



Vivian Carlos Romero

May 25, 1942 - December 17, 2017

1942-2017

Vivian C. Romero, age 75, a resident of Belen, NM, passed away on Sunday, December 17, 2017 in Cuba, NM, after performing with the Our Lady of Belen Los Pastores Saturday night. He was a member of Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church and a choir member of the San Clemente Catholic Church. Vivian performed with the Los Pastores group for several years throughout the state of New Mexico. He was a well-known area musician playing the accordion and the guitar at various Catholic Church's throughout the Rio Grande Valley. He also played for many years for the senior citizens in the area. Vivian retired from the IBEW Electrical Union Local 611 after 45 plus years of outstanding service and worked at many high profile jobs throughout the US including Intel and Los Alamos National Laboratory. He earned the nickname, "Rainbo," for his colorful personality. Vivian was preceded in death by the mother of his children, Virginia G. Romero; his grandson, Martin Luis Romero; parents, Santiago G. Romero and Elvira Bustamante Romero; 3 siblings, Paul Romero, Casamira Chavez and James Romero. He is survived by his 3 sons, John James (Cindy), Eugene (Linda), and Tobias (K.J.); 6 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; and brothers, George and Joe (Lilly). He is also survived by his loving nieces and nephews. All services will be held on Friday, December 22, 2017 at Our Lady of Belen Catholic Church. A Visitation will begin at 10:00 a.m., with a Rosary to be recited at 11:00 a.m., and a Funeral Mass to be celebrated at 11:30 a.m. Interment will take place at a later date in

Riley, NM. Urnbearers will be his grandchildren. Honorary urnbearers will be his fellow musicians.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 10:00 AM (MT)

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

Rosary

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Funeral Mass

DEC **22**. 11:30 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

TC

“ *To Vivian's Family: Vivian's mother was my first cousin on the Saiz line, yet I have always felt the Romeros were my cousins because of our ages. It was a shock to learn of Vivian's passing, but it was done quietly just as he lived. You all are in my prayers.*
Teri Chavez, Los Angeles, CA

Teri Chavez - January 09, 2018 at 11:43 PM

CG

“ *Chuck Garcia lit a candle in memory of Vivian Carlos Romero*



Chuck Garcia - December 31, 2017 at 10:01 PM

CG

“ *My condolences to the Romero family, sincerely, Chuck Garcia. May the LORD comfort you in your time of grief.*

Chuck Garcia - December 31, 2017 at 09:59 PM

LS

“ *My deepest condolences to Vivian's family. I just found out about your Dad. I am so sorry and sad. He was a very kind and loving friend. May the peace of the Holy Family be with him. Good by dear friend. Rest in Peace.*



Loretta Sanchez - December 29, 2017 at 02:25 AM

DV

“ Vivian. 2007 when we met. You enriched my 6 months here. When I returned to Vermont we stayed in touch. 2013 I return and we meet again. I am blessed to have known you. I will miss you. My thoughts and prayers go out to your family and the people who loved you. Always in my heart.
Deborah Vize

Deborah Vize - December 24, 2017 at 10:50 PM

DJ

“ Paul romero was like a dad to me, and I always was proud to say you were my uncle. You always treated me with kindness and respect. God keep you.

Donnie Johnson - December 22, 2017 at 08:03 PM

CS

“ Querido Amigo Vivian, te vamos a mistir muchisimo, especialmente con Los Pastores tocando su acordeon. Dios te Bendiga y descansas en pas Amigo. (Su companero Pastor Cliff Sanchez)

Clifford Sanchez - December 21, 2017 at 08:26 PM

GG

“ Glenn & Dolores Garcia lit a candle in memory of Vivian Carlos Romero



Glenn & Dolores Garcia - December 21, 2017 at 04:59 PM

GK

“ Garry Kinzie lit a candle in memory of Vivian Carlos Romero



Garry Kinzie - December 21, 2017 at 01:24 PM

BM

“ To Vivian's family our deepest and sincere condolences for your loss. Vivian & Joe became friends a few years ago due to their undying love for Harley Davidson. If ever there was an excuse to hop on their Harley's to ride these two found the excuse. Whether it was the motorcycle rides to Socorro or San Antonio just to have lunch or to sit out in the front yard comparing what either one had done new to their motorcycles, Joe and Vivian never run out of conversation. Vivian was a kind and gentle soul who would give his shirt off his back if it was needed. We will miss his visits, Joe will miss his riding buddy. May you all find comfort knowing Vivian is now the leader of the pack as his riding buddies who awaited for him at heaven's gate to welcome him home. He was so welcomed in to the arms of the Lord. Vivian thanks for being such a great friend. Berna & Joe



Bernadette Moya - December 21, 2017 at 08:58 AM



“ Priscilla Lucero Otero lit a candle in memory of Vivian Carlos Romero



Priscilla Lucero Otero - December 20, 2017 at 11:34 AM

KF

“ Good bye old friend. RIP, I will miss your smile . Your kindness. Your gentle personality, and your golden heart. God truly made a earthly angel when he made you. God Bless to all your love ones who will miss you. Kim Foster



Kim Foster - December 20, 2017 at 02:35 AM

RA

“ Rita C Aragon lit a candle in memory of Vivian Carlos Romero



Rita C Aragon - December 19, 2017 at 10:52 PM

DR

“ Dicky And Suzanne Romero lit a candle in memory of Vivian Carlos Romero



Dicky and Suzanne Romero - December 19, 2017 at 10:24 PM