



## Frank O. Chavez

March 27, 1941 - December 8, 2020

1941-2020

Frankie O. Chavez age 79, a resident of Albuquerque, NM peacefully passed away. A Funeral mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 12, 2022, at St. Therese Little Flower Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Gate of Heaven Cemetery. Honorary Pallbearers Richard Chavez, Damien Baca, Victor Velarde, Noah Baca, Luke Baca, Andrew Charlemagne & Tomas Hora. Maria Elena & Danielle would like to thank everyone for their support, love, and prayers. Please sign Frankie's online tribute at [www.romerofuneralhome.com](http://www.romerofuneralhome.com) Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

FEB 12. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (MT)

St. Therese Little Flower Catholic Church  
300 Mildred Ave NW  
Albuquerque, NM 87107

## Interment

FEB 12. 10:00 AM (MT)

Gate of Heaven Cemetery  
7999 Wyoming Blvd NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87109

# Tribute Wall

LR

“ *Sending our love and healing prayers to Maria Elena and Danielle. We have such wonderful memories of our time together as your former next door neighbors. Frank was a great guy and we enjoyed him so much! You, too!*  
*Lynn, Roger & Evan*

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**Lynn Rounds** - February 11, 2022 at 11:14 AM

MM

“ *Marty And Marlene lit a candle in memory of Frank O. Chavez*



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**Marty and Marlene** - February 10, 2022 at 09:51 PM

DS

“ *Condolences and prayers. May the Lord blasts Franks memory.*

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**Danny and Loretta Sachs** - February 10, 2022 at 03:13 PM

RB

“ *Maria Elena, I am so sorry to hear about Frank. I didn't know anything about his death until Susie told me this afternoon. Thinking of you!*

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**Racy Bowersox** - January 08, 2021 at 10:32 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Frank O. Chavez.*



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January 06, 2021 at 01:24 PM



“ *Dianne L. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Frank O. Chavez.*



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**Dianne L.** - January 04, 2021 at 10:15 PM



“ *Maria Elena, we were deeply saddened to hear of Frank's passing. Although we never met him, we heard so many nice things about him from Anita. We know how special he was to his nephews, Noah and Luke and how heart heartbroken they are over his passing. We are praying for him and for you. Take care, dear Maria Elena and God's blessings to you and your family. John & Carolyn Kirkpatrick*

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**Carolyn Kirkpatrick** - January 04, 2021 at 09:57 PM

DC

“ *Maria Elena and Danielle ~ My heart breaks for you as you go through this time of grieving, especially during this crazy pandemic where it's not safe to even physically reach out to all of you with hugs of condolences. I'm praying God embraces each of you with His loving arms and gives you the strength and the peace you'll need. ~Diane Chavez*

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**Diane Chavez** - January 04, 2021 at 09:14 PM

MM

“ *Marlene Marty lit a candle in memory of Frank O. Chavez*



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**Marlene Marty** - January 04, 2021 at 03:12 PM

JV

“ *Maria Elena: Angela and I are very sorry to hear about Frankie's passing. We spent some time reflecting on our memories of him and you. He was someone who always had a smile and fun to be with. The years we worked together at the County were quite politically dysfunctional and he made it possible to accommodate that environment. We share your loss and will keep our fondness for him in our thoughts.*

*Juan and Angela Vigil*

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**Juan Vigil** - January 04, 2021 at 12:48 PM

RR

“ We are so sorry for your loss Maria Elena and family. We didn't know until now. He loved my grandma so much, she loved that you guys visited her. Thank you for everything. Please let us know about his service if possible, we would like to attend. Our prayers for your family during this difficult time.

Rhianna Ruiz - January 03, 2021 at 12:03 AM

RR

Felicia and family as well. Sending prayers and condolences.

Rhianna Ruiz - January 03, 2021 at 12:08 AM

EB

“ Mari, my deepest condolences to you and your family. Loretta told me about Frank's passing, I'm so sorry. He's with our Lord now, until you meet again . God bless you, Elaine Narvaez Bland

Elaine Bland - January 02, 2021 at 09:33 PM

FB

“ I offer my condolences to Maria Elena and Family on the passing of Frankie. We were all classmates at the University of Albuquerque many years ago. I always enjoyed our friendship. May God Bless you and my prayers and thoughts are with you.  
Frank Burke

Frank Burke - January 02, 2021 at 11:06 AM

IC

“ With heartfelt condolences, we pray for you and your family during this very sad time Maria Elena, Danielle and Richard. The sorrow in our hearts for Frankie is just painful. May God bless you all. 🙏

Irene Quintana Commins - January 02, 2021 at 01:27 AM

DO

“ *Maria Elena and Danielle, our deepest sympathy to you and your family on the passing of Frank. We most recently saw you together at St. Therese Church before the pandemic. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this very difficult time. May Frank rest in peace. Dora & Leroy Ortiz*

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**Dora Ortiz** - January 01, 2021 at 09:51 PM

SG

“ *Maria elena, my mom phyllis and I, from St theresa church, we sit behind you, are so sorry to hear about franks passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Stephanie gonzales** - January 01, 2021 at 09:08 PM

JB

“ *Dorothy and I are so sorry to hear of Frank's passing. Our paths had not crossed in some time but he was a good friend from the old neighborhood . We remember him as a smart, hard working man devoted to his family. He especially took good care of his parents Frank and Phoebe. I always refer to Phoebe as my "political god mother" as she guided my early career. Frank had many accomplishments but I bet he was most proud to be an outstanding husband and father. Our deepest sympathies go out to Maria Elena and Danielle. Joe (Judge) and Dorothy Baca*

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**Joseph F Baca** - January 01, 2021 at 05:29 PM

RR

“ *Dear Maria Elena and Danielle, sending prayers for healing and peace. We have such happy memories of you all. Your former Nextdoor neighbors.*



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**Roger & Lynn Rounds** - January 01, 2021 at 12:48 PM

PM

“ Priscilla Mendoza lit a candle in memory of Frank O. Chavez



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**Priscilla Mendoza** - December 15, 2020 at 04:10 AM

SM

“ My deepest condolences to Frankie's Family. I am sorry to hear of his passing; I enjoyed working with Frankie At the City of Albuquerque at Dept of Finance.



*Sylvia Maestas*

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**SYLVIA MAESTAS** - December 14, 2020 at 10:26 PM

PF

“ Paty Farrell-Cole lit a candle in memory of Frank O. Chavez



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**Paty Farrell-Cole** - December 13, 2020 at 08:28 PM

DR

“ Dicky And Suzanne Romero lit a candle in memory of Frank O. Chavez



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**Dicky and Suzanne Romero** - December 11, 2020 at 08:17 PM

MM

“ *Marlene And Marty lit a candle in memory of Frank O. Chavez*



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**Marlene and Marty** - December 11, 2020 at 07:25 PM

SG

*Our condolences to Maria Elena and Family. I was able to spend a few days with Frank whom I considered to be one of my best friends. He is with his Angels now, and, may he rest in peace.*  
*Gilbert F. & Sophie Gutierrez*

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**Sophie Gutierrez** - January 03, 2021 at 04:29 PM