



Diana Elvira Casillas

January 4, 1946 - March 9, 2017

With great sadness, the family of Raymond Gonzales and Diana Casillas, 71, shares her passing from this life on March 9, 2017, at her home in Roswell, NM. Diana was born on January 4, 1946 in Eagle Pass, TX, to Rodrigo and Teodora Escamilla Fuentes. A service will be held Tuesday, March 14, 2017, 10:00 AM at St John the Baptist Catholic Church. Burial will follow at South Park Cemetery. A tribute of Diana's life may be found at www.andersonbethany.com where you may leave memories and expressions of sympathy for her family.

A homemaker, Diana loved to cook, especially enjoying time with her family. Among favorites of hers were: cherry coke, thrift shopping and garage sales. Diana put up a very tough fight with the illness she battled through. Her family would like everyone to know that she WAS the true meaning of 'true love' – always giving and always thinking of others before herself.

Surviving to cherish the memory of their dear Diana are her children: Lucy Salas (Pete), Luis Casillas, Fatima Gonzales, Raymond Gonzales (Joyce), Brian Gonzales, Ryan Gonzales, Johnny Gonzales, Lupito Gonzales; best friend/sister, Viola Vigil; sisters: Maria Belia (Nena) Hoff, Noemi Garcia, Irene Myers, Lupe Valdez; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Diana was preceded in death by her children: Sonia Casillas, Adolph Casillas, Lourdes Gonzales, Josephine Gonzales; brothers: Jessie Fuentes, Rodrigo Fuentes Jr; and sisters: Maria Elena De Los Santos, Maria Luz Rangel and

Juanita Espanza.

Pallbearers will be Pete Salas, Justin Sanchez, Andy Isaacs, Tim Rocha and Clifford Garcia.

Thank you, Mom, and Dad, so much, for teaching us our customs, values, (cuentos) and traditions that many generations will never get to experience.

When I am gone, release me, and let me go.

I have so many things to see and do,
you mustn't tie yourself to me with too many tears,
but be thankful we had so many good years.

You gave me love, and very much happiness.
I thank you for that love that was shown,
but now it is time I traveled on alone.

So grieve for me a while mom, if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It is only for a while that we must part,
so treasure the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away for life goes on.
And if you need me, call and I will come.

Though you can't see or touch me, I will be near.
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear,
all my love and round you soft and clear.

And the, when you come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile and "Welcome You Home".

Tribute Wall



“ *Diana Elvira Casillas*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Maria Gonzales lit a candle in memory of Diana Elvira Casillas*



Maria Gonzales - September 24, 2021 at 05:23 AM



I love in miss you grandma so much always ur grand daughter mari.

Maria Gonzales - September 24, 2021 at 05:25 AM



“ *My Sister-in-law was such a loving person. She had many children to carry on her legacy. Will miSS her but so relieved she is with her children and family in Heaven. Love you Diane. Veronica Fuentes*

Veronica Fuentes - March 14, 2017 at 09:55 AM



“ *Randy Hoff sent a virtual gift in memory of Diana Elvira Casillas*



Randy Hoff - March 14, 2017 at 08:58 AM



“ Randy Hoff lit a candle in memory of Diana Elvira Casillas



Randy Hoff - March 14, 2017 at 08:58 AM



“ Diana welcome home, we've waiting for you!
Your family in heaven

Randy Hoff - March 14, 2017 at 08:55 AM

GB

“ Guadalupe Becerra lit a candle in memory of Diana Elvira Casillas



Guadalupe Becerra - March 13, 2017 at 11:46 PM

GB

Diana will always hold a special place in my heart along with Don Ramon and all her family. May she rest in peace!! God bless you all!!!

Guadalupe Becerra - March 14, 2017 at 12:10 AM

RH

“ Robert Yolanda Herrera lit a candle in memory of Diana Elvira Casillas



Robert Yolanda Herrera - March 13, 2017 at 12:11 PM

BR

“ *I'm very sorry for the lost of Your Mother, She was a wonderful women. God Be With You All. Beverly, & Willie Russell, & Michael Russell*

Beverly Russell - March 12, 2017 at 12:15 PM