**Jose Andrade Garcia (death of JBS meatpacking worker) Marshalltown, Iowa**

On Friday May 15th, 2020, Jose Andrade Garcia lost his fight against covid-19. Only a week away from retirement he became incredibly ill and was fighting for his life for a whole month until he could not any longer.

He was a loving father of 6 children, grandfather of 11 grandchildren, brother, son, and friend.  Anyone who had the honor to meet him would agree that he touched the lives of those who surrounded him with his humbleness and love.

We are all devastated by his loss and were not prepared for the high cost of a funeral service and medical expenses. We want to give our dad the memorial he deserves, to honor his memory and say our last goodbyes. Dads last wish was to retire and go back to his hometown in Mexico to care for his mom. We want to grant him his wish and lay him to Rest in Mexico.