



Jerry Duran

February 3, 1947 - June 17, 2013

1947-2013

Jerry Duran, age 66, a resident of Albuquerque, NM passed away on Monday, June 17, 2013. He was a member of the United States Army and Army Reserves, serving as a First Sergeant and Master Sergeant before retiring. Jerry was a loving son, husband, brother, father and a friend to everyone he ever met. Whether he took you fishing, painted your windows at Christmas, DJ'd a wedding or graduation for you, he made an impression. His larger than life personality was infectious and you couldn't help but smile when he was around. He was preceded in death by his father, Cipriano Duran; his first wife, Anita Duran; and his brother, Gilfred Duran. Jerry is survived by his wife, Marvine Duran; mother, Trinidad Duran; son, Jerry Duran; daughter, Veronica Gonzales; and son, Jose Duran and their spouses; 16 grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; step- daughters, Marie Valencia, Darlene Gonzales, Adriann Barboa and their spouses; brother, Paul; sisters, Lily, Jeanie, Reina, Kathy, Yolanda, Rosemary, and Betty. He is also survived by many nieces, nephews, and cousins. All services will be held at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church on Thursday, June 20, beginning with a viewing at 6:00 p.m. with a rosary to be recited at 7:00 p.m. A Final Visitation will be held on Friday, June 21, at 9:30 a.m. with a Funeral Mass to be 10:00 a.m. Interment will be held at the Santa Fe National Cemetery, on Monday, June 24, at 12:45 p.m. the family request that family and friends arrive approximately at 12:15: p.m. Sign Jerry's online register book at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com. Romero

Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM

Cemetery Details

Santa Fe National Cemetery

501 N. Guadalupe Street
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 20. 6:00 PM (MT)

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

Rosary

JUN 20. 7:00 PM (MT)

Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church
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Belen, NM 87002

Final Viewing and Mass

JUN 21. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (MT)

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

Reception

JUN **21**. 11:30 AM - 2:30 PM (MT)

Belen Eagle Park
305 Eagle Lane
Belen, NM 87002

Graveside Service

JUN **24**. 12:45 PM (MT)

Santa Fe National Cemetery
501 N. Guadalupe Street
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Tribute Wall

CD

“ Jerry and I were Green Berets together in 71/72, E Co Sig, 1st Group. He was one tough tough hombre and I couldn't have found a better friend at the time who came from my home town. St Pius 1966. I am very sorry to everyone in the family.

Craig Domme - May 02, 2016 at 12:04 AM

DC

“ To the whole family ~ My deepest condolences and love go out to all of you! Jerry and Joe had some amazingly deep and crazy conversations. He is a legend that will never be forgotten! There are no words that can ease your pain and sorrow, however, the faith you all have is great and with God's help, get you through. I love you all!

Diane Chávez

Diane Chávez - June 25, 2013 at 12:38 PM

JH

“ You will be missed Very Much By Everyone Who Knew You, Jerry. Rest in Peace.

Jim & Jeanette Hennie

Jim and Jeanette Hennie - June 22, 2013 at 03:18 PM

CA

“ To the Family of Jerry Duran... we were so sad to hear about Jerry. We knew him for many years thru the Army Reserve 469TH. I will always remember him for our weekends out on reserve duty and for the christmas parties that he played Santa. He was GREAT... Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.

Cecil Archibeque and Family

Cecil Archibeque - June 21, 2013 at 03:05 PM

TG

“ To the Family of Jerry Duran. I knew Jerry from Albuquerque High School and later ran into him at the 387th Engineer Batallion where both he, his son and I served. May God rest his soul.
Tony Gallegos and family

Tony Gallegos - June 21, 2013 at 02:41 PM

DC

“ Jerry was a kind and loving father, he was my dads best friend he never hesitated to make us laugh. My condolences to JJ and Juana and the rest of the Duran family

Deidre cuellar - June 20, 2013 at 11:32 PM

JL

“ Jerry was such a wonderful man. He made you laugh every time you were in contact. He was son, husband, brother, father; but most of all a friend. He served his country in Vietnam and a "American Soldier" who cared for his troops.

Jerry you will truly be missed by many primo!

Jimmie Lynn

Jimmie Lynn - June 20, 2013 at 10:34 PM

VH

“ Jerry was always so Happy and Cheerful even when he was hurting. I will alwas miss seeing him a Henreietta's with his coffe drinkers. I really share your feelimngs of loss.
Please except my deepest sympathy. Velma Hrdesty

Velma Hardesty - June 20, 2013 at 09:06 PM

AO

“ My Dearest Marvine,
We were all so very lucky that you had Jerry in your life and because of that he was in ours.. He was so good to you and loved you so very very much,as you love him, He was a good teacher he knew lots of things.. We have had some wonderful times and laughs together the fishing trips to the northern part of NM they were so much fun...the trip to El Paso I can go on on on with all the fun things we did.. Jerry thank you for being the DJ at my daughter Juliana & Emiel's weeding. Thank you for taking your camper and staying with me when my Sweet Serena passed away. Rest in Peace Now you are not in any pain and are whole. (now you can have a apple turnover) I know I will miss your call on our birthday when you would sing to me.. . Rest in Peace my cousin..
Aggie Olsen & Family



Aggie Olsen - June 20, 2013 at 02:53 PM

RP

“ *Father in heaven thank you for the time you allowed me with my brother, best friend, Jerry Duran. I especially enjoyed the times we spent fishing, laughing, and all the times we spent together. Never a dull moment with him. I know he is in your presence now without tears, pain or sorrow and enjoying his treasures he earned as Jerry, who did your will as father, husband, son, brother, friend ever giving of himself.*



Hasta la vista! Your eternal brother, Rick.

Richard Perez - June 20, 2013 at 01:17 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jerry Duran.*



June 20, 2013 at 12:23 PM

NJ

“ *I have never known my biological grandfathers on either side of my mom's or dad's family but my grandpa Jerry was and always has been the best grandpa I could ever ask for and more. He has always been good to my grandma showing her unconditional love and affection no matter what. My grandpa Jerry has taught me a lot of good life lessons, and I have grown to appreciate everything I have because of him. He would always light up the room with his smile and all of his jokes. I love you grandpa, and I know you're in a better place now and no longer suffering. You will be missed very much!*



Nicole Johnson - June 20, 2013 at 11:35 AM

KL

“ *To the Duran Family...*

I was so sorry to hear the news of your loss. I recognize that there are no words to ease your pain you have my condolences and deepest sympathies. You are all in my thoughts and prayers and I pray you find the strength and support you need to get through this very difficult and sorrowful time.

Karen Langevin - June 20, 2013 at 11:28 AM

DG

“ *Not many people are lucky enough to have two dads in their lifetime. Thank you for taking me in as your daughter, my husband as a son and my child as your own grandchildren! We learned the meaning of a hard earned dollar, to carry strong pride for our country, to laugh at all times! You will truly be missed! We love you!*

Darlene, Richard, Richard Jr, Joshua, Jazmyn, and Jacob Gonzales

Darlene Gonzales - June 20, 2013 at 11:01 AM

LS

“ *Jose and Family,*

We our so sorry to hear of your loss.It's the little things, the small, everyday occurrences that you'll remember. The laughs, the stories, the smiles. And even though it seems like you can never recover from your loss, it is these very memories that will help push the pain away and bring back the smiles. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Eric and Lori Silva

Lori Molina Silva - June 20, 2013 at 09:07 AM

LS

“ *Lori Molina Silva lit a candle in memory of Jerry Duran*



Lori Molina Silva - June 20, 2013 at 08:58 AM

RC

“ *Ray Roseann & Raeann Chavez lit a candle in memory of Jerry Duran*



Ray Roseann & Raeann Chavez - June 20, 2013 at 08:10 AM

JD

“ From his Bear...

*I will forever be speechless
without your lead,*

I will dj our parties now (ill leave your mic on for you).

I will build your Jed clampits, I have all our old plans.

Radioshack will never be the same, it was OUR candy store..

I will draw your portraits now (youll always be my Bob Ross)

I will carry on your name with pride, its one that rings in heaven.

Papa I will wear your vest with pride you raised me for the day.

I love you Sir, goodnight.. I'll see you tomorrow for coffee..

Jose Cipriano Duran (Bear)

Jose Duran - June 19, 2013 at 11:21 PM

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Jose Duran - June 19, 2013 at 11:21 PM

NM

“ Our deepest sympathy is sent to the family of Jerry Duran.

Norman and Kathy Meyn

Norman and Kathleen Meyn - June 19, 2013 at 06:19 PM

TV

“ Teofilo O. Vigil sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Duran



Teofilo O. Vigil - June 19, 2013 at 02:13 PM

MC

“ We never lose the ones we love, they live forever in our hearts. My heart goes out to the entire Duran family during this difficult loss. Heaven received another angel, and you will now have your "Superman" to forever watch over you.

Melissa Cordova - June 19, 2013 at 01:51 PM

MP

“ Jerry Duran

MP - June 19, 2013 at 11:26 AM

BL

“ Marvine, Mrs. Duran and entire Duran Family: Our deepest sympathy to all of you for your loss of our "Beloved Jerry". Jerry will always be a part of our hearts from the very first time we met we knew that we had a friend forever. His sense of humor, good heart, laughter will remain with us until we meet him again. God Bless all of you and may you find comfort knowing that Jerry is home and that he is no longer in pain. Love you all, Teofilo and Barbara Vigil



Barbara J. Lujan - June 19, 2013 at 09:14 AM

BJ

“ *Barbara J.Lujan lit a candle in memory of
Jerry Duran*



Barbara J.Lujan - June 19, 2013 at 09:08 AM