

They call me Enrique

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I am a man who can live in peace
They call me Enrique
I was born time in a time
A simple time
I was born in 1940's
In a place called Ameca, Jalisco
They call me Enrique
Hard work had to be done
I had lived with my parents in bliss
We had laughs and bad times but we lived in prosperity
They call me Enrique
Now it is my time at the age of 23 to go have a life
I am going to a land
A land where they call the land of opportunities
America
They call me Enrique
I stack and stack food
At 28
Then I meet my love
I believed she was the one
We get married and a child
His name is Enrique
I live happy then one day she ran away
They call me Enrique
I live with my child till I was 41
I met another woman
Her name was Maria
I had 6 more kids
I lived happily for a while then she began to be a pain
Then we argued and we were not together
We are now divorced
After many courts I had lost
They call me Enrique
I have no kids
No more lands
I mope and weep for my luck
My luck has ran out
Now I am 65
I have house
My kids
And a healthy family
They call me Enrique
Now I hope the further generations of Delgadillo's will be okay
I hope we can live in peace and health
Now I am going to do what I have been doing
Surviving