

## Frank Tabet Jr.

January 23, 1931 - January 5, 2020

1931-2019

Frank Tabet, Jr., a life-long resident of Belen, NM, passed away on Sunday, January 5, 2020 at the age of 88. He was a member of Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church. For most of his life he was a self-employed businessman and the owner of Frank's Market and Liquor. He served in the Army National Guard, as a New Mexico State Police Commissioner, and as Chairman on the State Fair Commission, but the most important aspect of his life was his family. Frank was preceded in death by parents, Frank and Emilia Tabet; his beloved wife, Dora Tabet; son, Stephen R. Tabet, MD; brother, Ray Tabet, JD, and sister, Rose Tabet. He is survived by children, Frank P. Tabet, Anna Chavez (Sam), Janet Tabet-Romero (Frank), Adam Tabet, MD (Connie), and Estella Tabet (mother, Agnes Tabet); sister, Marina Padilla; grandchildren, Marianne Candelaria (Carl), Dora Ann Delgado, Joseph Chavez (Catherine), Noah and Alissa Tabet; great-grandchildren, Christopher, Halie Ann, Ryan, Ava, Leia Ann, Mark, Jon, Cameron, and Shirley Ann. Services will take place at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church on Thursday, January 9, 2020, beginning with a Visitation from 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM, Rosary to be recited at 10:00 AM, Funeral Mass at 10:30 AM and Interment will follow at Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens. Please sign Frank's online tribute at [www.romerofuneralhomenm.com](http://www.romerofuneralhomenm.com) Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St. Belen, NM



# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

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

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

## Rosary

JAN 9. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

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101 N. 10th Street  
Belen, NM 87002

## Funeral Mass

JAN 9. 10:30 AM (MT)

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101 N. 10th Street  
Belen, NM 87002

## Interment

JAN 9. 11:30 AM (MT)

Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens  
101 N. 10th Street  
Belen, NM 87002

# Tribute Wall

AT

“ My Dear Frank, I miss you. “May the road rise up to meet you, May the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face, and the rains fall soft upon your fields and, until we meet again, May God hold you in the Palm of his hand.” I love you forever and a day, Agnes.

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**Agnes Tabet** - January 14, 2020 at 03:55 AM

AT

01/23/20: My Dear Frank, “Happy Real Birthday”. I remember all the years, more than 35 years that we thought that your Birthday was on 01/29. Due to getting the Real ID, we found out that 1/23 was your actual Birthday. Since that happened we’ve had an ongoing joke, you have two Birthdays to celebrate. I love you forever and a day, Agnes.

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**Agnes Tabet** - January 23, 2020 at 11:11 PM

AC

Ahh That’s beautiful

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**anna t chavez** - January 28, 2020 at 06:40 PM

AT

01/29/20: My Dear Frank, “Happy Old Birthday”. I am missing you so, so much. I love you forever and a day, Agnes.

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**Agnes Tabet** - January 29, 2020 at 05:06 AM

CC

Janet, your dad was a gentleman, he and I worked together on the campaign trail. I remember your father enjoyed boxing (me too). May he Rest in Peace.

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**Candise Castillo** - February 28, 2020 at 02:59 AM

JT

“ *Our condolences to Frank's family from our family. Joe & Theresa Trujillo*

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**Joe & Theresa Trujillo** - January 11, 2020 at 01:03 PM

ST

“ *I am so sorry for the passing of Frank, all of my remembrances and dealings with him were a pleasure. To all the family, my condolences, it is never easy losing one so close.*

*Sam Tabet Jr.*

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**samuel tabet** - January 11, 2020 at 10:11 AM

JA

“ *John Abeyta lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**John Abeyta** - January 10, 2020 at 10:49 AM

BM

“ *Anna and family,  
I am so very sorry for your loss! God bless  
you all!*

*Love,  
Bernice and Estevan*



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**Bernice M Montoya** - January 09, 2020 at 11:45 PM

CR

“ *Chano And Corine Romero lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Chano and Corine Romero** - January 09, 2020 at 12:25 AM

AH

“ *Amanda Baca And Katie Joy Hammer lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Amanda Baca and Katie Joy Hammer** - January 08, 2020 at 11:06 PM

AL

“ *My deepest condolences to the Tabet family. May he Rest In Peace.*

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**Antoinette Sedillo Lopez** - January 08, 2020 at 10:11 PM

TT

“ *My deepest sympathy to Anna and her family.*



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**Theresa Tafoya** - January 08, 2020 at 04:46 PM

RU

“ *Ramon And Diana Ulibarri lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Ramon and Diana Ulibarri** - January 08, 2020 at 01:22 PM

JF

“ *Jojola Family lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Jojola Family** - January 08, 2020 at 09:03 AM

BJ

“ *Beatrice Jojola sent a virtual gift in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Beatrice Jojola** - January 08, 2020 at 09:03 AM

EH

“ *Elliott & Eva Hogue lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Elliott & Eva Hogue** - January 07, 2020 at 09:56 PM

MH

“ Our deepest condolences to the Tabet family. Thanks for your friendship and memories of fun and laughter. Fly with the angels our friend! God Bless!

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**Mike and Audrey Hawkes** - January 07, 2020 at 12:32 PM

SW

“ My deepest condolences to Frank, Anna, Janet, Adam and Estella on your los. He was a kind loving man who loved you dearly and served his community and friends when needed graciously. Thanks for your friendship Mr. Tabet, you were appreciated greatly. Sandy Wells



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**Sandy Wells** - January 07, 2020 at 10:57 AM

AC

“ Janet and family---I am so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Please know you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

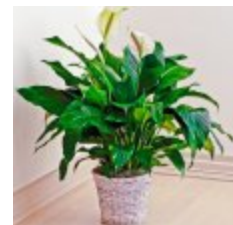
Annette E. Chavez

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**Annette E. Chavez** - January 07, 2020 at 10:15 AM

TC

“ Tim and Janice Canales purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Frank Tabet Jr..



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**Tim and Janice Canales** - January 07, 2020 at 10:08 AM

JD

“ Joe and Dolly purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Frank Tabet Jr..



Joe and Dolly - January 06, 2020 at 08:58 PM

WL

“ With Love from Luci, Victoria, Suzannah & Lisa purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of Frank Tabet Jr..



With Love from Luci, Victoria, Suzannah & Lisa - January 06, 2020 at 07:45 PM

VD

“ Frank, Anna, Janet, Adam and Estella, We are saddened beyond words to hear of your wonderful Dad's passing! We have such fond memories of our Uncle Frank. He was a loving brother to our Mom and a caring Uncle to my sisters and me. Our Dad enjoyed his friendship for many years. I always remember Daddy, not too many years ago, telling us he was going to meet up with Uncle Frank for breakfast, lunch, poker tournament at a casino or the fair grounds for the horse races. I know they enjoyed each other's company. May Uncle Frank, "Rest in Peace in God's Loving Presents for Eternity".

All our love and blessings to you all!

We will see you soon!

Gary and Victoria Dorobiala

Colorado Springs, Colorado

Victoria Dorobiala - January 06, 2020 at 06:41 PM



“ *Lorraine Marquez lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



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**Lorraine Marquez** - January 06, 2020 at 05:52 PM

AR

“ *My deepest sympathies to the family for your loss. Prayers for all of you to find some peace in your heart during this painful time. God bless you.*



*From Angela and Rod*

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**Angela and Rod** - January 06, 2020 at 05:39 PM

OR

“ Family,

*I am saddened by the passing of Frank, my first cousin, but glad to have enjoyed the fullness of his life as we grew up in Belen! He was caring and delightful but sadly we will no longer see his heart glow anymore. He earthly journey has ended and now in keeping with his faith is in the arms of the Lord. He now lives in the light of his own soul. May he rest in peace.*



*Be assured that as each rustling night-air comes Frank will be there in his quiet way to guide your hearts into his inner-most soul.*

*I regret not being with you but you are in my hearts and thoughts! I submit sincere condolences on behalf of Sue, our family and myself. May time bring solace to your hearts.*

*Your cousin,*

*Oscar S.Ramirez*

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**Oscar Ramirez** - January 06, 2020 at 05:35 PM

LB

“ *My deepest condolences to Frank, Anna, Janet, Adam and Estella on your dad's death, I hadn't seen Frank in years but I always remember his kindness and appreciation. My heart is sad, but happy to know he is reunited with Dora and Steven.  
Love you guys, Linda Ball*

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**Linda Ball** - January 06, 2020 at 02:27 PM

DR

“ *Dicky And Suzanne Romero lit a candle in memory of Frank Tabet Jr.*



Dicky and Suzanne Romero - January 06, 2020 at 01:48 PM

BM

“ *My sincere condolences to Frank's family. Though it has been years since I seen him Franks was always a kind sweet person. Finally free Fly with the angels Frank. Berna*



bernadette moya - January 06, 2020 at 12:53 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Frank Tabet Jr..*



January 06, 2020 at 12:28 PM