



## Antonio Abella Zabalerio Sr.

January 31, 1947 - March 14, 2022

Originally from the Philippines, Antonio Abella Zabalerio Sr. passed away peacefully at his home in Vallejo, Ca on Monday March 14th 2022 at the age of 75 surrounded by his loving family.

"Thonie" was born in Tagudin-Ilocos Sur in the Philippines on January 31st 1947 to his mother Teresita Galang Abella Zabalerio and late father Gregorio Aranilla Zabalerio.

Antonio will be remembered by his many accomplishments. One of his many accomplishments was serving in the U.S. Navy for 22.5 years and retiring as a Chief Petty officer serving in the Vietnam War. Antonio brought his mother and siblings to the U.S.A. He enjoyed dancing and singing. Thonie also loved to travel and explore different parts of the world like Japan, Hong Kong, Guam, Africa and many more. He wasn't afraid to try new things.

He will be greatly missed for his cooking. His most famous dishes loved by his family were Nilaga, Adobo, Salisbury Steak and Michado. His love for his family and life was his greatest gift to all.

Those left to cherish his memory include his life companion and spouse Evangelina Betan Ella Zabalerio of Lucban in the Philippines, his children Daniel and wife Anna, Pamela and spouse David, and Antonio Jr and wife Melissa, his 10 grand children, Mikhaela, Stephanie, Nathaniel, Alexandria, Antonio III, Maddox, Scarlett, Cheyenne, Indigo and Daveigh, his mother, Teresita, his siblings Efren, Imelda, Gregorio Jr., Rolando, Arnulfo, Rodol and Renato.

Visitation will be held 4-8 PM with a Vigil Service at 7 PM on Wednesday, March 30 at Twin Chapels Mortuary, 1100 Tennessee St., Vallejo. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 AM on Thursday, March 31, at St. Vincent's Ferrer Catholic Church, 925 Sacramento St., Vallejo. Military Honors and Burial will follow at Sacramento Valley National cemetery, 5810 Midway Rd., Dixon.

Arrangements entrusted to the direction and care of Twin Chapels Mortuary, Vallejo (707) 552-6696. [www.TwinChapelsMortuary.com](http://www.TwinChapelsMortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Sacramento Valley VA National Cemetery

5810 Midway Road  
Dixon, CA 95620

## Previous Events

### Visitation

MAR **30**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

Twin Chapels Mortuary  
1100 Tennessee Street  
Vallejo, CA 94590  
(707) 552-6696  
twinchapels@aol.com

### Vigil Service

MAR **30**. 7:00 PM (PT)

Twin Chapels Mortuary  
1100 Tennessee Street  
Vallejo, CA 94590  
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### Funeral Mass

MAR **31**. 10:00 AM (PT)

St. Vincent Catholic Church  
925 Sacramento St  
Vallejo, CA 94590

# Tribute Wall



“ 150 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Twin Chapels Mortuary** - March 30, 2022 at 02:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Antonio Abella Zabalerio Sr..



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March 29, 2022 at 10:48 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of Antonio Abella Zabalerio Sr..



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March 29, 2022 at 01:25 PM