Fr Clifford Anthony “Padre Antonio” Norman

BIRTH 24 Mar 1931
Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, USA

DEATH 3 May 2013 (aged 82)
Colon, Colón Municipality, Querétaro de Arteaga, Mexico

BURIAL Cremated, Other, Specifically: Ashes placed in the chapel at Santa Maria del Mexicano, Colon, Queretaro, Mexico.

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PEORIA - Father Clifford A. Norman, age 82, formerly of Peoria, passed away peacefully on Friday, May 3, 2013, at his home in Colon, Queretaro, Mexico.

The son of Howard and Emma Norman, he was born on March 24, 1931.

Father Cliff attended St. Bernards grade school and Spalding high school.

He is survived by his brother, Ted of Salem, Ore. Also surviving are nephews, Mark Norman and Michael Norman of Peoria, and niece Catherine Norman Michel of Morton.

Ordained to the Catholic priesthood on April 30, 1960, Father Cliff was engaged in foreign missionary work and in 1957[sic: 1975] founded a home for neglected and abandoned children in central Mexico. It is now one of the largest private facilities in Mexico, serving the needy. He died at his home there.

His funeral services were held on May 11, 2013. His ashes were placed in the chapel at Santa Maria.

In his memory, any donations to Santa Maria may be mailed to Hand of Help Program - For Santa Maria del Mexicano in name of Fr. Clifford A. Norman, Society of Our Lady of the Most Holy Trinity, P.O. Box 1406, Robstown, Texas, 78380. Or send donations to Ed Dwyer c/o Fatherless Boys, 3415 Sheridan Road,
Peoria IL 61604.


"Father Clifford was my brother in law, he was born in Chicago Cook Illinois- The first 3 of 6 sons were born in Chicago and the last 3 were born in Peoria. Because of the depression my father in law had to go to Chicago for work, as soon as he was able to obtain work in Peoria they came back. He [his father] pumped gas on the south side of Chicago for a brother in law."

"He was ordained 20 April 1960 Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Pueblo Colorado- The youthful photo was the picture taken for his ordination."

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