



Gene Marquez

September 20, 1994 - November 2, 2023

1942-2023

Gene Marquez, age 81, a resident of Belen, NM, was welcomed in to the arms of our Lord at his home November 2, 2023, surrounded by his family after a long, courageous battle with Parkinson's disease. Services will be held at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church on Wednesday, November 8, 2023 beginning with a Visitation at 10:30 a.m., followed by a Rosary at 11:30 a.m. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 12:00 p.m., with Interment to follow at Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens. Gene was born on September 20, 1942 to Eugenio and Jenny Marquez. He served in the Army National Guard for six years. Gene served as a police officer for Albuquerque Police Department until retirement in 1984.

After retirement, he worked for Sandia Labs, was a general contractor and then continued with social security administration as a security officer. He enjoyed, above all, his family. Gene was a very quiet and humble man he lived a simple life, he loved working outdoors. He loved working out and staying fit, hunting and fishing, his old western movies, boxing the history channel and cherry limeades. He was preceded in death by his parents, Eugenio and Jenny Marquez, his sister, Eleanor (Norita) Marquez, in laws Manuel and Veronica Martinez, brother in laws, Louie Baca and Skip Burgett; nephews Danny Marquez, Frankie Marquez and John Armijo. Grandparents Antonio & Eleanora Marquez, Francisco and Josefita Marez. Gene is survived by his wife, Martha of 59 years, his sons, Gabriel (Liz) and Adam (Rita). His grandchildren, Samantha Martin (Kevin) Allyson and Joshua Marquez, Daniel (Danielle) Chavira, Raquel (Gabe Regalado) Gallegos and Tessa Marquez. His great grandchildren Danae and Danika Chavira, Cierra and Christopher Gallegos, many nieces and nephews and God children. He is also survived by his siblings Frank (Dolores) Marquez, Rosalie Burgett; Gloria (Ed) Kelly; Josie (Pasquale) Gallucci and Mary Belinda (Chris) Martinez. His in laws Patty Baca, Bernice (Gerald) Gallegos and Amy (Ed) Arellano.

Pallbearers, Samantha Martin, Allyson Marquez, Joshua Marquez, Daniel Chavira, Raquel Gallegos, Tessa Marquez, Paul Romero and Ed Kelly. Honorary Pallbearers, Frank Marquez, Pasquale Gallucci, Sol Dean and Emma Dean. Please sign Gene's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 8. 10:30 AM (MT)

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

Rosary

NOV 8. 11:30 AM (MT)

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

Funeral Mass

NOV 8. 12:00 PM (MT)

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

Interment

NOV 8. 1:00 PM (MT)

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

Tribute Wall

EH

“ Martha, my deepest sympathy for your lose of your loved husband and friend. Gene was always very kind. May the LORD keep you strong and healthy. With all my love to you and your family. in Christ Jesus, Eleanor

Eleanor Harris - November 21, 2023 at 01:06 PM

LG

“ Martha, I remember when you met Gene. You both worked at the Los Lunas hospital and training school. I also worked there. I'm very sorry about your loss. May God's love comfort you at this difficult time.

liz cordova Gallegos - November 14, 2023 at 02:15 PM

IR

“ So sorry to hear about Mr. Marquez, He was my grandmother and my brother Leroy's neighbor and always looked out for them. Condolences to Martha and family.

Inez Romero - November 14, 2023 at 10:57 AM

SB

Our deepest condolences to the Marquez family, it was always a great pleasure to work and know Mr Gene Marquez he was a very helpful and giving man he will be greatly missed by many who knew him. He was a blessing to his family. May he rest In God's presence Amen.

Salomon and Lori Baca - December 06, 2023 at 01:54 PM

GB

“ My deepest condolences to the family and all loved Gene . He was a kind hearted soul and always had a big smile on his face when he greeted you .



Glenda Baca - November 11, 2023 at 10:11 AM

MB

“ Marty And Antoinette Baca lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Marty and Antoinette Baca - November 10, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *My condolences to Gene's family and friends. He worked security while I was at SSA. He was always kind, professional and happy to provide assistance. My thoughts are with you..*

Cheryl Tafoya - November 09, 2023 at 05:43 PM



“ *Martha, may God bring you comfort in the coming days and may the memories that you and Gene created last a lifetime. Our deepest condolences to you and your family during this most difficult time. You are in our our thoughts and prayers.*



Leslie Rodriguez - November 09, 2023 at 04:01 PM

JG

“ *JAMES GRIEGO And Margarita Griego lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez*



JAMES GRIEGO and Margarita Griego - November 08, 2023 at 01:22 PM

EF

“ *Ed And Gloria Kelly And Family lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez*



Ed and Gloria Kelly and family - November 07, 2023 at 11:47 PM

MM

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Marquez family.*



Mike and Gloria Montoya - November 07, 2023 at 08:26 PM

DF

“ Daniel Chavira And Family lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Daniel Chavira and family - November 07, 2023 at 08:18 PM

TM

“ Gene Marquez was a paragon of honesty, integrity and dedication. We have lost someone irreplaceable and unforgettable, because we may never again meet another quite like him...

Tony and Michelle - November 07, 2023 at 06:05 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Gene Marquez.



November 07, 2023 at 05:37 AM

FM

“ Frank & Dolores Marquez lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Frank & dolores marquez - November 06, 2023 at 08:08 PM

KF

“ Condolences to the Gene Marquez extended Family. So sorry Gabriel.
Kenny Garcia



Ken Garcia & Family - November 06, 2023 at 02:30 PM

PG

“ Pasquale And Josie Gallucci lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Pasquale and Josie Gallucci - November 05, 2023 at 11:36 PM

TJ

“ Tanya L Jaramillo lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Tanya L Jaramillo - November 05, 2023 at 10:16 PM

AC

“ Our condolences to the family. May Gene's soul rest in peace.



Albert & Alice Chavez - November 05, 2023 at 03:21 PM

RS

“ Roddy Silva lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Roddy Silva - November 05, 2023 at 11:00 AM

CE

“ Charles Eaton lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Charles Eaton - November 05, 2023 at 12:37 AM

JC

“ *Joyce Chavez lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez*



Joyce Chavez - November 04, 2023 at 05:59 PM

RV

“ *Richard And Dolores Vigil lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez*



Richard and Dolores Vigil - November 04, 2023 at 05:15 PM

AT

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. We remember seeing him at mass with his family. He always had a smile and you could see how much he cared for his family.*
Abram & Patsy Torres



Abram & Patsy Torres - November 04, 2023 at 03:49 PM

TR

“ *Teles And Esther Rael lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez*



Teles and Esther Rael - November 04, 2023 at 02:45 PM

AP

“ *Albert And Francine Peña lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez*



Albert and Francine Peña - November 04, 2023 at 02:23 PM

FS

“ Frances Silva lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Frances Silva - November 04, 2023 at 10:27 AM

ST

“ Steve&MagdalenSanchez lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Steve&MagdalenSanchez - November 04, 2023 at 10:03 AM

JM

“ Jennie Mascarena lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Jennie Mascarena - November 04, 2023 at 12:15 AM

LB

“ 4 files added to the album Vacation and memories



Lisa Bug - November 03, 2023 at 11:56 PM

LB

“ 1 file added to the album Godfather



Lisa Bug - November 03, 2023 at 11:14 PM

LJ

“ So sorry for your loss prayers sent to the Marquez family God bless Leroy and Jennifer

Leroy and Jennifer - November 03, 2023 at 10:56 PM

RG

“ Martha and family. I am so sorry to hear of Genes passing. You and Gene got married the same day and same year. I will remember Gene in school. He was always kind to everyone. I will miss him



Rose Agnes Garcia - November 03, 2023 at 10:29 PM

LD

“ 1 file added to the album Uncle Gene



Lisa, Kyle & Dominique - November 03, 2023 at 08:25 PM

TV

So sad we cannot have shared more times with this unique family and the man we lost too soon

Tony and Michelle Vallejos - November 07, 2023 at 01:33 PM

TS

“ Theresa Sanchez lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Theresa Sanchez - November 03, 2023 at 08:21 PM

GG

“ Gloria Griego lit a candle in memory of Gene Marquez



Gloria Griego - November 03, 2023 at 07:13 PM

MJ

“ *Marquez Family,*
Our sincere condolences on your loss, May God Bless &
comfort your family during this difficult time & the years
ahead. Our thoughts & prayers are with you.
Marty & Beatrice Jojola



Marty & Beatrice Jojola - November 03, 2023 at 05:18 PM

GT

Martha sorry for your loss rmsy he rest in peace

Gloria Torres - November 06, 2023 at 11:38 AM

GT

May he rest in peace from Peter Torres and family

Gloria Torres - November 06, 2023 at 11:42 AM