To our friends and family,

You may or may not know that several years ago we suffered the loss of a very beloved child. She was a granddaughter, a daughter, a sister, a niece, a cousin, and above all a caring and loving friend. This beautiful young woman was taken from our family too early at the very young age of 18 and left all who knew her devastated. Below is a brief description of the events that tore her from our lives.

Fifteen years ago, in the early hours of Saturday morning, October 2, 1993, Rani Adena Goodgame found herself in the wrong place at the wrong time. After spending the evening with some friends, she returned to a house to drop off an item left in her car only to find herself right in the middle of a gang retaliation drive-by shooting. A pick-up truck full of fractioning La Raza gang members drove past the house she was parked in front of wielding semi-automatic weapons. With no thought or care for their actions they opened fire on the house, riddling it and Rani's car with bullets. The result of their savage actions... one girl wounded (who would later recover), and one girl dead. .

Unlike some gang activity that goes unsolved, the police knew very well who the people were behind this shooting. As months would pass, several men would be taken in to custody and eventually two would be charged with the murder of Rani Adena Goodgame, and the attempted capital murder of the other young girl.

Hector Xavier Gomez was the first of the two men to be sentenced to 45 years with the eligibility of parole. The second, Fidel Marquez, was sentenced to a mere 28 years, for both offenses, to run concurrently with the eligibility of parole.

Almost 14 years after his sentencing date, Fidel Marquez is coming up for parole. Our family is in need of your help to keep this evil animal behind bars as long as possible. We are writing this petition to present to the parole board requesting the maximum of a 5-year set-off, asking them to deny his parole and not allow him to come up for review again for 5 more years. We hope they will agree this man does not deserve to return to society to continue perpetrating his evils on innocent bystanders.

Please help our family keep this man in jail by signing below and forwarding this petition on to others who can help. **NEITHER THE INMATE NOR HIS ATTORNEYS ARE ALLOWED TO READ THE LETTERS IN HIS FILES. THEY WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.** 

By signing below, we are requesting the board please deny parole for Fidel Marquez, State ID: 05220937, TDCJ ID: 00695350 with a 5 year set-off for his next parole hearing.

With much love and appreciation for your support, we thank you.

The Goodgame Family

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Petition for denial of parole regarding Fidel Marquez, State ID: 05220937, TDCJ ID: 00695350.

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If the last person to sign this petition could please mail it to the following address as soon as possible, we would appreciate it very much.

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