

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL
LT. VINCENT PEREZ AND FF/PM ANTHONY VALERIO

IN THE PRESENCE OF

MOST REVEREND GEORGE H. NIEDERAUER
ARCHBISHOP OF SAN FRANCISCO

MOST REVEREND BISHOP WILLIAM J. JUSTICE
AUXILIARY BISHOP OF SAN FRANCISCO

MONSIGNOR JOHN TALESFORE, *RECTOR, ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL*

REVEREND JOHN L. GREENE, *CELEBRANT, CHAPLAIN SFFD*

REVEREND MICHAEL HEALY, *CHAPLAIN SFPD*

REVEREND THOMAS HAMILTON, *CHAPLAIN SFSD*

PRELUDE

PROCESSION SFFD HONOR GUARD
 IRISH PIPER BAND OF SAN FRANCISCO

INTRODUCTORY RITES

HYMN "AMAZING GRACE"

GREETING/SPRINKLING WITH HOLY WATER/PLACING OF THE PALL

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING SGT. LUCIO PEREZ, SFPD

RESPONSORIAL PSALM STEPHEN WALSH

"MY SHEPHERD IS THE LORD, NOTHING INDEED SHALL I WANT."

SECOND READING JACQUELINE VALERIO-SAMSEL

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION "ALLELUIA"

THE HOLY GOSPEL REV. MICHAEL HEALY

HOMILY REV. JOHN L. GREENE

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL SUSAN CORNHILL, CAROL CONLEY,
 BRIAN HAGER, ALEX PEREZ,
 MARYLEEN PEREZ, LUCIO PEREZ

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS "AVE MARIA"
 HEATHER IVANCIC

BRINGING UP THE GIFTS FAMILIES OF LT. VINCENT PEREZ
 AND FF/PM ANTHONY VALERIO

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

OUR FATHER/SIGN OF PEACE

COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMNS "PESCADOR DE HOMBRES"
 "I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE"

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

CITY REMEMBRANCE

HONORABLE MAYOR EDWIN M. LEE

FIRE FIGHTER FAREWELL

A/CAPTAIN WILLIAM STORTI, ENG.26

LT. TOM O'CONNOR, *PRESIDENT LOCAL 798*

CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT JOANNE HAYES-WHITE

FAMILY & FRIENDS REMEMBRANCES

MARK VALERIO, BRIAN HAGER,
MARYLEEN PEREZ, SGT. ALEX PEREZ, OPD

FIRE FIGHTER HONORS

BADGE & HELMET PRESENTATION CHIEF JOANNE HAYES-WHITE

BELL TRIBUTE/LAST ALARM A/CAPTAIN WILLIAM STORTI

FINAL COMMENDATION AND FAREWELL

ARCHBISHOP NIEDERAUER

HONOR GUARD DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

VINNIE PEREZ PALLBEARERS

ALEX PEREZ LUCIO PEREZ MARYLEEN PEREZ JAMES CARLIN
JUSTIN BROWN TRAVIS RAIL BRUCE MARTIN DAVID MAXION

TONY VALERIO PALLBEARERS

KEVIN VALERIO TOMMY WALKUP AUSTIN SAMSEL JARED SAMSEL
JEAN LELU PAUL PIANCONE BRIAN HAGER JEFF MEYER



THE FIREFIGHTER'S PRAYER

WHEN I AM CALLED TO DUTY, GOD, WHEREVER FLAMES MAY RAGE;
GIVE ME STRENGTH TO SAVE A LIFE, WHATEVER BE ITS AGE.

HELP ME EMBRACE A LITTLE CHILD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE
OR SAVE AN OLDER PERSON FROM THE HORROR OF THAT FATE.

ENABLE ME TO BE ALERT AND HEAR THE WEAKENED SHOUT,
AND QUICKLY AND EFFICIENTLY TO PUT THE FIRE OUT.

I WANT TO FILL MY CALLING AND TO GIVE THE BEST IN ME.
TO GUARD MY FRIEND AND NEIGHBOR AND PROTECT THEIR PROPERTY.

AND IF, ACCORDING TO YOUR WILL, I AM TO LOSE MY LIFE;
PLEASE BLESS WITH YOUR PROTECTING HAND, MY FAMILY I LEAVE BEHIND.

INTERMENT WILL FOLLOW THE MASS AT
HOLY CROSS CEMETERY, COLMA



*THE FAMILIES OF LT. VINCENT PEREZ AND FF/PM ANTHONY VALERIO
EXTEND HEARTFELT GRATITUDE TO FR. JOHN GREENE, THE SFFD, SFPD,
SF FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 798 AND TO ALL THOSE
WHO HAVE BEEN SO LOVING AND SUPPORTIVE DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME.*

*DONATIONS MAY BE MADE IN MEMORY OF
LT. VINCENT PEREZ AND FF/PM ANTHONY VALERIO*

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OUR FALLEN BROTHERS



LT. VINCENT PEREZ
APRIL 9, 1963 - JUNE 2, 2011



FF/PM ANTHONY VALERIO
AUGUST 14, 1957 - JUNE 4, 2011



MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 2011

*CATHEDRAL OF ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA*