



April 5, 2021

Raquel Martinez  
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Dear Ms. Martinez,

As Mayor of the City of Orlando, I would like to extend my sincere sympathy for the recent passing of your beloved husband, Reverend Edward Martinez. Our concern and compassion go out to you and your family at this difficult time.

Over the last 47 years, Reverend Martinez has served our diverse Orlando community at Iglesia Vida Abundante, formerly Bethany Church, the first Hispanic Assemblies of God Church, and other ministries by delivering a hopeful message, edifying and transforming the lives of his parishioners. His devotion as a pastor encouraged him not only to preach God's message in Central Florida but in cities throughout the United States and countries around the world.

We want you to know that this city is here for you during this time of transition. I hope that time and warm memories will help lessen the pain of your sorrow and that you may draw some measure of comfort knowing others share in your loss.

If my staff or I can be of any assistance to you, please know that we are only a phone call away.

Sincerely,



Buddy Dyer  
Mayor