



Eddie Vallejos

March 5, 1958 - September 15, 2025

Obituary of Eddie Vallejos

“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.” –
2 Timothy 4:7

Eddie Vallejos passed away peacefully at his home in Albuquerque, New Mexico, on September 15, 2025, surrounded by his loving family.

Eddie was born on March 5, 1958, in Roswell, New Mexico, to Lupe Lopez. He grew up in Roswell, where he spent his early years before later making Albuquerque his home. It was there that he met his lifelong partner, Francis Guevara. Their relationship was a special one—built on love, growth, and companionship—that endured until his final days.

A man of humor and generosity, Eddie was known for his ability to brighten any room with his jokes and for his giving spirit, always willing to lend a helping hand. In retirement, he especially cherished time with his daughter Lena Rene and his beloved grandchildren. He also shared a close bond with his sister Cary, enjoying their daily calls and texts.

When Eddie was diagnosed with cancer, he faced his battle with courage and faith. With Lena and Francis by his side through every appointment and

challenge, Eddie's unwavering love for his family shined until the very end. Cancer did not win—Jesus did.

Preceded in Death

Eddie was preceded in death by his grandmother Lola Gonzales, his loving mother Lupe Lopez, his grandson Albert Vasquez, his brothers Joe, Ray, Jerry, Leroy, Albert, and Eddy, nephews Jerry Joe and Michael Vallejos, and Susie Connell, the mother of Lena Rene who loved her daughter dearly.

Survived By

He is survived by his lifelong partner Francis Guevara. Those left to cherish his memory and carry on his legacy include his daughters:

- Lena Rene Vallejos & fiancé Manuel Melendez
- Samantha Huerta & husband Frank
- Stepdaughter Iris Goddard

Grandchildren:

- Manuel Olivas II
- Angel Montana & husband Isacc
- Jesus Montes, Jr. & wife Mercedes
- Jerome Vasquez
- Xavier Vale
- Jasmine Vale

Great-grandchildren:

- Luciano Montes
- Leon & Ezra Montana

Siblings:

- Toni (Nena) Vallejos
- Cary Candelaria & husband Steve

Bobby Vallejos

- Tommy & Carol Vallejos
- Teddy & Tammy Vallejos

- Bonus sisters Henrietta, Marina, Amanda, and Elizabeth Vallejos

He is also survived by close family friends Randy Connell, Doris Vallejos-Tapia, and Mary Sanchez, along with numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Celebration of Life

A celebration of Eddie's life will be held at Anderson-Bethany Chapel on Monday, September 22, 2025, at 11:30 a.m. with Pastor Gerry Chavez of Christ Church officiating. Visitation will take place from 10:30 AM till the time of the service. Friends and family are invited to gather, share memories, and extend love and condolences to the Vallejos family.

Burial will follow at South Park Cemetery.

Pallbearers

- Jesus Montes, Jr.
- Rudy Vallejos
- Adrian Vallejos
- Steven Candelaria
- Manuel Olivas, II
- Isacc Montana

Honorary Pallbearers

- Angel, Leon, & Ezra Montana
- Mercedes & Luciano Montes
- Anna & Viki Chavez
- Manuel Melendez
- Isaiah Contreras Vallejos
- Marty Guevara

Eddie's legacy of love, laughter, and faith will live on in the hearts of all who

knew him.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **22**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (MT)

Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory
2609 South Main
Roswell, NM 88203
(575) 622-5888
abfh@andersonbethany.com

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Tribute Wall



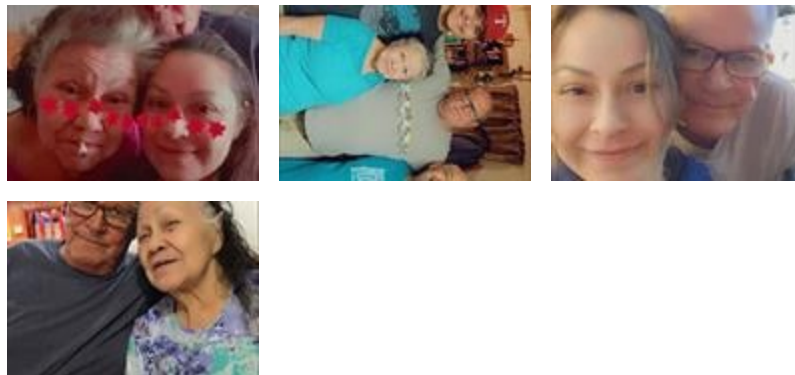
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Anderson - Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory - January 15 at 11:25 AM



“ I have no words, only a broken heart 💔



Iris Goddard - September 22, 2025 at 01:41 PM

SC

Iris just know my brother loved you so much and your mom. Hope y'all are doing well. I've tried to reach out several times. Tell your mom today was a real hard day for me and I know it was for y'all. God bless you CARY.

steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 22, 2025 at 08:22 PM

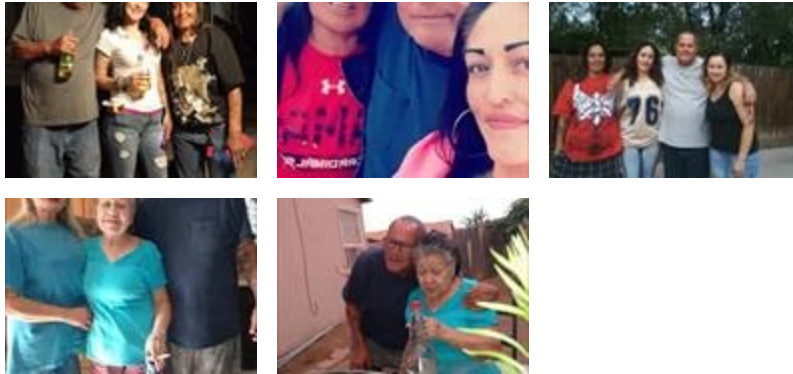
LM

“ Cary , Bobby, Nena and family, I'm so saddened to hear of Eddie. Our Brothers and sisters amay be all different, yet so special throughout our lives. I'm sure she greeted Eddie at the pearly gates. May he be at peace and happy in his new surroundings. Take care of each other, as that is what he and your mom would have wanted. God bless you all , RIP Eddie

Lupe (Reyes) Morales - September 21, 2025 at 11:32 PM

HR

“ We always had a good time brother in law, love you always ❤️❤️

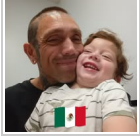


Helen Rodriguez - September 20, 2025 at 11:19 PM

SA

“ My condolences go out to his wife, his children, his sisters Nena and Carry and the rest of the Vallejo family. I remember being a younger girl going to Eddie and Frances house with nena and my mom Symbie. Praying for all of you during this time 🙏🙏🙏

Stephanie Archuleta - September 20, 2025 at 12:05 PM



“ *Uncle Eddie you always were there for me.. everything you ever taught me.. everything we done together..I'm really going to miss.say hi to everyone in heaven for me...#Vallejosfamily*



Rudy Vallejos - September 19, 2025 at 05:38 PM

TV

“ *To my Brother Eddie Vallejos I miss you so much brother. I can't believe you are gone. I am so glad I stayed with you the last week you were here. I will always love you and carry you in my heart.*

Toni Villejos - September 19, 2025 at 03:44 PM

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“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 19, 2025 at 12:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Eddie Vallejos.*



September 19, 2025 at 11:52 AM

DF

“ Eddie, I send my heartfelt condolences to Frances, Iris, Lena Renee, Marty and all your brothers and sisters and the extended family that loved you so much. No more hurting no more pain.

I am so happy that I got to know you Eddie, if only for a short time. I so enjoyed our visits and how you made me laugh. May you rest in Peace in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. As we know the word says absent from the body present with the Lord. If love could have kept you, you would still be here. Now its your turn to shine like the bright star that you have always been. Until we meet again.

Debbie Fresquez - September 18, 2025 at 11:20 AM

CC

“ I sure am missing you, brother. I feel like I need to be waiting for your call so you can check on me and I can check on you. This has been the hardest thing losing you. I will never ever forget our good memories. I love you with all my heart brother. Rest in peace now no more pain.



Cary Candelaria - September 18, 2025 at 09:27 AM

LO

Cary my dear friend. I'm so sorry to hear about your brother. May God bless you with peace, strength and comfort. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Lots of love Lydia Ortega 🙏

Lydia Ortega - September 19, 2025 at 09:54 PM

SR

“ I'm so sorry to hear about your loss my prayers and condolences are with you and your family



Stella Rivera - September 18, 2025 at 12:33 AM

KU

“ Kuddleklub1@yahoo.com lit a candle in memory of Eddie Vallejos



Kuddleklub1@yahoo.com - September 18, 2025 at 12:31 AM

HR

“ First I'd like to send my most heart felt condolences to Frances Guevara, I'm so very sorry for your loss , also to his daughter Lena Renee. To his brothers Bobby, Tommy, & his sisters Cary & Nena my heart goes out to all of you.



Eddie Vallejos you were one of a kind, thanks for all the good times we had together at your house , you always made me & Nena feel so welcome & we always had such a good time, laughing & drinking with you joking & dancing , que barbaro, to the good times 🍷🍷 I will always remember you my brother-in-law & hold you close in my heart ❤️ It's not Gdbye just see you later

Helen Rodriguez - September 17, 2025 at 11:09 PM

TV

To my brother Eddie whom I love and gonna miss so much and still can't believe it. miss you so much brother...nena

Toni Vallejos - September 18, 2025 at 05:27 PM

HR

Babe he's free now let him rest, love you....

Helen Rodriguez - September 20, 2025 at 10:41 PM

MO

“ *My Love and Respect to Mr. Vallejos And My Love and Condolences Goes Out To Your Beautiful Family ...Till We Meet Again , You Will Be Missed*

Monster - September 17, 2025 at 03:44 PM

AV

“ *I can't believe you're not with us anymore uncle, but I don't want to be selfish bc I know where you're at is a very beautiful place. No more pain uncle, I'm heartbroken, but I'm at peace knowing you're in Gods hands. Love you forever uncle.*

Adrian Vallejos - September 17, 2025 at 03:16 PM

EL

“ *We will truly miss you Uncle Eddie you were such a caring kind hearted man. I have so many memories of you or with you. My mom is really going to miss you you called and checked on her everyday and she looked forward to you're call's and text ❤️ you were loved by so many and will never be forgotten may the angels lead you into heaven. Love Elora Diego and family*

Elora and Diego Lopez - September 17, 2025 at 12:31 PM

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steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 17, 2025 at 11:13 AM

SC

Brother, the last time we held each other's hand will live in my heart forever you knew I was there. You held on so tight and whispered my name. You just can't imagine how you're gonna be missed by me. We talked and text every day. May you rest in peace now, brother no more pain

steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 20, 2025 at 09:02 AM

KL

“ *May you rest in peace Eddie! My heart goes out to his kids and everyone that loved him! Don't let this push any of you further apart, he would want you to come closer together. Prayers and love to all of you.*



Kimberly Ledbetter - September 17, 2025 at 09:02 AM

SC

“ To my brother that I’m gonna miss dearly I cannot believe you’re gone. This is really broken me and my family me Steve, STEVEN, DAMIEN, Elora, her husband, Diego, and the grandkids Isiah girlfriend, GISELA, Chrisstel, Payton, and Cenate will always have you in our hearts you were truly one of a kind one of the nicest persons ever always laughing and always had a smile and something to joke about. There’s nothing you wouldn’t do for us or for anybody, brother. I’m glad I gave you your last wish which was to see me you kept calling my name out, so I went to see you. I knew you felt my presence. You held my hand so tight and whispered my name several times I knew you were waiting on me in two days later you went peacefully no more pain now you’re in a good place will never be forgotten brother we love you.

steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 16, 2025 at 08:16 PM

SC

“ To my brother that I loved so much I’m gonna miss you texting and calling me every day. You are so special to me and my family my kids my grandkids loved you so much. You were one of a kind you were loved by everybody. There’s nothing you wouldn’t do for anyone. I can still remember when Mom was still here. You came and stayed here for six months to help me with her that was the best time ever Isiah loved visiting with your brother you made us laugh with your jokes. You were always happy. I’m so glad I gave you your last wish to go and see you because you kept asking for me and calling out my name I know you felt my presence when I got there and you said my name couple more times and you held my hand so tight that’s gonna be a memory. I will carry forever that you were waiting for me to see you before you left. You will be greatly missed brother. My heart is so broken for you. I’m gonna miss you with all my heart you’re at peace now brother no more pain. You will never be forgotten me Steve, Elora, her husband, Diego, STEVEN, DAMIEN, and grandkids, Isiah girlfriend, GISELA and Payton and Cenate will miss you dearly. Love you always.

steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 16, 2025 at 08:03 PM

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steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 16, 2025 at 07:54 PM

SC

“ To my loving brother that I am gonna miss so so much. I’m gonna miss your texting. You’re calling me every week. Brother, you just don’t know how broken I am I wasn’t supposed to lose you. You were the best ever and so loved by my family and I’m so glad that I gave you your last wish when you kept saying my name so I went to see you and I knew you could feel my presence cause you said my name several times and the grip you gave me holding my hand. I’ll never forget I have so many memories of how good you were to everybody in the six months you’ve been here to help me with Mom say I had the best time visiting with you when you lived here with Mom my kids love you so much, brother. I’m gonna miss you so much. This is taking a big toll on my heart you’re in a good place now you are no longer suffering, brother you will never be forgotten. Love you.

steve&Cary Candelaria&family - September 16, 2025 at 07:44 PM

GL

“ My condolences 🌹 Rest easy Eddie.



Grace Lozano - September 16, 2025 at 07:31 PM

PC

“ Just wanted to say to the family so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers for you all love the Castrillo family



Priscilla Castrillo - September 16, 2025 at 05:19 PM