



## Sam Garcia

December 24, 1931 - May 27, 2020

1932-2020

Sam Garcia, age 88, of Bosque, New Mexico and Rock Springs, Wyoming, met his Lord peacefully in his sleep on May 27, 2020.

Early in 1957 Sam moved to Rock Springs, Wyoming and built his concrete business. In 1974 he built the Mountain View Mobile Home Park that he opened alongside his concrete business. His family was the fourth family to make their home 3 miles north of Rock Springs. He was instrumental in bringing the utilities to the area north of Rock Springs.

Sam proudly served in the U.S. Army in the Artillery 155 Self-Propelled Howitzer cannon battery in Korea. He was an outdoorsman and enjoyed camping and hunting during his time in Wyoming. In 2000, he moved to Bosque, New Mexico, where he met and married his wife, Frances. Sam and Frances enjoyed traveling to Wyoming in the summer and south in the winter to warmer climates. They also enjoyed attending fiestas, music festivals, and dancing.

Sam is preceded in death by his parents, Sam and Perfilia Garcia; his daughter, Carolyn West; son, Sam Garcia, Jr.; the mother of his children, Delval Garcia; and granddaughter, Shaylynn Manning. He is survived by his loving wife of ten years, Frances; son, Gilbert (Deneise) Garcia of Rock Springs, WY; his daughter, Kelly Garcia of Casper, WY; his daughter-in-law, Trudy Garcia of Gillette, WY; grandchildren, Justin (Tammy) Rice and Ryan

Rice of Rock Springs, WY; Stacey (Tiffani) Garcia, Sammy (Bobbie) Garcia, Saber (Stacey) Garcia, and Spencer Garcia, all of Gillette, WY; Shanda Manning of Cheyenne, WY; great-grandchildren, Cooper Garcia, Samantha Quinn Garcia, Trevor Garcia, JaCoby Garcia, Eleana "Ellie" Garcia, Ryker Garcia, River Garcia, Jude Garcia, Everett Garcia, Tanner Rice, Megan Rice, Hailey Jai Manning, and Hazen Manning; and his sister, Dolores "Dody" Hoffman. He is also survived by many nieces, nephews and friends who loved him. A private service will take place. Please sign Sam's online tribute at [www.romerofuneralhomenm.com](http://www.romerofuneralhomenm.com) Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM

# Tribute Wall

LH

“ *May you rest in peace, forever, Sam. You were ONE OF A KIND! I have taken my wonderful memories and knowledge you shared with me at an early age with me through out my life.  
YOU will always have a special place in my heart.*

*I wish to express my Deepest Condolences to all of Sam's Family and Friends.*

*Les Hill*

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**Les Hill** - January 22, 2021 at 09:29 AM



LS

“ *Larry Stacey lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



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**Larry Stacey** - June 18, 2020 at 09:50 PM

JJ

“ *I can't remember ever not knowing Sam. He was a special guy. Sam always treated me like one of his kids and I'm just so grateful to have had Sam in my life, and in my family's lives. I'm as grateful that Sam and Frances found one another. I know that Frances, alongside everyone who knew this beautiful man, will miss him deeply. 'Rest peacefully, Sam. We love you.'*

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**Jill Johnson** - June 06, 2020 at 12:37 PM

DS

“ Our deepest sympathies and condolences. May the dear Lord bless Sams memory.

Daniel y Loretta Sachs - June 01, 2020 at 10:30 AM

LM

“ Our Deepest Sympathy  
The Family of the Late  
Donald K. Murphy  
Dad sure thought very highly of you guys. In fact his first residence when he moved to Rock Springs he rented from Dee.  
Our Prayers During this difficult time.  
Mrs. Lucille Murphy  
Bo, Natalie, Lori, Tracie & Dustin

Lori McDonough - May 31, 2020 at 07:26 PM

LF

“ I remember how he assisted me when I had to care for a neighbors cow that neded help calving. He was a great hand and a really decent man. Our visits were always enjoyable. My sincerest of condolences to his family.  
Larry Friedman D.V.M.

Larry Friedman - May 31, 2020 at 09:22 AM

LG

“ Dear Frances, I am so sorry to hear of Sam passing. I will always remember how happy you two were. Your kindness to me will always be a memory I have of you and Sam. May the Peace of the Holy Family be with him in heaven. Condolences to the Garcia family. Loretta.



Loretta Gabaldon - May 30, 2020 at 05:40 PM

CH

“ *What an upstanding man! He certainly set the bar high in all aspects of life. May we all live as full of life as Sam and with such integrity. So thankful that we had the opportunity to know Sam. Our sympathy to the rest of the Garcia family.*

*Condolences: James and Cindy Harkins*

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**Cynthia Harkins** - May 30, 2020 at 02:47 PM

JL

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Sammie's. We worked with Sam and became good friends over several years. Wonderful man. Our sympathy. Gary & Jan Layos now in Az.*



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**jan Layos** - May 30, 2020 at 02:02 PM

MA

“ *Marlene&Marty lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



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**Marlene&Marty** - May 30, 2020 at 10:27 AM

BC

“ *Beverly Castillo lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



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**Beverly Castillo** - May 29, 2020 at 11:44 PM

RJ

“ *A true cowboy. Hard working man. Rough time when he lost Sammy & Carolyn. Very proud of Gilbert. Was happy, always complimented his wife Frances. Jimmy & I will miss him.* 💖

Rebecca J. Garcia & Jimmy - May 29, 2020 at 10:04 PM



“ *Lorraine Marquez lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



Lorraine Marquez - May 29, 2020 at 09:18 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers to you and your family. —Julian & Helen Garcia*



Julian N Helen Garcia - May 29, 2020 at 03:29 PM

PP

“ *Preme And Lorraine Padilla lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



Preme and Lorraine Padilla - May 29, 2020 at 03:01 PM

MG

“ I’m sorry to see the passing of my wonderful friend, Sam. I will miss his company and especially his jabs and jokes while having morning coffee with our buddies. Thanks for being a great friend!! Rest is paradise

Manny Garcia - May 29, 2020 at 02:39 PM

CC

“ So very sorry for your loss. Sam was a nice , sweet, and funny man. Everyone that new him loved him. RIP 🙏🙏🙏🇺🇸🇺🇸🇺🇸

Cathy& David Carrillo - May 29, 2020 at 02:22 PM

DF

“ Debra And Steve Francis lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia



Debra and Steve Francis - May 29, 2020 at 12:55 PM

RS

“ Lit a candle in Memory of Sam Garcia.”

Sincerely,  
Ruby Salas & Family



Ruby Salas - May 29, 2020 at 10:52 AM

AB

I will miss the great and wonderful moments that we as youngsters had playing in the waters of the rio grande in "la bolsa" finding a shotgun in the river which I understand he still has 77 years later. Abel "Billy" Mc Bride.

Abel "Billy" Mc Bride - May 29, 2020 at 07:16 PM

TG

“ Tony And Oralia Garcia lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia



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**Tony and Oralia Garcia** - May 29, 2020 at 09:55 AM

UF

“ Ulibarri Family lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia



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**Ulibarri Family** - May 28, 2020 at 09:37 PM

AF

“ Andrew Ulibarri Family lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia



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**Andrew Ulibarri Family** - May 28, 2020 at 09:36 PM

PM

“ RIP uncle sam . Love you guys sending prayers and condoms.



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**Pamela Marquez** - May 28, 2020 at 09:29 PM

PM

*Oh my not sure how that happened. I can spell beter than that.*

**Pamela Marquez** - May 28, 2020 at 09:34 PM

NC

“ *Nago Contreras lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



**nago contreras** - May 28, 2020 at 08:18 PM

AC

“ *Anna Contreras lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



**anna contreras** - May 28, 2020 at 08:16 PM

CS

“ *Candice & Sara lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



**Candice & Sara** - May 28, 2020 at 04:07 PM

SY

“ Sara Gonzales Yalch sent a virtual gift in memory of Sam Garcia



Sara Gonzales Yalch - May 28, 2020 at 04:04 PM

MV

“ Marie Varela lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia



marie Varela - May 27, 2020 at 11:29 PM

LR

“ Lori Rivera lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia



Lori Rivera - May 27, 2020 at 11:07 PM

LR

My condolences to Fran and the family. † May he RIP

Lori Rivera - May 27, 2020 at 11:13 PM

MV

My condolence to auntie Fran and all his loved once. May he RIP.

marie Varela - May 27, 2020 at 11:30 PM

DR

“ *Dicky And Suzanne Romero lit a candle in memory of Sam Garcia*



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**Dicky and Suzanne Romero** - May 27, 2020 at 07:54 PM