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This Week: Mayor Pro Tem **JORGE MARQUEZ**

& "What is happening in Covina?"



Mayor Pro-Tem Jorge Marquez has been a resident of Covina for close to 30 years. The son of first generation Mexican immigrants, he grew up in Covina and was instilled with a deep commitment to his community. Jorge attended both Covina-Valley and Charter Oak School Districts, participating in local programs like Covina Little League and AYSO.

As a tireless community volunteer, Jorge has served as a City

Commissioner, Covina-Valley Unified School District's Personnel Commissioner, an AYSO coach, member of the Covina Lions Breakfast Club, and as an active member of Sacred Heart Parish. He believes in giving back to the city he grew up in and he is humbled to have this opportunity to serve you on the Covina City Council.

Jorge works as a Senior Field Deputy for the California State Legislature and it is his responsibility to handle a wide variety of issues, including Public Safety, Veteran's Affairs, and Housing. Through his daily work with cities, school districts, local agencies, community organizations, and residents, Jorge promotes the advancement of programs and projects that benefit our community here in Covina as well as the greater San Gabriel Valley.

**\*Celebrating Christmas at Our 2016 luncheon \***



Pictured: President Patricia Harvey, Johnny Brittain and his children, Charter Oak Choir, Tony Nevarez & Family, plus Santa Claus (Terry Fitch)

**PETE REYNOLDS**

April 2, 1926 – December 26, 2016

Well loved past Covina Rotarian, prominent community leader, and successful businessman Pete Reynolds peacefully passed away earlier this week in his sleep at the age of 90.

Services will be Friday, January 6th, 11am at the

United Methodist Church, 201 E Bennett Ave, Glendora  
In lieu of flowers, gifts can be made to the Mt. San Antonio College Foundation "Pete Reynolds Family Scholarship."

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**SOMETHING TO PONDER:**

In Queen Elizabeth II's Christmas speech she said, "How the world looks depends upon where you're standing."



President Patricia Harvey would like to add: As Covina Rotarians, we are in the perfect position to do incredible, life changing things in 2017 so that more people in this world can see the better side of life. It's just one part of being a Rotarian.....Happy New Year!