



Jose Patocino Garcia

April 4, 1932 - September 5, 2024

1932 - 2024

Jose Pat Garcia, age 92, a lifelong resident of Belen, NM, passed away peacefully and went home to Our Lord on Thursday, September 5, 2024, surrounded by his family. Services will take place on Friday, September 27, 2024, at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church, starting with a Visitation at 9:00 a.m. followed by a Rosary at 9:30 a.m. and a Funeral Mass to be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens. He is survived by his girlfriend of 30 years, Dolores Padilla; daughter, Mary Ann Lorraine Gallegos (Marcus); sons, Ronald Garcia (Yvette), Julian Luna; grandchildren, Alana Sinclair, Bernadette Barr (John), Mariah Gallegos (Thomas), Amanda Garcia, Denise Garcia, Armon Luna, Andre Luna (Emerald), Desiree Luna; great-grandchildren, Luka Barr, Preslie Alvarez. Isaiah Luna; sister Cecelia Rivera; and many nieces and nephews. Jose is preceded in death by his wife of 34 years and loving mother to their children, Berlinda "Berna" Garcia; parents, Alberto and Gregorita Peralta Garcia; siblings, Joe Angel Garcia, Eustillo Peralta (Ester), Eloy Garcia (Chris), Alfredo Garcia, Albertito Garcia (Martha), Viola Bibano (Manuel), and Mary Aragon (Max); parent in-laws, Elenor "Leo" and Ruperto Garcia; and brother in-laws, Raymond Rivera, Bennie Garcia, and Gene Garcia. He was born on April 4, 1932 in Scholle, NM, to his parents, Alberto and Gregorita Peralta Garcia. Jose was a member of the DAV and American Legion and

proudly served in the Korean War with an honorable discharge in 1954. He was employed at the Veterans Hospital as a nursing assistant where he received many awards and was recognized as Employee of The Year in 1985. Jose married his wife Berlinda "Berna" Garcia and they had three children. He enjoyed attending the church fiestas and dances, where he loved to dance and listen to spanish music. Jose loved watching football with his son and family. He was a huge lobo fan and loved attending the games with his son in law and granddaughters at the Pit. But what Jose loved most was camping and fishing with family and friends. Please sign Jose's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 9:00 AM (MT)

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

Rosary

SEP 27. 9:30 AM (MT)

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Funeral Mass

SEP 27. 10:00 AM (MT)

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

Interment

SEP 27. 11:00 AM (MT)

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

Tribute Wall

RA

“ Rita C Aragon lit a candle in memory of Jose Patocino Garcia



Rita C Aragon - September 17, 2024 at 09:01 PM

BM

“ Bryan Mascarena lit a candle in memory of Jose Patocino Garcia



Bryan Mascarena - September 16, 2024 at 11:52 PM

ML

“ May Jose Patocino Garcia soul be resting in Christ's Peace. We are grateful for his service for God and Country. 🙏🕊️🇺🇸



Mark and Crissie Leyba - September 14, 2024 at 09:58 PM

JM

“ Jennie Mascarena lit a candle in memory of Jose Patocino Garcia



Jennie Mascarena - September 14, 2024 at 07:27 PM

AC

“ *Annette Chavez lit a candle in memory of Jose Patocino Garcia*



Annette Chavez - September 14, 2024 at 01:11 AM

DU

“ *Diana Phillips Ulibarri lit a candle in memory of Jose Patocino Garcia*



Diana Phillips Ulibarri - September 13, 2024 at 06:41 PM