



## LCpl. Shawn Hiram Mayers, Vet. USMC

September 3, 1971 - June 8, 2024

LCpl. Shawn Hiram Mayers, Vet. USMC, age 52, passed away on Saturday, June 8, 2024 here in Del Rio. He was born on September 3, 1971.

In 1989, Veteran Mayers enlisted into the United States Marine Corps in Dallas, Texas. He served his country proudly until 1991 when he was medically discharged, achieving the rank of Lance Corporal.

Apart from his service, he had a passion for painting, literature, and economics, finding fulfillment in the study of these subjects. He had a deep passion for jazz music, finding solace and inspiration in its melodies. He was a lifelong learner, always eager to explore new subjects and expand his horizons. He was also known as a friend to the community of Del Rio, where he made meaningful connections and contributions. He is survived by his loving daughter, Vanessa Mayers, of San Antonio, Texas.

Graveside services will be held on Friday, June 28, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. at Westlawn Cemetery. Full military honors will be rendered by the United States Marine Corps. and the Jesus M. Limones American Legion Honor Guard Post #595.

All are encouraged to gather throughout Main Street for a "Farewell Tribute". The funeral procession will depart Trinity Mortuary at 10:00 a.m. on Friday

morning.

(The processional route is as follows: Leaving Trinity down Kings Way to W Cantu Rd. to N. Main St. to W. 2nd St.)

# Previous Events

## Farewell Tribute

JUN 28. 10:00 AM - 10:15 AM (CT)

Trinity Mortuary  
206 Kings Way  
Del Rio, TX 78840  
(830) 775-2230  
info@trinitymortuary.com  
<https://www.trinitymortuary.com>

*(Leaving Trinity towards Main Street finishing at Westlawn Cemetery)*

## Military Honors

JUN 28. 10:30 AM - 10:40 AM (CT)

Westlawn Cemetery  
1313 W. 2nd St.  
Del Rio, TX 78840

*United States Marine Corps. & Jesus M. Limones American Legion Honor Guard Post #595*

## Graveside Service

JUN 28. 10:40 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Westlawn Cemetery  
1313 W. 2nd St.  
Del Rio, TX 78840

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr Mayers was a man of God. We traded many coupons for Whataburger.. he was a kind hearted man. He would exercise and run on a daily basis. For a short while he struggled... Del Rio, Texas, is a hard place to live in when you do not know people and many fear you because of your size. Slowly, began to speak and meet people. When he found out that I collected coupons of all sorts to share with the elderly... he contributed to fund and in return, he took coupons from his favorite places. In speaking with him, he learned the names of places and the different items of food he could buy.. when & where the best deals were.. we gave him a tour of old Del Rio and when he went to visit the Cross on Santa Maria, he was amazed to see the Aurora lift from the Cross and float into the sky... he cried and sat there in amazement... thanking God for the opportunity of being there.*

*May he rest in peace. We need to remember, every veterans suffers in silence... it is us, the general public, that help them cope and ease their emotional pain... Yehoshua receive his soul and bless all who gave him a smile and shared their loving kindness with him... thank you, Yehoshua for sharing this veteran with us in Del Rio.*

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**bea Vallejo** - June 25, 2024 at 01:16 AM

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“ *I always saw Mr Mayers walking down Veterans Blvd. He seemed to have a kind gentle spirit. I always smiled at him when I encountered him. I hope he knows that I prayed for him when I would see him.*

*Thank you for your service.*

*May you rest in peace.*

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**Cynthia Hernandez Alatorre** - June 09, 2024 at 01:29 PM



*I would see Copl Mayers by Family Dollar. He always would wear black. Friendly person. I would donate money and thanked him for his service. RIP Marine. 🙏🙏🙏*

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**Linda Polanco** - June 10, 2024 at 03:02 PM