



## James V. Silva

December 23, 1957 - March 2, 2018

James V. Silva, 60, passed away on Friday, March 2, 2018. A Rosary will be recited at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home on Tuesday, March 6, 2018, 7:00 PM. There will be a Memorial Service at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home, on Wednesday, March 7, 2018, 10:00 AM. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery. A Reception will be held after Interment at the American Legion, 1620 N Montana Ave, Roswell, NM. Celebrate James's life by visiting [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com) to offer a memory or expression of sympathy for his family.

James was a loving husband, father, son, grandpa, uncle and friend. He loved spending time with his family and friends. James was so caring and concerned for those in need, especially, the neighborhood children and the children he coached. He was always willing to take them under his wing. James enjoyed sports, coaching soccer, hunting, fishing and going to the casino and mountains. He also enjoyed watching the Cowboys and Broncos play. He touched so many lives and will be greatly missed. "We love you so much Dad and Grandpa, until we meet again."

Those left to eternally treasure and cherish James memory are Ruth Silva, mother of his children; son, Oscar M. Silva and wife, Toni and children: Danyelle and boyfriend, Jeremy, Josh, Jonathan, Brody; son, James A. Silva and wife Andrea and children: Emily, Gabriella, Eric; son, Thomas Mein and wife, Liz and children: CeeAudra, Cassidy; brothers: Jesse V. Silva and wife, Paula, Albert Silva and wife, Mary, Gomesindo (Chindo) Silva, Jr. and wife,

Patsy, and Eppie Silva all of Roswell, Fernando Silva and wife, Sheila of Abilene, Texas; sisters: Faye Silva, Nieves Ramey, and Maggie Garrison all of Roswell, Della Griffith and husband, Griff of Converse, Texas, Linda Alywin Silva of Mesquite, TX; goddaughter, Savannah Ordorica; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding James in death were his parents: Gomesindo A. Silva and Elizabeth V. Silva; brothers: Marcello Silva, Steve Silva; sisters-in-law: Debbie J. Silva, Nancy Silva, Flora Silva; and tios/uncles: Faustino A. Silva, Pete Silva and Emilio Silva.

Chosen as Honorary pallbearers are: Oscar Silva, James Silva, Thomas Mein, Albert "Boy Boy" Silva, Ernie Silva, Jesse "Shay" Silva, Valarde Gonzales, Valarde Gonzales Jr, Manuel Vasquez and Angel Gonzales.

James' family would like to give a 'Special Thanks' to Ruth, the mother of his children, for all of her love and support throughout the years and in his time of need; Aunt Maggie, "Mag" for all of her love and support, who went beyond the call of duty to care for her brother; Dr. Pinon, Dr. Ridout, Fresenius South Eastern New Mexico Kidney Care Center, ENMMC Hospital staff and his girls at I-Hop.

In honor of James, this tribute was lovingly written by his family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *James V. Silva*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. James was a pleasure to be around. He was a great soccer coach, funny and had a sharp wit. Peace, hugs, love, happy memories and prayers to all who loved him.*

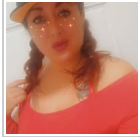
**Julie Spangler** - March 07, 2018 at 11:02 AM



“ *Uncle James you will be missed Love You always  
God looked around his garden and found an empty place  
He then looked down upon the Earth and saw your tired face  
He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest  
With the help of his angels they flew you to your heavenly place*

*Gods garden must be beautiful, he always takes the best  
He knew you were suffering, he knew you were in pain  
He knew that you would never get well on Earth again  
He saw the road was getting rough and the hills too hard to climb  
He closed your weary eyelids and whispered “Peace be Thine”  
It broke our hearts to lose you but you didn’t go alone  
For part of us went with you the day God called you home  
Tell We Meet Again  
Love Always Liz and Ashley 🙏*

**Liz Silva** - March 07, 2018 at 10:40 AM



“ *My condolences to the whole Silva family. I'm going to miss our haircuts that should have only last 5 minutes would turn into about 20. I'm going to miss by the time I was done with you talking about how fly you looked when we were done. And taking that extra few minutes in front of that mirror to smile and give yourself compliments you were always a pleasure to have in the shop I'm going to miss you so much and may you rest in peace I'm glad you're not in pain no more*

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**Bea Mendiola** - March 06, 2018 at 07:31 PM

KG

“ *My condolences to your family James. James you were a valued neighbor and friend. Thank you for your humor and kind words. Fly with the ANGELS. R.I.P.*

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**Kathy Lucero,QUILA,BREANNA, GEMandBEAea** - March 06, 2018 at 05:38 PM

MV

“ *Melissa Vegara lit a candle in memory of James V. Silva*



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**Melissa Vegara** - March 06, 2018 at 02:13 PM

PK

“ *Prayers for the Mein and SILVA families. May God father you all close and bring you comfort. Cherish the love and memories of your familia and value the life he had with you.*



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**Pat Guajaca Kuemmerle** - March 06, 2018 at 12:26 AM

PK

*May God GATHER you all close.*

**Pat Guajaca Kuemmerle** - March 06, 2018 at 12:27 AM

RP

“ *Robert Pantoja lit a candle in memory of James V. Silva*



**Robert Pantoja** - March 05, 2018 at 10:06 PM

AS

“ *Very sorry to hear about James passing away. He was always a good hearted person. My condolences to the family.*  
*Andy Sedillo*

**Andy Sedillo** - March 05, 2018 at 10:05 PM