



Christopher Pino

May 16, 1975 - January 7, 2022

1975 – 2022

Christopher Pino, age 46, a resident of Belen, and native of Bosque, NM went to be with our Lord and Savior on January 7, 2022. He was a member of the Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church. Christopher was full of faith in God, constant in prayer, and would rarely go anywhere without a rosary in his pocket or his scapular around his neck. He was a proud graduate of Belen High School and an even prouder graduate of the New Mexico Law Enforcement Academy and New Mexico Corrections Academy. Christopher's career was filled with excitement, adventure and adrenaline rushes. He loved to recap his exploits to his family, and give detailed accounts of the most interesting encounters he had while in the line of duty. Christopher worked with several law enforcement agencies throughout New Mexico over the years, and always had a special story to tell about each one. While he was passionate about law enforcement, there was something he was even more enamored with. His love of Harley Davidson motorcycles, specifically his pristine Ultra Classic, is something that all who knew Chris were very well aware of. Chris loved going on bike rides, whether they be a day trip to Thunderbird, or a weekend trip to a local run or rally. He enjoyed showing off his bike, and never left the house without giving it a good shine. Chris was a member of the Los Carnales Motorcycle Club, and more recently, the American Legion Riders. He is preceded in death by his parents, Premetivo Pino and Elfida Salas Pino; his grandparents; and many aunts, uncles, and

cousins. Chris is survived by his sister Annie Sanchez; brother-in-law, Delbert Sanchez; and his niece and goddaughter, DeeAnn Sanchez, who he bragged about constantly to anyone he came across. He is also survived by many loving aunts, cousins, and friends. Christopher epitomized the Harley Davidson slogan "Live to Ride, Ride to Live," and so in true Chris Pino fashion, he will be honored with a "Last Ride" of his motorcycle on the morning of January 24, 2022. All who would like to participate in Chris' last ride are encouraged to meet at the Cristo Rey Church in Bosque, NM at 8:00 a.m. for a line up, and be prepared to begin the ride/procession to the Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church at 8:30 a.m. All family and friends are invited to come on their motorcycles or in their vehicles to ride behind Chris and his bike on the way to the services to celebrate his life. A visitation will be held on Monday, January 24, 2022 at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church at 9:00 a.m., followed by a Rosary to be recited at 10:00 a.m. A funeral mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Interment will take place at a later date. The urn bearer will be DeeAnn Sanchez. Honorary Urn Bearers will be cousins, Joseph Baca and Leon Baca. The family would like to thank everyone who has and continues to reach out with love, support and prayers during this time, and especially for the wonderful (and many funny) stories about Chris. Please sign Christopher's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

JAN 24. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (MT)

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

Rosary

JAN 24. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

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

Funeral Mass

JAN 24. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (MT)

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

Tribute Wall

DS

“ *Deepest sympathies to the family.
May our Dear Lord bless his memory.*

Daniel and Loretta Sachs - February 07, 2022 at 11:16 AM

LG

“ *My deepest condolences Annie, Deanna, & Delbert. I always remember Annie you always talked about your little brother when we use to write to each other. I'm gonna try to call you. Take care. Sorry for your loss. Lorraine & Anthony Gallegos*

Lorraine Gallegos - January 30, 2022 at 12:58 PM

CH

“ *We were very saddened to hear of the passing of Chris. I worked with him at the Belen Police Department and have never worked with such a respectful, conscientious and hard working officer as Chris. He will be greatly missed. Our prayers are with his family.*

Mike Chavez and family

Chavez - January 27, 2022 at 03:28 PM

MB

“ *We are so sorry to hear about Chris. Even sorrier we missed his services. Learned too late. He was truly a loveable person who respected his elders and friends. He will not be forgotten as the gentle person that he was. It was always such a Joy to see him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. God bless you and may he rest in peace, with his parents in heaven.*

Mary Lucy Baca - January 26, 2022 at 09:21 PM

AS

“ Deanna, Annie, and Delbert, A friend notified me today of the passing of Chris. Although things did not work out between us, he was one of my closest friends prior to our relationship. He had a great sense of humor, a loving heart, a strong faith, and he loved my kids. Chris loved his career, loved his bike, and D... he thought the world of you. I had never met such a proud uncle. I was blessed to have him as a part of my life, still miss that silly laugh, but know that you guys meant the world to him. I am sorry to see your momma had passed prior. Tight hugs to all of your beautiful family, I wish I had known sooner. I would love to visit sometime, if okay. God Bless You, and Chris - May You Rest Peacefully ❤️❤️



Amy Smythe - January 25, 2022 at 11:17 PM

VS

“ I remember Chris when he worked for the Torrance County Sheriffs Department. He was always a very kind person. May he Rest In Peace and perpetual light shine upon him.

Victoria Sedillo - January 25, 2022 at 01:40 PM

AS

“ So sorry to have heard about my cousin Chris

Andres Salas - January 24, 2022 at 01:05 PM

RU

“ *Ruben&BeckyJaramillo lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino*



Ruben&BeckyJaramillo - January 24, 2022 at 11:18 AM

JT

“ *John Peter And Gloria Torres lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino*



John Peter and Gloria Torres - January 23, 2022 at 02:10 PM

LB

“ *Deanna, Annie & Delbert May our Lord and Our Blessed Mother Mary be In front, behind and at your side in the difficult time. With prayers Leon, Milissa & girl's.*

Leon Baca - January 22, 2022 at 04:04 PM


Barbara
Pino

“ *My condolences go out to the family. R.I.P chris 🙏🙏🙏😊*

Barbara Pino - January 22, 2022 at 11:20 AM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Christopher Pino.*



January 21, 2022 at 05:23 PM



“ *David And Jessica Ingram sent a virtual gift in memory of Christopher Pino*



David and Jessica Ingram - January 21, 2022 at 07:48 AM



“ *I am sad to hear about Chris's passing. I worked with him at Belen middle school and became good friends. Always talking about motorcycles and family. Chris you will be greatly missed but never forgotten my friend.*



Jessica Ingram - January 21, 2022 at 07:47 AM



So sad to have heard about my cousin crisis pino my condolences go out to the family.rip.

BARBARA PINO - January 22, 2022 at 03:03 AM

LJ

“ Chris and I became friends while he worked for Torrance County SO. He was also my SRO at my kids school. Later Chris was hired as Drug Court Surveillance Officer in Sierra County where we worked together everyday. Chris always had a shoulder and a ear for me through hard days and always tried to make me laugh. My family and I are deeply saddened to hear of his passing. We are praying for comfort and peace for all who loved him. We will always remember him fondly. RIP Chris.

Leslie Jaramillo - January 20, 2022 at 06:16 PM

LM

Anna, so sorry for the loss of your brother Christopher. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Linda Aragon Montoya - January 20, 2022 at 10:35 PM

MB

“ Chris and I Worked together for a couple of years in Law Enforcement. Chris was not only my shift partner but a good friend I could always count on while on patrol. We shared many laughs and I always looked forward to working with him. I was saddened to hear about his passing and my prayers go out to his family. RIP buddy...

Martin Benavidez - January 20, 2022 at 03:33 PM

AS

“ Annie, Delbert, Deanna, So sorry for your loss of Chris. Hes going to be missed. He is now in Heaven with Uncle and Auntie. Our Prayers go out to all of you at this difficult time.

Anthony Salas

ANTHONY R SALAS - January 20, 2022 at 03:15 PM

AH

“ We pray for you and your family as you process your loss. Have peace knowing that Chris is at rest and in the Loving Hands of God.

Angela Hernandez

Angela Hernandez - January 20, 2022 at 10:58 AM

AC

“ Annette E. Chavez lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino



Annette E. Chavez - January 20, 2022 at 10:25 AM

JS

“ I went to high school with Chris and played football with him. I'm glad I was able to know him. He was a great person and friend. Rest in peace. May God bless you and your entire family. Always your friend Anthony Silva.



Joe Anthony Silva - January 19, 2022 at 07:38 PM

JS

“ Anna, DeeAnn and Delbert, My deepest condolences to you.



Jackie Sanchez - January 19, 2022 at 06:00 PM

CC

“ *Never a dull moment with my life long friend Chris! He was funny and so full of life....he will be missed.
Love and condolences to Chris' family.
Catina Cordova and family*

Catina Cordova - January 19, 2022 at 11:26 AM

BM

“ *Bryan Mascarena lit a candle in memory of
Christopher Pino*



Bryan Mascarena - January 18, 2022 at 09:33 PM

CE

“ *Charles Eaton lit a candle in memory of
Christopher Pino*



Charles Eaton - January 18, 2022 at 09:31 PM

RS

“ *"In Loving Memory of Christopher Pino"*

Rest In Peace, Chris. You will be truly missed.

Annie, Delbert, & DeeAnn,

We would like to extend our most sincere condolences on your Loss of Chris. Our Prayers and Blessings go out to all of you at this most difficult time.

*Love, Auntie Ruby & Cousins,
Otero Family
Ten Eyck Family*



Ruby Salas - January 18, 2022 at 08:00 PM

VM

Anna & Family: My sincere condolences on your loss of Chris, your brother. May his Soul, through the Mercy of God, Resr In Peace. God Bless and Comfort you all.

Love, Vina Mendoza

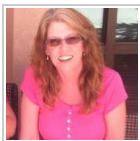
Vina Mendoza - January 19, 2022 at 05:56 PM

MS

“ Annie, Delbert, Deanna So sorry for Your Loss, Loved talking to Our Crazy Cousin he always had some crazy stories and had us laughing. A few Years ago My Brother Ray and I had the privilege of meeting up with him at one of the Motorcycle Rallies in Laughlin. He will truly be missed, we Love You Chris❤️



Mel Salas - January 18, 2022 at 05:22 PM



“ RIP my friend. It was great getting to know you at the American Legion Post 81. You made many friends, and will remain in everyone's hearts. God bless you and your family 🙏

Kathy Dorcas - January 18, 2022 at 03:28 PM

JM

“ Jennie Mascarena lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino



Jennie Mascarena - January 18, 2022 at 12:57 AM

MA

“ Anna, Delbert, & Deanna, so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you 🙏❤️



Marty&Marlene - January 17, 2022 at 02:39 PM

PB

“ Annie, Delbert and Deann, we were so saddened to hear of Christopher passing, we pray for God to Bless and Comfort you in this hard times. Our thoughts and prays go out to all of you. Love you Pat & Angie Baca.



Pat & Angie Baca - January 16, 2022 at 10:55 PM

YG

“ Charles & Yolanda Gabaldon



Yolanda Gabaldon - January 16, 2022 at 09:20 PM

MC

“ MaryJane Carrejo



MaryJane Carrejo - January 16, 2022 at 09:18 PM

RB

“ Condolences to his family. May he Rest In Peace in his Heavenly home.



Romy Baca - January 16, 2022 at 01:55 PM

RL

“ *Ruth Lucero lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino*



Ruth Lucero - January 16, 2022 at 11:05 AM

BC

“ *Beverly Castillo lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino*



Beverly Castillo - January 15, 2022 at 10:04 AM

BC

I am so very sorry for your loss. God give you comfort and peace now and always. God bless you all..

Beverly Castillo - January 15, 2022 at 10:04 AM

DL

“ *I miss you so much Chris. We didn't have enough time together. Until we see each other again, I have the best angel looking over me.*



Diana Lopez - January 14, 2022 at 09:21 PM



“ *Sending my condolences Anna and family. May Chris Rest in Paradise with your parents* 🙏🙏🙏🙏

Lorraine Marquez - January 14, 2022 at 10:10 AM

SV

“ Sorry to hear about Chris cuz you were such a amazing person inside and out I have so many memories if us hanging out when you came to Barstow ca. How we laughed you will be missed God received another angel 😇 now your happy with uncles preme and auntie Efi your dad and mom I love you cuz your cousin Susan Valdez (Salas) 😇😭❤️



Susan Valdez - January 14, 2022 at 08:22 AM



“ Lenore Pena lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino



Lenore Pena - January 13, 2022 at 11:07 PM

JG

“ Joe-Georgia Garcia lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino



Joe-Georgia Garcia - January 13, 2022 at 08:00 PM

ST

“ Steve&MagdalenSanchez lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino



Steve&MagdalenSanchez - January 13, 2022 at 07:34 PM

MJ

“ Anna & Family,
Our condolences on the loss of your brother.
May God Bless you & comfort you during this
difficult time & the years ahead.



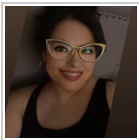
Marty & Beatrice Jojola - January 13, 2022 at 05:58 PM

MP

“ We would like to Send Our Deepest
Condolences to Christopher's family. Annie
Delbert Deanna. May God give you all
comfort at this very sad difficult time. Prayers
going your way 🙏🙏🙏❤️.
Sincerely, Marie &
Gilbert Pino



Marie Pino - January 13, 2022 at 05:13 PM



“ Annie, Chris and I shared a very special friendship, that I will
cherish my entire life! One time Chris and I went to a concert and
when we came out of the concert it somehow had snowed like 2
feet! It was so quiet, peaceful and I was in perfect company! Life
doesn't get any better than that! It was, and always will be one of
my most cherished memories of my life! May you find comfort in
knowing that he's with his Momma and Daddy again and if I know
Chris, there is no place he'd rather be than with his Momma! All my
love sent to you, Delbert, and Deanna you guys were super special
and important to him and he loved you 3 with all his heart! Till we
see his precious spirit again....Bernadette Baca-Torres

Bernadette Baca-Torres - January 13, 2022 at 12:10 PM

MW

“ Dear Annie,. Please accept our deepest condolences. Take comfort knowing that Chris is in the Loving Arms of our Lord and Savior. He will be truly missed. God Bless You All.

Lovingly, Frances and Davy

Mary Frances Wells - January 13, 2022 at 11:46 AM

ER

“ Annie and family, words can't express how saddened we are to hear of Chris's passing. May fond memories of Chris bring you comfort during this dark time in your life. Our heart and prayers go out to all the family. 🙏



Esther and Teles Rael - January 13, 2022 at 10:29 AM

YC

“ Our most sincere condolences 🙏. Prayers are with your family Christopher, may you rest easy. God bless. Marcus, Yvette, Stephen and Mariah.

Yvette Castillo - January 13, 2022 at 09:27 AM

TJ

“ Tanya Jaramillo lit a candle in memory of Christopher Pino



Tanya Jaramillo - January 13, 2022 at 08:47 AM

CR

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Chris's family!* 🕊
Love, Carol Maestas Romero

Carol M Romero - January 12, 2022 at 09:23 PM

CR

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of
Chris's family!* 🕊

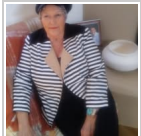


Carol M Romero - January 12, 2022 at 09:18 PM

TS

“ *We were so sorry to hear about Chris Annie. God bless you . May
he rest in peace. Love you Freddie and Toni Salas*

Toni salas - January 12, 2022 at 07:15 PM



“ *Condolences to Chris's family and friends.
May he rest in peace. Love and prayers for
all. xoxo*



Loretta Gabaldon - January 12, 2022 at 06:42 PM