.

Lance lived with his parents his entire life. After their dad (Errol) passed in 2019, Lance became his mom's primary caregiver until her passing in 2022. Lance always had a laugh and a smile for



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you and loved to crack jokes. His laugh was one of a kind, and he touched the lives of everyone he met.

Lance is preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Clark and Lorena Lewis, maternal grandparents, James and Hope Windom, and parents, Errol and Barbara Lewis, aunt, Lorna Bray. Lance is survived by his daughter, Devann Nicole Lara-Lewis (Desserae De la Rosa); brother, Scott Lewis of Ypsilanti, MI; niece, Julie Vaughan (Ethan); nephews, Jonathan and Jacob Lewis (Bethany); aunts and uncles, Irma Malcolm (Richard) of Murrells Inlet, SC, Pamela Edwards (Henry) of Surprise, AZ, James Windom Jr.(Fena) of Charlotte, NC, Arland Lewis (Grace), Larry Lewis (Ruby), Hubert Bray, and Edna Yarbrough.

Visitation will be Saturday, August 5th, at 10 am, followed by a Celebration of Life at 11 am and a gathering of friends and family at 12:30 pm.



# Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** shared a **Video**.



August 7 at 4:19 PM



**Rolie** posted:

My condolences to the Family. I have wonderful memories of Lance, My Cousin Joe Carr, Keller, Memo and I when we had poker nights. We had a great time every time we got together. You will be greatly missed My Friend. Keep Rocking! May You Rest In Peace!

August 5 at 6:39 PM



**Michael /Maria Singleterry And Family**, posted:

My condolences to the entire Lewis family. I remember Lance as always cheerful. Kidding around and laughing. He was too young to go. I will see you on the other side Lance. Cheers to you.

August 5 at 6:39 PM



**Marcos "La Voz" Hernandez** posted:

I had the pleasure to meet Lance at the Elks over 10 years ago. He quickly became a good friend. We always discussed several topics. We enjoyed watching our Dallas Cowboys. After his many years of service to the Elks ended, we became closer friends. I soon invited to join our Lions Club. In a short time he proved to be a great Lion. His dedication to our projects, made him exemplify our We Serve. He was a great help to me during my recovery from illness. He truly had the heart of a Lion. I will miss you dearly Lance. 🇺🇸 🇺🇸 🇺🇸 Marcos "La Voz" Hernandez

August 5 at 6:21 PM



**Ronnie Gomez** posted:

Spent one long night talking to Lance a couple years back. Catching up and remembering the god old days. Deepest condolences to the Lewis family.

August 4 at 7:26 AM



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RF

**Rene & Mary, Singleterry Fam.** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Rene & Mary, Singleterry Fam. has purchased Treasured Memories Floor Basket - Yellow for Lance Lewis

August 1 at 5:32 PM



HV

**Hector (Zap)Vargas Jr** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Had some good times working with Lance at South Dallas RIP MY FRIEND

August 1 at 5:24 PM



MR

**Martha Rodriguez** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Lance was a great friend who kept in touch as best as he could without Facebook. I am going to miss you, my friend. My condolences to the Lewis family and all his friends. He will truly be missed.

August 1 at 4:23 PM



HL

**Herbie Lopez** posted:

I will miss my good friend Lance! We had some great times at the Elks Lodge and the last time we saw each other was at a Lions Club meeting at Paul Garza's house. May you be resting in peace brother. My condolences to all the family. 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

August 1 at 2:15 PM

JT

**John Robert Torres** posted:

A great guy I met through my brother Roy. I remember his unique laugh and playing Magic The Gathering, I still have my decks. I was blessed to get to see and talk with him briefly a few months ago, it was cool to see him again. I will include him and his loved ones in my prayers.

August 1 at 1:16 PM

KM

**Kimberli Machen** posted:

So saddened to hear of his passing RIP Lance

July 31 at 9:11 PM



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JC

**Johnny Cano** posted:

Lance Lewis, a Great Guy from back in school..always with a smile..i never forget a name..Thank you for having crossed my path. Till we meet again.

July 31 at 9:00 PM

SD

**Stephen Davis** posted:

My deepest condolences. Keep you and your family in my prayers

July 31 at 8:16 PM

CA

**Cynthia Alvarez** posted:

High school days and teenage angst. You were a good guy and always had a smile. Rest in peace. My sincere condolences to the family.

July 31 at 6:02 PM

GF

**Grace Lewis And The Lewis Family.** posted:

Our family will miss Lance. He was a loving son, caring father, good nephew and a friend to many. May he Rest In Peace. Amen

July 31 at 5:59 PM

GV

**George Vela** posted:

My sincerest condolencesâ€¦ May he rest in peace

July 31 at 2:41 PM

RV

**Roberto Valdes** posted:

Lion Lance, great times at the Lion Chalupa, events, meetings and just hanging out with us. We will all miss you. Thanks for sharing your time with us, RIP

July 31 at 1:59 PM



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