

Amanda Marie Sifuentes

September 30, 1989 - August 15, 2024

Our beloved Amanda Marie Sifuentes, 34, gained her wings on August 15, 2024. Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory with Amanda's family at www.andersonbethany.com.

There will be a Rosary at St. John's Church on Friday, September 13, 2024, at 10 a.m, with a Funeral Mass to follow.

Amanda was born on September 30, 1989, to Samuel J. Sifuentes and Ann M. Velasquez. Amanda graduated from University High School in 2007. She then moved to Albuquerque, New Mexico and attended Brown Mackey for two years. Amanda was an amazing daughter, mom, sister, granddaughter, niece, cousin, aunt, sister-in-law and friend. Amanda was such a bright and loving woman whose smile would light up any room. Her presence was a source of joy and comfort to those around her. She never met a stranger; her warmth and kindness touched the lives of many. Amanda had such a huge heart and would do anything to help anyone in need, her laugh was unique, infectious, and her smile would brighten anyone's day. No words could describe how amazing she was, her kindness, generosity and loving spirit touched the lives of many. All the great memories of Amanda will forever be treasured. She will remain in our hearts forever more.

Amanda's passions included listening to music, shopping, cruising, hanging

out with family, especially with her grandmother Ramona, which had a special place in her heart. Amanda would bedazzle and or glitter anything in sight, which resembled the sparkle she was.

Amanda is survived by her loving parents: Samuel J Sifuentes (Crystal) and Ann M

Velasquez (Juan Chavez); daughter, Alyssa Conde; siblings: Samuel Sifuentes Jr. (Brittany); maternal grandmother, Ramona Velasquez; paternal grandfather, Juan Sifuentes; paternal grandmother, Mary Rodriguez; nephews: Joseph and Josiah Pacheco, Samuel Sifuentes III and Lucas Sifuentes; aunt, Eva Velasquez (Anthony Perez); uncles: Vicente II (Julie), Rudy, Fred Velasquez, Orlando Cobos, Jessie, Albert, Oscar Sifuentes, David Rivera, Andrew and Eddie Jaramillo; and numerous cousins and friends.

Amanda is preceded in death by her grandfather, Vicente Velasquez Sr; aunt, Lisa Ann Velasquez Cobos; baby cousin, Donovan Christian Velasquez; cousin, Patricia Garcia; and one of her childhood best friends, Maribel Chavez.

To lose a child is one of the hardest things to go through, so fly high my precious gem, until we meet again love you lots my Pots.

- Mom

It was a cold blustery day; the blanket tugged on my clothes making it hard to get out of bed. The room filled with dark clouds. All I could think about was her laugh, her smile, her love. My mom had always been my rock, the one who could brighten even the worst of days with her warmth and kindness. Yet today, the world felt emptier, colder, and harsher. The wind outside echoed my sorrow, as if the breeze mourned her loss with me. I finally built up the strength to rise, my feet touching the cold floor. The trees bent under the force of the wind, much like how my heart felt

with her absence. Memories of her flooded my mind. Her laugh, which could light up a room, her smile that made everything seem all right, and her love as promising as the rising sun. She was the one who taught me to find beauty in the simplest of things, to appreciate life even in the most challenging moments. Today, though, I found it hard to see the so-called beauty she always talked about. The house felt empty without her presence. I walked through the rooms, each one holding bits and pieces of our life together. I closed my eyes and let the memories wash over me. Her gentle touch, her words of wisdom, and the unconditional love she always gave me. Though she was no longer here in the physical sense, her spirit lived on in the lessons she taught me and the love she unconditionally gave me. In this moment, I realized even though the storm outside raged on, inside, I carried a piece of her warmth and light. Although the days ahead would be difficult, I knew her love would guide me through, just as it always had. My mother may have passed, but her legacy of love and strength would remain with me forever.

-Written by Alyssa R Conde.

Tribute Wall

MV

“ Mija, I carry you in my heart ❤️ forever the time you live with me, it was anticipating moment when you would wake up I would see your beautiful smile that made my whole day. There were times we would just laid in bed and just talk and laugh. Then you would just sit up in bed and say "Tia" would you make me some of your tortillas, and I replied sure Mija. I sure miss those days. Mija, you don't know how happy you made me. You gave me hope because I miss my girls Adrianna, and Brianna. My words can't express how deeply sorry I am Mija, that you were taken away from us to soon. My huges go out to your beautiful daughter, and your beautiful mom Annie. I have your picture next to my bed. Reminding me of the sweet, time I had you there with me. Mija, , I feel your spirit with me at times, and I even hear your laugh when I would make your laugh so hard. And you would say...Tia , your so crazy Tia. I wish I could bring those days back. But I can't, because I know you are in a beautiful place surrounded with angels, music...it's not the music you listen to...LoL but it's the best music your ears have ever heard. I spoiled you so very much and I love every moment. You love my cooking, you would say you keep feeding me like this Tia, I'm going to get big..and we would just laugh. But you Mija, I did mind because I miss cooking for everyone of my family Velasquez. I MISS YOU MIJA, AND LOVE YOU SO VERY MUCH ❤️ Mija, you gave me hope someday, that my Adrianna,& Brianna would come around someday. I was so proud of you of the things you accomplished in your life, how we talk about your daughter all the time when we would laid in bed. Mija, I just wanted to say thank you for giving me HOPE with my girls.
Love " Tia"
Marty oxoxox



Marty Velasquez - October 23, 2024 at 12:47 PM

RG

“ *My deepest condolences go out to all the family.*

Rebecca Garcia - September 16, 2024 at 08:12 PM

MA

“ *We all love you Amanda I just wish that I could see you one last time we all do God bless your family and you fly with angels love Jacob Abbott*



Melissa Mckelvey/ Jacob abbott - September 13, 2024 at 01:03 PM

MM

“ *Amanda worked for me at dairy Queen she always brightened up the lobby and shared the customers she was a beautiful soul and a beautiful girl she will be missed very very much my thoughts and prayers are with you God bless you always*



Melissa Mckelvey - September 13, 2024 at 12:55 PM

CS

“ *Amanda it's still a shock to me and my daughter that your gone from the first time we meet you u were one of the sweetest person that we have ever meet we had such good times together were going to miss you out angel and to the family our biggest condolences and prayers are with you*

Crystal and Sabra - September 13, 2024 at 02:15 AM

AJ

“ *RIP to my first Best friend and one of the realest and most down to earth people in the world you will never be forgotten*

Albert jaramillo - September 11, 2024 at 05:45 PM

KR

“ *Kelly & Harold Ramey lit a candle in memory of Amanda Sifuentes*



Kelly & Harold Ramey - September 10, 2024 at 01:09 PM

RI

“ *RIP young lady! You clearly had an impact on this world.*

Anonymous

Ricardo - September 09, 2024 at 07:28 PM

MR

“ *Condolences and prayers to the family, she well be deeply missed but never forgotten.*



Michael Joseph Romo - September 09, 2024 at 06:15 AM

SH

“ Sherry lit a candle in memory of Amanda Sifuentes



Sherry - September 08, 2024 at 05:02 PM

VM

“ I only knew Amanda for a short time working at Stripes. She was a very kind and loving person. Always there to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. Or even just to listen if anyone needed someone to talk to. I will always treasure the memories she left me in the short time that I knew her. RIP my beautiful friend. You will truly be missed by many. Veronica

Veronica Macias - September 08, 2024 at 04:47 PM

TC

“ You have your wings now so fly high Amanda!!! Another real one gone too soon! You had a true genuine soul with a pure heart and you'll always be remembered for that! Condolences to the homie Boo and his family sending mad prayers yalls way thru this hard time 🙏🙏🙏 Rest in Paradise Amanda



Theodore Contreras - September 08, 2024 at 01:42 PM

JM

“ Jesse and Marlene sent a virtual gift in memory of Amanda Sifuentes



Jesse and Marlene - September 07, 2024 at 09:11 AM

DT

“ Can't believe your gone never forget you, amor



Dougefresh Thyberg - September 07, 2024 at 03:13 AM

CS

“ Condolences and Prayers for Familia and Friends, May Perpetual Light ✨ Shine Upon Her Soul and May She Rest in Peace 🙏



Caroline G Silvas - September 05, 2024 at 10:16 PM

RU

“ Primz I love you so much!! Forever in my heart I will keep you!! Fly high beautiful 💔



Raquel Urias - September 05, 2024 at 09:54 PM

YO

“ Prayers to the Family 🙏



Yolanda - September 05, 2024 at 12:35 AM

NI

“ Niki lit a candle in memory of Amanda Sifuentes



Niki - September 04, 2024 at 10:48 PM

AS

“ Everytime I see a dove I will think of a strong woman named Amanda sifuentes.wish I would of got close to you to be there for you.



Ana Soltero - September 04, 2024 at 06:09 PM

AS

“ Ana Soltero lit a candle in memory of Amanda Sifuentes



Ana Soltero - September 04, 2024 at 06:07 PM

JM

“ Rest in peace beautiful ❤️

Justino Martinez - September 04, 2024 at 05:03 PM

MM

“ Bless those who mourn, eternal God, with the comfort of your love that they may face each new day with hope and the certainty that nothing can destroy the good that has been given. May their memories become joyful, their days enriched with friendship, and their lives encircled by your love.



Megan Murillo - September 04, 2024 at 04:44 PM

CS

“ We love you and miss you!❤️



Crystal Sifuentes - September 04, 2024 at 04:12 PM

CO

“ My Hita Manda....I Will Love U Always. Hearing U tell Me I Love U Nina will live in My Heart Forever. Until We Meet Again Hita. Nina

Corine - September 04, 2024 at 04:12 PM

AL

“ Your one of a kind I'm glad you were in my life I love and miss you you will never be forgotten till we meet again rip friend

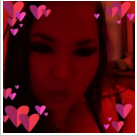
Albert - September 04, 2024 at 04:02 PM

GL

“ Grace Lozano lit a candle in memory of Amanda Sifuentes



Grace Lozano - September 04, 2024 at 03:49 PM



“ Lord I'm going to miss you Amanda all those fun memories in high-school your such a beautiful soul I love you always and forever send my prayers to you and family give Michelle and Mari a hug for me



Ash Ley - September 04, 2024 at 03:24 PM

AG

“ Our sincere condolences and prayers to the Sifuentes / Velasquez families ! Rest in paradise mamas! You will always carry a special place in our family and in our hearts ! Pslam 91 🙏❤️😔

Anthony Garcia - September 04, 2024 at 02:56 PM

FA

“ Rest in peace Amanda u will be greatly missed!! U were such a good friend there was never a dull moment with u!! I'm still trying to make this make sense! I love u friend!! 🗄️🗄️
❤️🗄️🗄️



Francesca Archuleta - September 04, 2024 at 01:27 PM

RM

“ *My condolences to the family
Well Amanda Panda I'm going to miss you the beautiful girl that you
were. I'm so glad that I got to know you you help me through a lot of
ups and downs you were there when I needed someone to talk to
you someone to keep me going I'm so lost knowing that you're gone
I will forever remember that beautiful smile along with that bright
Spirit of yours going to miss you Manda panda till we meet again fly
high love you.*

Ruby Meza - September 04, 2024 at 01:04 PM

AC

“ *Ashley conde lit a candle in memory of
Amanda Sifuentes*



Ashley conde - September 04, 2024 at 01:04 PM

HR

“ *We met thru Ray Ray & Nena Vallejos, & I'm
so happy we did. You were such a good lady
& you'll be missed. The lil time we spent
together will forever remain in my heart & I'll
always keep those memories of you. I don't
know what happened but I'm so sorry you had to go this way. Fly
high my friend & Rest in Paradise 🙏 Much love always ❤️*



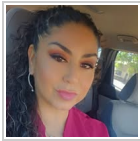
Helen Rodriguez - September 04, 2024 at 12:02 PM

GF

“ Prayers of peaceful comfort to the Velasquez family, her children, and all those whose lives she touched. May she always be the sunshine you see in the light of your day.



Guajaca Family - September 04, 2024 at 11:54 AM



“ Rest in peace 🕊️ I love you mija. Love Tia Angela 💔😭



Angela Aragon - September 04, 2024 at 11:39 AM

DE

“ Delia sent a virtual gift in memory of Amanda Sifuentes



Delia - September 04, 2024 at 11:37 AM