



Mary Ascension Roebuck

May 25, 1933 - May 4, 2023

Mary A. Roebuck born Maria Asencion Baca passed away quietly in her home on May 5, 2023, surrounded by her children and grandchildren, she was 89 years old. Mary was born in Las Nutrias, NM on May 25, 1933. She grew up in a large and loving family of seven boys and five girls. Johnny, Fin, Eddie, Efrain, Lena Cordova, Esmael, Willie, Mary Roebuck, Reyes Jaramillo, Angie Lovato, Elsie Smith and Micheal. Mary was a cheerleader and student body president and graduated from La Joya High School with honors. She then received a degree from Sacred Heart University and began her career as an executive administrator who spent most of her career working for the federal government. She married and raised four children, Charles Birner Jr., Charlein Megherby, Nestor Birner, Angela Wilkinson while working and living in Belen and Albuquerque. Eventually, she remarried and moved to St. Croix in the USVI, where she visited the Caribbean Islands and developed a taste for travel. She moved to Florida, and then back to her home in Las Nutrias. She visited Antarctica, China, Europe, Iceland, India, Ireland & Yemen to name a few. Spending time with her daughters in Connecticut and Florida and visiting her sister in Puerto Vallarta several times a year. She loved deep sea fishing, flowers, gardening, decorating, playing cards with her sisters & girlfriends, and her family of course. In her last few years she enjoyed spending time with her caregiver, friend, and companion Vivian Alemeida. She was a wonderful daughter, sister, wife, mother, aunt, and friend. Las Nutrias and the community she grew up in meant so much to her. The history and relationships of a

lifetime were why she chose to make it her home. She will be missed. A visitation will take place at Romero Funeral Home on Thursday, May 11, 2023, at 5:00 p.m., followed by a Rosary at 6:00 p.m. A Final Visitation will take place on Friday, May 12, 2023, at La Iglesia de San Isidro in Las Nutrias, NM, at 10:00 a.m., with a Funeral Mass to be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Las Nutrias Catholic Cemetery. There will be a reception after services at the Senior Center in Las Nutrias, NM. As a travel reminder the railroad crossing on Highway 304 is closed, please use an alternative route. Mary is preceded in death by her parents Miguel and Rebecca Baca, her husband Vincent Roebuck, and her son Nestor L. Birner. She is survived by Charles Birner Jr., Charlein Megherby, and Angela Wilkinson. As well as her grandchildren Michael, Brittany, Rebecca, Christian, and Matthew. Pallbearers will be Charles Birner Jr., Frank Baca, Richard and Christian Megherby, Craig, and Matthew Wilkinson.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 5:00 PM (MT)

Romero Funeral Home Chapel
609 N. Main St.
Belen, NM 87002
(505) 864-8501
romerofuneralhome@comcast.net
<https://www.romerofuneralhomenm.com>

Rosary

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Final Visitation

MAY 12. 10:00 AM (MT)

San Isidro Catholic Church in Las Nutrias
1010 Highway 304
Las Nutrias, NM

Funeral Mass

MAY 12. 11:00 AM (MT)

San Isidro Catholic Church in Las Nutrias
1010 Highway 304
Las Nutrias, NM

Interment

MAY 12. 12:00 PM.

San Isidro Catholic Cemetery in Las Nutrias
Las Nutrias, NM

Tribute Wall

DR

“ *Dicky Romero lit a candle in memory of Mary Ascension Roebuck*



Dicky Romero - June 20, 2023 at 05:27 PM

NA

“ *Nour A. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Mary Ascension Roebuck.*



Nour A. - May 12, 2023 at 01:01 PM

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“ *Rest in Peace Mary. You are dearly missed. My heart goes out to her loved ones.*

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Nour Assad - May 12, 2023 at 12:52 PM

GB

“ *What a loss of a wonderful human and vivacious lady! I have fond St Croix memories of your entire family. Nestor and i were inseperable. My mom cherished her friendship with your mom and Vince. Know that your mom is now with them all...and having a hell of a good time!!*

Gregg Billman - May 10, 2023 at 03:24 PM

MB

“ We were so sorry to hear about Mary. My thoughts and prayers are with her and her whole family. Eternal rest grant unto her Lord and may perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.

Martin and Antoinette Baca



Martin and Antoinette Baca - May 09, 2023 at 02:06 PM

ML

“ We send our deepest sympathies and lift in prayer Angie, and all of Mary’s loved ones. May each receive peace , comfort and strength from our Lord Jesus Chist through the intercessions of our Blessed Virgin Mother Mary. Amen 🙏 We love Mary. She was special to us. When we were mayordomos she used to decorate the Church for us with beautiful fresh cut flowers grown and arranged by her. She had a way putting lace wrapped around the windows yet not blocking the window. She made large and small bouquets. She knew what every season of the Liturgy of the Mass would accept for colors and decorated accordingly. We remember her as devout and pious. We have have no doubt she is in Heaven.



Mark and Crissie Leyba - May 08, 2023 at 11:20 PM