

Rudy Garcia, Sr.

North Central Texas Hall of Fame



One of Rudy's biggest passions was bowling. He started bowling in 1978 at the age of 38 in the Fort Worth area.

He was a past president of the Greater Fort Worth Association and a lifetime member.

He found his joy for bowling tournaments after joining the Latin Bowlers Club. Throughout the years, if there was a tournament, he was probably there. In 1981, he made it on TV bowling in the Pizza Inn Claim to Fame team tournament in which he won with his brother Pete Garcia and Donald Granado.

When he turned 50, he joined the Senior All Star Bowling Association tour (SASBA) where he won 6 titles locally and around the state which includes 3 Christmas team titles, 1 trio title with Pat Currie and Dick Smith, and 2 Member/Member titles with NCTUSBC Hall of Famer Ron Boroff.

When he retired from his career as a civil engineer in 2010, he decided to take his passion to the next level and go out on the senior tour or PBA50 as it is now referred to in which he cashed a few times.

In 2014, he decided to get into the pro shop business in the Fort Worth area to try and help other bowlers. Thanks to bowling, he made numerous friends that he enjoyed bowling tournaments and spending time with.