



## Lawrence Baca

August 11, 1925 - January 23, 2025

1925-2025

Lawrence Baca, age 99, a resident of Belen, NM passed away on Thursday, January 23, 2025. Services will be held on Friday morning, January 31, 2025, beginning with visitation at 9:00 a.m., a Rosary at 9:30 a.m., with a Funeral mass to be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Our Lady of Belen Memorial Gardens. Lawrence enjoyed a 35-year career with the Santa Fe Railroad. He was a lifelong member of the Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church. Lawrence was preceded in death by his wife Angela Baca, his parents, Alberto and Eloisa Baca, and his sister Dulcinea Baca. He is survived by his daughters: Marilyn Christie, Mary Lou Baca Winchlecter (Bruce) and Theresa Baca (Michael), his grandchildren: Isaiah Storey (Michelle), Jasmine Storey, Cody Winchlecter (Karen), Dusty Gentry (Travis), Amanda Seldon (Adrien) and Cameron Christie (Jasmine), his great-grandchildren: Aiden Clayton, Aurora Seldon, Mileena Storey, Brody Rael, and Cole Gentry. Lawrence loved life and lived for 99 years by never giving up. He enjoyed planning and planting his garden each year. This year he planned to plant sweet potatoes and strawberries, but those plans will be set aside for God's greater plans.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 31. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (MT)

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

## Rosary

JAN 31. 9:30 AM (MT)

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## Funeral Mass

JAN 31. 10:00 AM (MT)

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

## Interment

JAN 31. 11:00 AM (MT)

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

# Tribute Wall

FC

“ *Frederica Chavez lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca*



Frederica Chavez - February 01, 2025 at 10:36 PM

SR

“ *Mary Lou,*

*So sorry to hear about the passing of your Dad. May he rest in peace and God Bless You All.*

*Susan Romero*

Susan Romero - January 31, 2025 at 10:05 AM

ML

“ *What a blessing to have him a part of your lives for so long. May his wisdom be his legacy through those who were a part in his life. Our condolences go out to everyone he loved and those who loved him. May God bless each of you with every grace each needs.*



Mark and Crissie Leyba - January 29, 2025 at 08:03 PM

AM

*My heartfelt condolences to his children, grandchildren and family. Lawrence was a cousin of mine from Willard, had been many years that I hadn't seen him, hopefully I get to meet his daughters and family! Love you all! He was a Great man!💔💔🙏*

Arleen Mendez - January 31, 2025 at 05:30 PM

CW

“ Catherine (Sanchez) Walker sent a virtual gift in memory of Lawrence Baca



Catherine (Sanchez) Walker - January 29, 2025 at 07:15 PM

HB

“ Helen Gallegos Baca lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca



Helen Gallegos Baca - January 29, 2025 at 03:20 PM

JC

“ We express our condolences to the family and may Jesus Christ comfort and bring His love in the time of your loss. Your cousin Rita and John Casias



John and Rita Casias - January 29, 2025 at 12:57 PM

TG

“ Tony And Oralia Garcia lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca



Tony and Oralia Garcia - January 29, 2025 at 11:09 AM

CC

“ Cecilia Cordova lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca



Cecilia Cordova - January 29, 2025 at 08:19 AM

EG

“ Ernest Gonzales lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca



Ernest Gonzales - January 29, 2025 at 12:17 AM

DR

“ Debbie Romero lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca



Debbie Romero - January 28, 2025 at 10:19 PM

JM

“ Jennie Mascarena lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Baca



Jennie Mascarena - January 28, 2025 at 07:05 PM

LB

“ *Leroy Baca lit a candle in memory of  
Lawrence Baca*



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**Leroy Baca** - January 28, 2025 at 06:05 PM