



## Maximiliano "Max" Ramirez

October 22, 1976 - September 6, 2025

Maximiliano Cardona "Max" Ramirez, age 48, of Hartselle, passed away peacefully at his residence on Saturday, September 6, 2025. Max was born on October 22, 1976, in Guatemala, Mexico, to Gaspar Cardona and Andrea Ramirez.

A devoted son, husband, father, and grandfather, Max was known for his warm heart and love of the outdoors. Whether hiking through nature, enjoying the fresh air, or spending quiet moments sketching, he found joy in the simple beauty of life. His creativity, kindness, and quiet strength touched everyone who knew him.

Max was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his beloved wife of 21 years, Juana Ramirez; his children, Andrea Ramirez, Rodny Ramirez, and Melany Ramirez; and his cherished granddaughter, Alison Ramirez.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 20, 2025, at 1:00 PM at the Decatur Brown Service Funeral Home Chapel. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

Max will be deeply missed and forever remembered by those who loved him.

Translation in Spanish.....

Maximiliano Cardona “Max” Ramírez, de 48 años, residente de Hartselle, falleció en paz en su hogar el sábado 6 de septiembre de 2025. Max nació el 22 de octubre de 1976 en Guatemala, México, hijo de Gaspar Cardona y Andrea Ramírez.

Fue un hijo, esposo, padre y abuelo dedicado, conocido por su gran corazón y amor por la naturaleza. Ya fuera caminando por senderos, disfrutando del aire libre o simplemente dibujando en silencio, Max encontraba alegría en la belleza simple de la vida. Su creatividad, amabilidad y fortaleza tranquila dejaron una huella profunda en quienes lo conocieron.

Max fue precedido en muerte por sus padres. Le sobreviven su amada esposa durante 21 años, Juana Ramírez; sus hijos, Andrea Ramírez, Rodny Ramírez y Melany Ramírez; y su querida nieta, Alison Ramírez.

Los servicios fúnebres se llevarán a cabo el sábado 20 de septiembre de 2025 a la 1:00 PM en la Capilla de la Funeraria Brown Service en Decatur. La familia recibirá a los amigos una hora antes del servicio.

Max será profundamente extrañado y siempre recordado por todos aquellos que lo amaron.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **20**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Decatur Brown Service Funeral Home  
711 Memorial Drive SW  
Decatur, AL 35601  
(256) 863-3777  
<http://www.decaturbrownservicefuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

SEP **20**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Juana, Andrea, Rodny, Melany and Alison Ramirez. My condolences on your loss of Max. I prayed with him about three weeks ago and was touched by his love for you all and his faith in Jesus. We talked about Jesus being our Good Shepherd in life through all of the blessings and all of the trials here on our path toward Heaven, and also that Jesus would continue to Shepherd Max's family when his time comes to go to God until we all meet again. So he asked if I would pray a prayer of blessing on you all both then, and now. So I thank Jesus for Max and for his love for all of you. I thank Him for your love that he pours into your hearts for your family. And I thank God that Jesus will always remain with all of you to comfort and guide and provide for us until we see Max again. May you always seek the Shepherd for help and in faith and in knowing that he holds Max for you when we will meet him again. God bless you all. Chaplain Rich Thompson -- Hospice of the Valley.

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**Richard Thompson** - September 10, 2025 at 10:58 AM