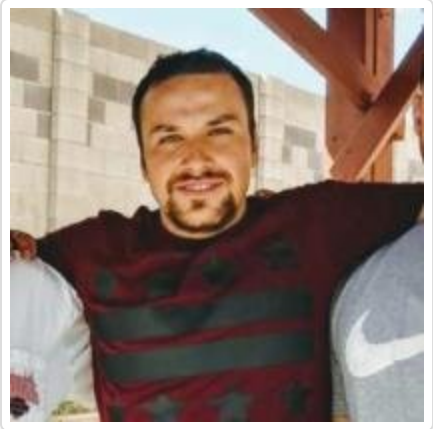

Leon P. Herrera

September 8, 1993 - June 25, 2020

1993-2020
Leon P. Herrera, age 26, went home to be with our Lord on June 25, 2020. He was born on September 8, 1993, to Filbert M. Herrera and Melissa C. Montoya in Santa Fe, NM. Leon was severely injured in a hit and run accident in Albuquerque, NM on Saturday, June 13, 2020, resulting in his death on June 25, 2020. He was preceded in death by his father, Filbert M. Herrera of Santa Fe, NM; grandfather, Filbert M. Herrera of Taos, NM; grandmother, Arselia J. Herrera of Tularosa, NM and Uncle Richard (Dickie) P. Herrera of Alamogordo, NM. Leon is survived by his mother, Melissa C. Montoya of Los Lunas, NM; brother, Michael P. Herrera of Albuquerque, NM; grandparents, John E. and Esther Cordova of Santa Fe, NM and grandmother, Charlotte Allen (John) of Veguita, NM, and grandfather, Jerry R. Montoya of Manzano, NM. He is also survived by several uncles, aunts and numerous cousins from both sides of the large family which include Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Tularosa, Alamogordo, Colorado, Arizona, Alaska, Texas and Utah. Leon worked at Southwest Glass and Glazing in Albuquerque, where he was well liked by his fellow employees. He was also an avid bicycle rider, enjoying himself while visiting his family. His large smile and robust laughter made a huge impact on everyone that was around him. Leon was an organ donor and 3 people have benefited as a result of his generous organ donations. He was our hero! Leon was dearly loved by everyone and will be missed now and forever by all who knew and loved him. Cremation has taken place. Services will be held at

Romero Funeral Home Chapel in Belen on Friday, July 10, 2020, beginning with a Visitation at 10:00 AM, a Funeral Service at 11:00 AM and Interment will be at a later date in Taos, NM. The family requests in Leon's memory that donations be made to https://www.gofundme.com/f/j4g76-medical-and-funeral-costs?utm_source=customer&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=p_cf+share-flow-1

Please sign Leon's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM 87002

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **10**. 10:00 AM (MT)

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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall

PG

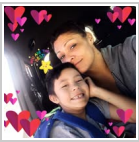
Heartbroken hearing this news today. I'm so sorry this happened to you Leon. God knows how much you meant to me. The sweetest dude, with a great sense of humor and the most beautiful eyes. I'll always miss you. RIP ❤

Priscilla Garcia - January 07, 2021 at 12:10 PM

ES

Well i like to sens my condolence to melussa and micheal. I cant believe this has happened. So tragic, and sad.. I miss you to pieces leon. I enjoyed every moment with you. I love you buddy.. You will never be forgotten.

Esperanza - July 17, 2020 at 03:31 AM



RIP Mijo we miss you we never expected to lose you so soon the Lord saw Your Struggles and said that's enough, you will always be in our hearts and our memories that funny laugh and awesome smile. We love you mijo.

Yvonne Charlie V-Pendleton - July 09, 2020 at 02:30 PM

SS

Selina Sanchez sent a virtual gift in memory of Leon P. Herrera

Selina Sanchez - July 07, 2020 at 03:38 PM

UG

Uncle Johnny & Ruth Gutierrez lit a candle in memory of Leon P. Herrera

Uncle Johnny & Ruth Gutierrez - July 04, 2020 at 01:22 PM

JG

Uncle Johnny & Ruth

Johnny & Ruth Gutierrez - July 04, 2020 at 01:23 PM

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Deborah (Debbie)Trujillo-Martinez lit a candle in memory of Leon P. Herrera

Deborah (Debbie)Trujillo-Martinez - July 01, 2020 at 01:35 AM

SA

RIP Leon praying for all the family

Sally, Q, Juan, Tino, and Angelo - June 30, 2020 at 03:26 PM

DV

Leon I am going to miss you so much. It was such a blessing to have got to know you for the time I did. I will never forget all our child hood memories and laughs together. All the times in school we were in every class together through elementary school. Those were some good times for sure. All them girls in school loved your eyes Lol. It's definitely going to be different but you will always be missed and loved dearly. You always had a smile No matter what was on your mind. You always could make someone smile and laugh. I'm sorry your time was finished on earth but may you have eternal life in the gates of heaven. R.I.P Leon I love you see you again one day buddy. Forever you will live in our hearts 💕

deseray vallejos - June 29, 2020 at 03:57 PM

EL

Leon I'm going to miss u very much u dont even no we had so much memories I will never forget u saying I want to go to the army and were my army pants and my boots u no I'm the only one that can pull that u no how many chicks would break there necks lol we have been threw ups and downs but u were there for me alot of the time but I will miss every time I would go and clean u would have ur cards thrown every were but u would run pick them up right away because u new they were going inside the trash u are so kind hearted such a good kid a lil brother but u always made sure I was doing ok love u leon may u rest in peace u will be missed leon a whole lot

Elaine - June 29, 2020 at 05:06 AM

Iam so devastated.... Why? Why did this have to happen to u. U were such a beautiful caring thoughtful young man . with a heart of gold . for those who knew u... Knew u well... U had so much live to give and so much ahead of u... Now u will never have the chance. I miss u so much i love u so much. U told everyone all the time that i am your Big sister and i tell everyone u were my lil brother. I am honored to have been able to k ow u and love u and proud that u considered my your sis and proud to have u as my lil brother. .u will never be forgotten. All your pain is gone now and u can rest and be at peace. . i love u ..... Always , Traci Lopez

Traci Lopez TL - June 29, 2020 at 01:14 AM

LR

I was so grieved to see that Leon has passed away. I am praying for you all as you go through this valley. God be with you.

Len Ridley - June 28, 2020 at 11:35 PM

BJ

Beatrice Jojola lit a candle in memory of Leon P. Herrera

Beatrice Jojola - June 28, 2020 at 06:46 PM

DR

Dicky And Suzanne Romero lit a candle in memory of Leon P. Herrera

Dicky and Suzanne Romero - June 27, 2020 at 09:56 PM

RO

Rosalinda A. Ortiz sent a virtual gift in memory of Leon P. Herrera

Rosalinda A. Ortiz - June 27, 2020 at 05:50 PM