

Clifton, NJ Family Church: Passing of Mr. Raul Marcial Principe and the Viewing and Seonghwa Schedule

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It is with a heavy heart and deep sadness that we share the sudden and untimely passing of our beloved brother Raul Marcial Principe. We will be holding a Viewing and Seonghwa Ceremonies in honor of Mr. Raul Marcial Principe. There will be no Wonjeon Ceremony. You can access and read his biography [here](#). Please check the information below regarding the programs.

Viewing

Viewing hours will be held at the Hennessey Heights Funeral Home & Cremation **Service** (232 Kipp Avenue Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604) on Sunday, July 7, from 2:00PM-4:00PM. Doors will open at 12:00PM.

Dress Code:

- **Men: Suit with White Tie**
- **Women: White/Beige Dress/Suit**
- **Or Sunday Best**

****Parking Instructions****

Parking is located in the back of the building. There is also access to street parking.

Seonghwa Ceremony

The Seonghwa Ceremony will start right after the Viewing on Sunday, July 7, from 4:00PM- 6:00PM.

Dress Code:

- **Men: Suit with White Tie**
 - **Women: White/Beige Dress/Suit**
 - **Or Sunday Best**
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Support to the Family

Offer a Flower or Memorial Gift

If you would like to offer a flower or memorial gift to Mr. Raul Marcial Principe, please click on this [link](#).

Offer a Prayer

Any prayers for the family is welcome. However, if you wish to join a 40 Hour Chain Prayer leading up to Mr. Raul Marical Principe's Seonghwa Ceremony, please [click on this link](#) and schedule some time of your day to pray for him. The chain prayer started today, July 6, at 12:00AM.

Condolences may be sent to:

NJ Family Church
c/o Mrs. Eriko Endo
78 De Mott Ave.,
Clifton, NJ 07011

Life and Legacy of Raúl Príncipe

He was born on December 29, 1949, in Peru, in the Province of Callao. He was the son of Carmen Arróstegui Chávez and Marcial Príncipe Arismendez. During his childhood he had difficult stages, but he knew how to get ahead. From the age of thirteen he liked to go fishing and learned to dominate the sea, because of this he became a good swimmer, thus swimming being one of his many skills. At the age of 16 he entered to study engine assembly and technical drawing at the Technical College SENATI.

In his youth Raúl was passionate about lyrical music; This made him learn to play the classical guitar on his own, a talent that he cultivated until adulthood. He learned to draw beautiful portraits, the same talent that his grandchildren inherited. He married Adela Isabel Fernandez on November 11, 1976 and they had 3 children, Rosie, Alberto and Rai. In 1982 he joined the Family Federation for World Peace, receiving the Blessing with his wife in Korea in 1992.

Raúl was very good at preparing delicious desserts and baking in a very special way the famous Christmas turkey, a must on the table. He also taught his family by example that it was not enough to earn a salary working for someone, but that he decided to set up his own printing business in his home, when his children were still young.

But one day he decided to sell all his machines and with the help of good friendships that he cultivated throughout his life, he managed to reach the United States, first as a Religious Worker, dedicating several years to the service of his home nation, Peru, the United States and the world. Once he graduated from this particular stage of public service, he learned to work as a fundraiser, preparing his bouquets of roses and paintings that he sold at bus stops in New York.

Some of these friendships, already known in Peru through the Family Federation for World Peace, accompanied him in the United States, since Raúl, thanks to his charisma, was always surrounded by good friends. With effort, he brought his wife and children to reside in the United States.

Raúl had the joy of seeing and living with his 8 grandchildren, as well as the joy of sharing happy years with his wife, children, son-in-law and daughters-in-law in the United States, as was his ideal from the beginning.

For him, his family was always his strength and reason to fight cancer, a disease with which he fought like a warrior for four years. Raul taught his children to never give up. This is how your family and friends will remember him forever.

Goodbye dear Raúl.

Vida y Legado de Raúl Príncipe

Nació un 29 de diciembre de 1949, en Perú, en la Provincia del Callao. Hijo de Carmen Arróstegui Chávez y Marcial Príncipe Arismendez. Durante su infancia tuvo etapas difíciles, pero supo salir adelante. Desde los trece años le gustaba salir a pescar y aprendió a dominar el mar, debido a ello se convirtió en un buen nadador, siendo así la natación una de sus tantas habilidades. A sus 16 años ingresó a estudiar ensamblaje de motores y dibujo técnico en el SENATI.

En su juventud Raúl se apasionaba por la música lírica; esto hizo que aprendiera por sí solo a tocar la guitarra clásica, talento que cultivó hasta la adultez. Aprendió a dibujar hermosos retratos, mismo talento que heredaron sus nietos. Se casó el 11 de Noviembre de 1976 con Adela Isabel Fernandez y tuvieron 3 hijos, Rosie, Alberto y Rai. En el año 1982 se unió a la Federación de Familias para la Paz Mundial, recibiendo la Bendición con su esposa en Corea en el año 1992.

Nuestro padre era muy bueno para preparar ricos postres y para hornear de una manera muy especial el famoso pavo navideño, infaltable en nuestras mesas. También nos enseñó con su ejemplo que no solo era suficiente ganar un sueldo trabajando para alguien, si no que decidió instalar su propio negocio de imprenta en nuestro hogar, cuando sus hijos eran todavía pequeños.

Pero un día decidió vender todas sus máquinas y con la ayuda de buenas amistades que cultivó a lo largo de su vida, logró llegar a los Estados Unidos, primero como Trabajador Religioso, dedicando varios años al servicio su nación de origen, Perú, de los Estados Unidos y el mundo. Una vez graduado de su servicio público, aprendió a trabajar recaudando fondos, preparando sus ramos de rosas y cuadros que vendía en las paradas de autobús en New York.

Algunas de estas amistades ya conocidas en Perú a través de la Federación de Familias, lo acompañaron en los Estados Unidos, ya que Raúl, gracias a su carisma, siempre estaba rodeado de buenos amigos, Con esfuerzo, trajo a su esposa e hijos a residir en los Estados Unidos.

Raúl tuvo la dicha de conocer a sus 8 nietos y llegó a reunirse y compartir con su esposa, hijos, yerno y nueras en los Estados Unidos, como fue su ideal desde un principio.

Para él su familia siempre fue su fuerza y motivo para luchar contra el cáncer, enfermedad con la que luchó como todo un guerrero desde hace cuatro años. Raúl enseñó a sus hijos a nunca darse por vencidos. Así lo recordarán por siempre tu familia y amistades.

Hasta siempre querido Raúl.