



Christopher Alan Montano

September 11, 1989 - July 12, 2014

1989-2014

Christopher Alan Montano, age 24, a resident of Belen, NM passed away on Saturday, July 12, 2014. Christopher was a very outgoing person who made friends with anyone he came across. He enjoyed serving and being around people. Christopher loved spending time with his great-grandma, Emelia Montano "Gum". His family was everything to him always making them laugh and making any situation or family functions fun. He was preceded in death by his great-grandparents and many relatives. Christopher is survived by his mother, Eugena Ramirez; step-father, Valentino Ramirez; father, Chris Montano; brothers, Gabriel, Michael and Brandon Montano; great-grandmother, Lillian Romero, grandparents, Eloy Montano, Roselynn Chavez, Joanne and Ben Baldonado, Kenny and Nora Maestas. He is also survived by many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. Pallbearers will be Gabriel, Michael and Brandon Montano, Patrick and Diego Garcia and Anthony Mora. "HE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY ALL THOSE WHO'S LIVES HE TOUCHED." All services will be held at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church, on Thursday, July 17th beginning with a Viewing at 8:30 a.m. with a Rosary to be recited at 9:30 a.m. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. with Father Stephen Schultz presiding. Interment will follow at Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens. Sign Christopher's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhome.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main Street, Belen, NM

Cemetery Details

Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens

101 N. 10th Street
Belen, NM 87002

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL 17. 8:30 AM (MT)

Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church
101 N. 10th Street
Belen, NM 87002

Rosary

JUL 17. 9:30 AM (MT)

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Funeral Mass

JUL 17. 10:00 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

TF

“ We are sorry to read of the passing of your loved one. Words don't always ease the pain when you are grieving the death of a loved one, but we hope you will find comfort in Jesus' promise of the resurrection hope (Acts 24:15) when he will raise up those who are now sleeping in death (John 11:11) restoring them back to life, on the renewed Paradise earth (John 5:28,29; Luke 23:43) what a wonderful blessing to look forward too. Until then, may Jehovah God (Psalms 83:18) grant you peace and comfort during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

The Vasquez Family - August 27, 2014 at 03:42 PM

MG

“ My most heartfelt sympathy and prayers to the Montano family.

*Molly Gabaldon,
Rio Rancho, NM*



Molly Gabaldon - July 18, 2014 at 11:44 AM



“ Our deepest condolences go out to Eugena, Chris & family. I'm so very sorry for the loss of your beautiful son, our prayers & thoughts are with you all. May God bless you and keep you all.

Joy Silva & family

Joy Silva - July 17, 2014 at 08:06 PM

 Krystal
Kaiser

“ Chris you will always be missed. I will always remember your awesome karaoke at Jens house. I will cherish the time you and Eugene bonded and gave Matt a hard time all in fun. Laughs and good times were always had when you were around. I hope you are at peace now. My prayers go out to your loved ones. Goodbye to you, until we meet again.

Krystal Kaiser - July 17, 2014 at 11:14 AM



“ Chris, I never got to tell you that I stopped and ate at your Dad's place just like you told me to.....it was wonderful. I remember when you played in band with my son Marc at Belen High School - you were the life of the band then and most recently the life of the party at Mariscos - we went crazy on the dance floor that night! You will be missed and the memories of you and your beautiful smile will be cherished always. Mario feels the same way. Until we meet again my friend, Karla Laurie

Karla Barela - July 17, 2014 at 09:22 AM

 Jen
Marie

“ Chris, I still can't believe your gone! I was so blessed that you were my bestie! We had so many good times. I am blessed to have so many good memories to look back on. I am glad I got to view you yesterday and say my good bye. When I am sad I just look at pictures and see your beautiful smile. I hope you have found the peace that you couldn't find here. You touched so many people with your wonderful personality and your beautiful smile. I know one day I will see you again until then I will carry you in my heart! I love you!



Jen Marie - July 17, 2014 at 08:26 AM

CJ

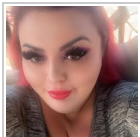
“ Wow..... Where to start. It's Thursday and we usually see you cause you come in to have your Tokyo Teas at Mariscos. Instead we are all gonna gather to say goodbye. It's not right. Just know you will be deeply missed and im sure we all have good memories of you because you were always the life of the party. So long my friend until the day we meet again. My condolences go out to your family. I'm sorry for your loss. Always a friend CARRIE (bartender)@ Mariscos Altamar

Carrie Jurado - July 17, 2014 at 02:01 AM



“ Chris was amazing and always a fresh breath to see and get that awesome hug and great laugh just so amazing you are missed and in my prayers daily you are so loved always

Chelsea Baca - July 16, 2014 at 10:57 PM



“ I was listening to Michael Jackson Human Nature it reminded me so much of u. Member when we went and seen this is it!!!

Kimmy Aragon - July 16, 2014 at 09:02 PM

Cindy Williams

“ Cindy Williams lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano



Cindy Williams - July 16, 2014 at 08:53 PM

RS

“ *I am truly sorry for your loss Chris. My prayers are with you and your family.*

Rachel Sanchez - July 16, 2014 at 03:45 PM

NM

“ *Chris I am so sorry for the loss of your son. You and the rest of your family are in my prayers.*

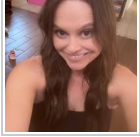
Nicole Mirabal - July 16, 2014 at 02:40 PM

AT

“ Christopher,

I can't express the sorrow I am feeling you were my best friend the only person I could truly be myself with, but that's why we were so close. Ill always remember you laughing, dancing, and making jokes. At times we would get carried away in our fun and we would sometimes get crazy looks and remarks but we didn't care we were just living and we would cheers to each other because even though others didn't get us we got each other and fully understood each other and most importantly accepted each other through whatever we did together or apart. My bond with you was stronger than any bond. You Made Friends Everywhere You Went And The World Fell In Love With you! I remember having b the time of our lives at this one party and u were dancing to the macarena you were the only person on the dance floor and some one came and asked me if I was embarrassed of you.. I turned right over to u n grabbed u n hugged u and lookEd at her and said I will never be embarrassed of my best friend because this is why he is my best friend and I love him. Im blessed enough that if I wrote down all of our memories I could write a book! You will always be in my heart My love! Condolences to the Montano Family expect Eugenia and Chris. I loved your son with all of my heart and soul. P.S Christopher, who am I supposed to marry when I turn 30 now? You broke our pact! :-(I'll always miss you

Andrea Telles - July 16, 2014 at 09:08 AM



“ *My prayers are with all of you at this hard time. Christopher always made us smile! Every time I would see him, whether at work, his home, Walmart, family functions he always had this smile on his face. Christopher is my cousin and he will be missed dearly by everyone! Lots of love and prayers go out to all of the family. May God continue giving you all strength in this time of sorrow. Love, Manuel Peralta, Jessica, Johnathan and Julianna Zamora*

Jessica Zamora - July 16, 2014 at 08:12 AM

SL

“ *Shianne Leavy lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano*

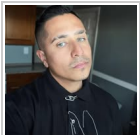


Shianne Leavy - July 15, 2014 at 11:39 PM

MC

“ *No more worries, no more pain. May you rest in paradise my friend. I'll never forget that wonderful smile and how you always made me laugh. You will truly be missed.*

Margaret Chavez - July 15, 2014 at 02:54 PM



“ *Chris, I'll always remember you as a vibrant, awesome person. You're in my thoughts & prayers.*

Christopher Venegas - July 15, 2014 at 02:49 PM

DB

“ Dear chris we are so sorry for the loss of your son. You are in are paryers we love you and are here for you if you need anything. love your brother Johnny, sister inlaw Demetra and Madison, Andres, Malachi Baldonado

demetra baldonado - July 15, 2014 at 12:02 PM

AM

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Christopher was an amazing person with a heart of gold. I have memories of Christopher always smiling and always trying to make others smile also. I know words cannot express the sorrow I feel for your family. I will keep you all in my prayers. I am blessed to have known him and I know he left so many wonderful memories on the people he loved and the people who loved him in return. I wish I knew what to say to help comfort you and again I am so sorry for your loss and if you need anything please let me know. You are in my prayers.

Adria Montano - July 15, 2014 at 11:38 AM

EC

“ To the family:
Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts. With heartfelt condolences, love, and hugs.
We love you Gena and Cono.
Vanessa, Eileen, Gordy.

Eileen Cooke - July 15, 2014 at 11:18 AM

DD

“ It is a very sad time for you right now my prayers to you as parents, may your child be resting in peace in the arms of God. May you find comfort and strength at this sad and difficult time.

*Dorothy Chavez Dominguez
Mabel Chavez*

DOROTHY DOMINGUEZ - July 15, 2014 at 11:16 AM

ET

“ Christopher you will be missed, it has been a while since I last saw you, but I can always remember going to your step dads and mothers home and you always have a smile.



To the family sorry for the hurt in your heart. My prayers are with you.

Emelly Torres

Emelly Torres - July 15, 2014 at 10:39 AM

DS

“ May you Rest In Peace... You will be missed..

Desiree Sanchez - July 15, 2014 at 08:42 AM

SR

“ Chris and Family,
We are very sad to hear of the loss of your son. He is way too young to be passing.

Sincerely,

Paul and Susan Romero and Carolyn

Susan Romero - July 15, 2014 at 08:39 AM

AR

“ *Siento mucho. May God bless you all.*



Albert Romero - July 15, 2014 at 07:27 AM

DT

“ *to the guy that even when we were both having a bad day we could get a smile out of each other sorry to see you go brother join the rest of the good spirit and please help watch over us all*



daniel tellez - July 15, 2014 at 02:51 AM



“ *God Bless the Montano Family at their time of loss, Thoughts and Prayers*



David Arabadschi - July 15, 2014 at 12:13 AM

FM

“ *Frank And Dolores Marquez lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano*



Frank and Dolores Marquez - July 14, 2014 at 10:32 PM

FM

Chris We'd like to extend our most sincere condolences on your loss of your son .may God Bless all of your family in this very difficult time

Frank and Dolores Marquez - July 14, 2014 at 10:35 PM

TA

“ *I told chris he was my bundle of joy and he truly was he could always make me smile and anyone else he came in contact with he touched so many people in a way he never really knew he could he truly impacted lots of hearts and we will miss him I will truly miss his humor and smile most chris I know your with the angels*

tash - July 14, 2014 at 07:59 PM

MA

“ *With deepest Sympathy to the Montano Family during this very difficult time:*

God looked around his garden and found an empty place. He then looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face. He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest. God's garden must be beautiful; He always takes the best. He saw the road was getting rough, and the hills were hard to climb, so He closed your weary eyelids and whispered, "Peace be thine." It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone, for part of us went with you the day God called you home.

God Bless you all and you will be in our Prayers, The Baldonado Family; Reynaldo & Josie Baldonado; Mary Celsa & Joe Archuleta; Ramona Irene & Cecil Sanchez; Joe & Felice Baldonado.

Mary Archuleta - July 14, 2014 at 07:04 PM

AR

“ My prayers go out the family and friends of Christopher....I didn't know him personally, but I do know the family....Please keep him in your hearts always and know that he is watching over all of you from Heaven. God Bless You all....

Alice Robinson (daughter of Eusebio & Anita Cordova)

Alice Robinson - July 14, 2014 at 06:18 PM

AS

“ *"Lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano."*

To The Family of Christopher Alan Montano, We'd like to extend our most sincere condolences on your loss of Christopher. We visited with him at Texas Roadhouse where he worked, last Saturday. He was always so polite and always greeted us with a smile. Christopher will be greatly missed by all who knew him. May God Bless all of the Family at this most difficult time.

*Sincerely,
Adam & Ruby Salas & Family*

Adam & Ruby Salas - July 14, 2014 at 06:18 PM



KG

“ *Kathy Giron lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano*



Kathy Giron - July 14, 2014 at 05:59 PM

BC

“ Beverly Castillo lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano



Beverly Castillo - July 14, 2014 at 05:29 PM

AC

“ Chris---We were saddened to hear of the passing of your son, Christopher. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers

Charles Paiz and Annette E. Chavez

Annette E. Chavez - July 14, 2014 at 04:13 PM

SM

“ Samuel And Nadia Moya lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano



Samuel and Nadia Moya - July 14, 2014 at 02:51 PM

KK

“ Kar King lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano



Kar King - July 14, 2014 at 01:25 PM

JV

“ Jackie, Kar And Vanessa lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano



Jackie, Kar and Vanessa - July 14, 2014 at 01:24 PM

VT

“ My sincere condolences to the family of Christopher Montano. May you find comfort in your loving memories, and in God's promise to soon "swallow up death forever" and "wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25;8) While grief at the loss of Christopher is great, joy at welcoming him back in the resurrection will be greater. (Mark 5;42) With deepest sympathy,

v. thompson - July 14, 2014 at 11:42 AM

JS

“ Jamey Sanchez lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano



Jamey Sanchez - July 14, 2014 at 11:38 AM

LM

“ Christopher my dearest sweet friend, I may not make it to say goodbye cause I'm far away, but know I love you and im surely gonna miss you with all my heart and soul, I will NEVER forget my lil angel.. deepest thoughts and condolences to the montano family. May Christopher be at peace with the wonderful lord in heaven. R.I.Paridise sweet stuff. Love, always lilly. ;(

liliana montano - July 14, 2014 at 10:45 AM

DW

“ *May God bless the entire family during this very difficult time. You all are in my prayers.*

Dion White - July 14, 2014 at 09:49 AM

RJ

“ *My deepest condolences and most heart felt prayers go out to the family of Chris. I was blessed to have had the chance to meet Chris.. He was a very bright soul, so full of energy, laughs, and smiles. I pray for the family and Chris' close friends... God be with you all in this time of grief. I'm so very sorry for your loss.*
~ Rochelle Juarez

Rochelle Juarez - July 14, 2014 at 09:46 AM

EP

“ *Eugenia Vigil Pena lit a candle in memory of Christopher Alan Montano*



Eugenia Vigil Pena - July 14, 2014 at 09:44 AM