



## Dorothy Gonzales

November 29, 1954 - April 26, 2017

Dorothy Marie Gonzales, 62, passed away on Wednesday, April 26, 2017. A Rosary will be on Sunday, April 30, 2017, 1:00 PM at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home, memorial service will follow Rosary. A tribute of Dorothy's life may be found at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com) where you may leave memories and expressions of sympathy for her family.

Dorothy was born to Jesus Linares and Eudelia Navarette in Roswell, NM, on November 29, 1954. Manuel Gonzales and Dorothy united in marriage in Roswell, NM. She had the most generous loving heart and great compassion for others, always looking for ways to help if needed. Listening to music and dancing were some of the things she liked doing. Dorothy's greatest pride and joy were her grandchildren; she loved them more than life itself. Dorothy enjoyed spending most of the time babysitting several children. Having a most vibrant laugh, which was her passion, Dorothy, always stood out in a crowd. Perhaps more than anything, Dorothy will be remembered for her infectious laughter, strong-will and caring heart.

Surviving to cherish Dorothy's memory are husband, Manuel C. Gonzales; sons: Richard Cardona and wife, Rene, Eric Gonzales; daughter, Crystal Cardona and husband, Patrick; step-sons: Manuel Gonzales, Jerry Gonzales; step-daughter, Christina Archuleta and husband, Chris; Godchildren: Mario Fresquez, Veronica Nunez, Angelique Sanchez, Michelle Linares; grandchildren: Melissa Cardona, Richard Jr Cardona, Mathew Cardona, Julian Leos, Patrick Jr Maturino, Manuel Maturino, Melodi Gonzalez, Eric Rey

Gonzales, Ava Crystal June Salazar, Marina Conde, Lanay Conde, Seriyah Archuleta, Loveayah Archuleta, Alexa Archuleta, Daniel Gonzales, Manuel Gonzales, Azariah Gonzales; great-grandson, Zayden Vasquez; brothers: Louis Linares of San Diego, Julian Linares and wife, Elva of Phoenix, Juan Linares of Utah, Manuel Linares of Roswell, Ramon Linares of Roswell, Ruben Linares and wife, Joan of Baytown, TX, Leroy Linares and wife, Helen of Phoenix; sister, Delia Schulte and husband, Ronald of Levelland, TX; numerous nephews, nieces and cousins; close childhood friend, Betty Grace Nunez; and cockatiel, Tweety Bird.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents: Jesus Linares and Eudelia Navarette; brothers: Felipe Linares, Jesse Linares, Joe Linares; and sister, Thomasa Matta.

A very Special Thank You to niece, Stacey Matta; hospice workers: Roberta, Stacey and Jessica; homecare workers: Veronica Avila, Rosana Grajeda, Pilly Acosta and Elizabeth Loya who showed so much compassion and love; Dr. Braik and Kymera Staff; and Father Jorge.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy Gonzales*

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December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Happy Birthday Grandma Dorothy!*

*If you don't already know your granddaughter is absolutely amazing in every way. Nema carries herself with so much confidence, sassy attitude, and where's her heart on her sleeve. When it comes to her brain she loves to learn and challenges herself with a puzzle or she is hooked on phonics. She loves watching nothing but Toy Story and her type of music is Britney Spears. She has this little voice that says the darnest things. She is drop dead gorgeous and the more she grows she gets even more beautiful.*

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**Nema & Mommy** - November 29, 2021 at 02:13 AM

NM

“ *She's Like The Wind!*

*Isn't she beautiful!!! Living in the moment is something Nema does on daily! I will never take any moment spent with her for granted. She has been the biggest blessing I could ask for. I love being her Mommy and everyday I fight to be a stronger woman for her. Raising Nema isn't easy and thankfully it doesn't take a village. Patience and Love is all she asks for. Oh yeah she asks for cookies too. We love you Grandma Dorothy!!! Watch over my baby!!*



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**Nema and Mommy** - July 22, 2021 at 12:02 AM

NM

“ *Happy Birthday To Grandma Dorothy!*

*Your granddaughter is such a unique little person. Watching her grow has been a blessing. Nema takes after Eric so much but her attitude she gets that from me. Sending you our love.*



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**Nema and Mama** - November 30, 2020 at 12:35 AM

ZS

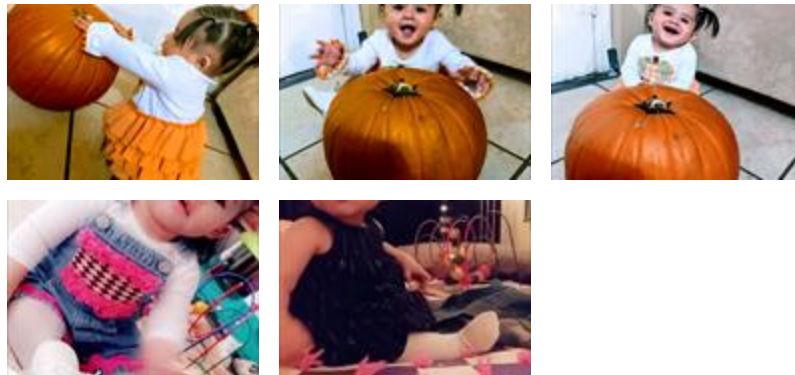
“ Your granddaughter had her first birthday and we didn't have a party but i did smother her in lots of love for everyone. If you and my mother were able to meet her y'all would go crazy and fight over her. Nema is not only gorgeous but esta nina es mas travesia. She is such a free spirit! All she wants to listen to is Tejano music while she dances. I wish you were here and be able to meet us. Nema loves you!!!



Zolia Soto - March 11, 2020 at 12:25 AM

ZG

“ Happy Birthday. You know your always on my mind. Here's so more photos of your granddaughter.



Zolia & Nema Gonzales - November 30, 2019 at 12:47 AM

ZG

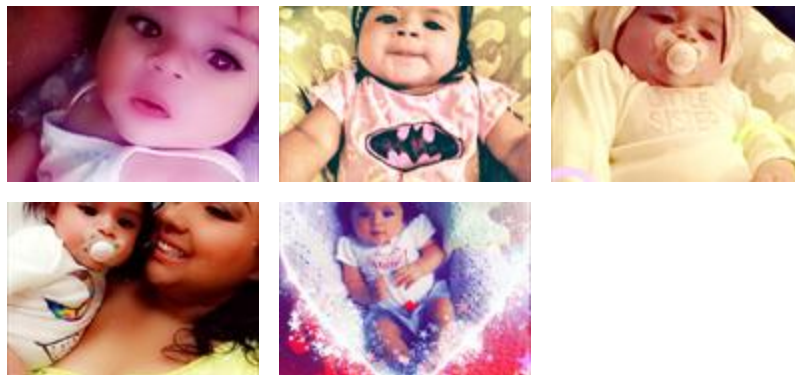
“ Grandma Dorothy, your granddaughter is growing. We have 5 months left till she is one. I cant wait to have Eric home for the holidays. Nema say Crystal yesterday. We surprised her she sent me this picture of a gift she got her Tia. She loves you and i wish you were here to hold her.



Zolia and Nema Gonzales - October 08, 2019 at 08:45 PM

ZO

“ You been heavy on my mind for some reason. I really wish you and my mom were here to hold yalls grandchild. Nema is getting so big and she is so beautiful. Please continue to watch over her and even though she will have to grow up not having her grandmas but i know yall have sent someone in my life to take yalls place and give her that grandma love she needs. Her name is Cynthia but to us she is Nana. She is so so great with Nema and loves her so much. Grandma Dorothy i love you so much and i hate that i will never get to meet you but i love hearing stories about you and i cant wait till nema is older to hear them too. Hugs and kisses from Nema and i.



Zolia - August 25, 2019 at 08:20 PM

ZS

“ I wish i had a chance to meet you but i heard so many stories of how beautiful of a person you are. I gave birth to your newest and youngest grandchild. Her name is Nema Dorothy-Ann Gonzales, she looks like Eric so much. Nema is not only gorgeous but the happiest baby you will ever meet. Just looking at her you can see she is so full of love. I wish she could meet her Grandmas but i know you and my mom are watching over her. Even though your gone she will always know who are. Nema has been wrapped in your cover Eric gave me since the day she was born. She cant be without it and seeing her with it is like seeing you wrapped around her. Nema loves you Grandma Dorothy and i hope your okay with me naming her after you. Please watch over her and when you can meet her in her dreams.



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**Zolia Soto** - June 10, 2019 at 12:20 AM

CF

“ DOROTHY, YOU WERE ONE OF A KIND. ALWAYS KIND TO WHOMEVER YOU CAME ACROSS. I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER THE GREAT TIMES WE SPENT TOGETHER. I WILL FOREVER CHEERISH OUR FRIENDSHIP & THE HAPPY SPIRITED ❤️ YOU CARRIED WITHIN YOU.  
RIP DOROTHY  
RESPECTFULLY,  
CLARA FUENTES

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**Clara Fuentes** - May 22, 2017 at 06:10 AM

JE

“ REST IN PRACE DOROTHY YOU WERE A GOOD FRIEND GOD BLESS 🙏🙏 THE LUCEROS FAMILIA JULIE,PITA,,JR,BERTA



jewelslucero - May 08, 2017 at 01:09 PM

RH

“ Robert Yolanda Herrera lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales



Robert Yolanda Herrera - May 02, 2017 at 10:52 AM

MD

“ Melissa & Daniel lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales



Melissa & Daniel - May 01, 2017 at 12:55 PM



“ My condolences to the Gonzales Family!!! Manny I'm so sorry for ur loss!!! Love u bunches!



Karlynn Morrisette - May 01, 2017 at 03:34 AM

RU

“ Dear Linares Family,  
The Hunter Family want you to know that your family and our family have known each other for years. we are so sorry to hear about Dorothy's passing, but we know that those who have accepted "Jesus Christ"; never die, but go "HOME" to me with the LORD! We pray that God will comfort all of her loved ones during this time!  
Love in Christ Jesus,  
Hall and Hunter Family

Rudy - April 29, 2017 at 03:30 PM

LM

Dorothy beloved friend of the family may u rest in peace.fron Linda, Irma ,Ashley Garza we love u always u are with God Now no more hurting living in Paradise enjoy life gonna home with.our Father God Amen

Linda molinar - April 29, 2017 at 09:33 PM

JL

“ REST IN PAARADISE DOROTHY GOD  
BLESS 🙏🙏



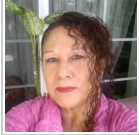
jewels lucero - April 29, 2017 at 03:06 PM

SC

“ Stella Cano lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales



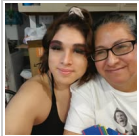
Stella cano - April 29, 2017 at 12:27 PM



“ *My condolences to the family, you will be missed ,I will miss your hello's and your smile when you would pass by the house, May you rest In peace..*



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**Maria Melendez** - April 29, 2017 at 09:20 AM



“ *So very sad to hear of Dorothy's passing. She was such a lovely person, no matter where we met up her beautiful smile would brighten your day wth a warm hello and a hug. She will truly be missed. May God's comfort and love be with all of her loved ones. Rest in peace, sweet lady. From Danny and Connie Silva.*

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**Connie Silva** - April 28, 2017 at 11:28 PM



“ *Mary Helen Aragon lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales*



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**Mary Helen Aragon** - April 28, 2017 at 10:46 PM



*God Bless Uou Ms. 🍋 as my Dad use to call you , now you are In Paradise too our Angel 😇 .. 🌹🌹🌹💙💙✝️✝️*

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**Mary Helen Aragon** - April 28, 2017 at 10:49 PM

LM

“ *Linda Molinar lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales*



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**Linda molinar** - April 28, 2017 at 10:38 PM

GL

“ *RIP Dorothy , gonna miss you !*



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**Grace Lozano** - April 28, 2017 at 09:45 PM

SA

“ *To a great woman and friend we will miss you dearly.*



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**Sally** - April 28, 2017 at 09:37 PM

FB

“ *FILEMON BACA lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales*



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**FILEMON BACA** - April 28, 2017 at 08:07 PM

BH

“ *R.I.P.Dorothy  
Crystal so sorry, condolences to all the  
Familia!!*



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**Bell Herrera** - April 28, 2017 at 07:41 PM

RP

“ *Rachel (Serna) Peralta lit a candle in memory  
of Dorothy Gonzales*



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**Rachel (Serna) Peralta** - April 28, 2017 at 07:06 PM

LG

“ *Rip we will miss you so very much.*



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**Lisa Garza** - April 28, 2017 at 06:51 PM

MM

“ *Maria And Tracy Martinez lit a candle in  
memory of Dorothy Gonzales*



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**Maria and Tracy martinez** - April 28, 2017 at 03:57 PM

MM

*Love you so much rest in peace*

**Maria and Tracy martinez** - April 28, 2017 at 03:59 PM

MM

*Rest in peace love you*

**Maria and Tracy martinez** - April 28, 2017 at 04:01 PM

ET

“ *Ericka Torrez lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Gonzales*

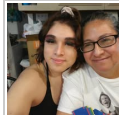


**Ericka Torrez** - April 28, 2017 at 07:26 AM

ET

*My prayers go out to the Gonzales and Linares family, RIP Dorothy.*

**Ericka Torrez** - April 28, 2017 at 07:29 AM



*So very sad to hear of Dorothy's passing. She was such a lovely person, no matter where we met up her beautiful smile would brighten your day with a warm hello and a hug. She will truly be missed. May God's comfort and love be with all of her loved ones. Rest in peace, sweet lady. From Danny and Connie Silva.*

**Connie Silva** - April 28, 2017 at 11:17 PM