

## Patricia E. Espinosa

December 7, 1946 - September 1, 2022

Patricia E. Espinosa, age 75, a resident of Los Lunas, NM passed on September 1, 2022, after several long illnesses. She was surrounded by her loving family in her home. During the praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Pat breathed her last breath and was carried by a band of angels into the loving arms of Jesus Christ, her Lord and Savior. Pat is preceded in death by her son, Ricky Espinosa; parents, Mike Chavez and Patsy Davis; and sister, Vicky Chavez. She is survived by her loving husband of 60 years, Deacon Eddie Espinosa; their two children, Laura Tafoya and husband, Ray, and Tina Aragon and husband, Victor (deceased); three grandchildren Miranda Baca, Tony Tafoya and wife, Celeste, and Angelina Aragon; four great-grandchildren, Juliet, Izabella, Elijah, and Camilla; brothers Larry and Tony Chavez; and several loving brothers and sisters in-law, nieces, nephews, and many beautiful friends. Pat was born December 7, 1946, in Albuquerque, NM and was raised in Hawthorne, NV where she met the love of her life, Eddie Espinosa. They were married on May 18, 1962, and settled in New Mexico, where they raised their family. Pat really loved camping and fishing and enjoyed outings until she fell ill. One of her favorite past times was probably shopping which is where she visited with many on a daily basis. As a homemaker, she was a wonderful cook and she helped care for her grandchildren, leaving behind many wonderful memories for them. Some might describe Pat as a “fashionista” because she was always dolled up no matter where she was. Pat was also young at heart and loved having a good

time with everyone. Many will always remember her silliness and love of others and many have great stories of how she made them laugh. Her faith was very important to her and her family. Pat was a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, attended church until she was no longer able, was part of a woman's prayer group for many years, and participated and supported her husband's ministries. The family would like to thank everyone for their support, love, prayers, and condolences. All services will be held at San Clemente Catholic Church. There will be a Public Visitation from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with a Rosary to be recited at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 18. A Final Visitation will take place from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 followed by a Mass of the Resurrection at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 19. Interment will follow at San Clemente Catholic Cemetery. A reception will be held at San Clemente Parish hall after all services have concluded. Please sign Patricia's online tribute at [www.romerofuneralhomenm.com](http://www.romerofuneralhomenm.com) Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

SEP 18. 6:00 PM (MT)

San Clemente Catholic Church  
244 Luna Road NE  
Los Lunas, NM 87031

## Rosary

SEP 18. 7:00 PM (MT)

San Clemente Catholic Church  
244 Luna Road NE  
Los Lunas, NM 87031

## Final Visitation

SEP 19. 9:00 AM (MT)

San Clemente Catholic Church  
244 Luna Road NE  
Los Lunas, NM 87031

## Funeral Mass

SEP 19. 10:00 AM (MT)

San Clemente Catholic Church  
244 Luna Road NE  
Los Lunas, NM 87031

## Interment

SEP **19**. 11:00 AM (MT)

San Clemente Catholic Cemetery  
Los Lunas, NM 87031

# Tribute Wall

RO

“ *Richard & Evelyn Orona lit a candle in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa*



Richard & Evelyn Orona - October 21, 2022 at 01:21 PM

MC

“ *Marsha Car sent a virtual gift in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa*



Marsha Car - September 17, 2022 at 08:23 AM

BC

*Our deepest condolences to the family*

Ben & Marsha Carrillo - September 17, 2022 at 08:26 AM

DR

“ *David Alderete Friend Of Tina And Ricky. lit a candle in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa*



David alderete friend of tina and ricky. - September 08, 2022 at 09:05 PM

YG

“ Charles & Yolanda Gabaldon



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**Yolanda Gabaldon** - September 06, 2022 at 10:26 AM

KG

“ Our deepest condolences to Laura, Ray and the extended Espinoza Family on the loss of your Mother.  
God Bless  
Ken and Shirley Garcia



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**Ken Garcia** - September 06, 2022 at 10:07 AM

DC

“ My deepest condolences goes out to you Eddie, Laura, Ray, Tina, and family. I have very fond and pleasant memories of Pat that bring a smile. My prayers are with you and I pray God comforts each of you with His loving arms as you go through this process.  
I am sad I won't be able to attend the services. I will be out of town.

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**Diane Chavez** - September 04, 2022 at 10:33 PM

BC

“ Becky Culp lit a candle in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa



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**Becky Culp** - September 04, 2022 at 11:33 AM

CH

“ I can say with much love ❤️ in my Heart that this sweet lovely person Will always be in my heart. Memories, Will last a lifetime of so much joy, tears, Laughter. We go back so many years, I Could write a book. Family love was so Important, and we will continue to Share with one another.  
Good bye sweet lady 💕❤️ I 🙏🙏📧  
May you be surrounded by Angel's in Your new heavenly home. We will see Each other one day.  
Lovingly, Cynthia Huber ❤️

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**Cynthia Huber** - September 03, 2022 at 02:52 PM

AC

“ Albert & Alice Chavez lit a candle in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa



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**Albert & Alice Chavez** - September 03, 2022 at 12:51 PM

KR

“ TRULY A BEAUTIFUL WOMEN IN AND OUT! MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.

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**Karen Romero** - September 03, 2022 at 12:19 PM

AN

“ Anthony lit a candle in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa



Anthony - September 03, 2022 at 08:53 AM

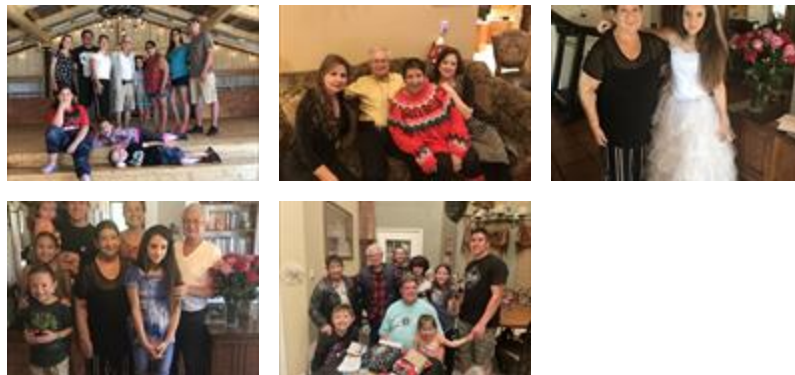
TJ

“ So very sorry for your loss. Pat will be missed by all. We always enjoyed the times we spent with her and the family. May she RIP!  
James & Terry Jaramillo

Terry Jaramillo - September 02, 2022 at 11:35 PM

LT

“ 16 files added to the album Tribute Wall



Laura Tafoya - September 02, 2022 at 10:05 PM



“ *Viola Gabaldon lit a candle in memory of Patricia E. Espinosa*



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**Viola Gabaldon** - September 02, 2022 at 03:23 PM



*I'm so sorry for the loss of your wife, mother Pat. She was a very giving person. I knew Pat for many years. Fly high with the Angels and into Jesus arms. May you Rest In Peace. No more suffering.*

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**Viola Gabaldon** - September 02, 2022 at 03:26 PM

LA

*Laura and Ray & family,*

*Our hearts were deeply saddened by the loss of your precious mom. Our condolences to you and the family. May the many fond memories ease you all through this difficult time. May she rest in peace with our heavenly father.. We love you!*

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**Louise Aragon** - September 06, 2022 at 05:37 PM