



## Jerry Lopez

July 18, 1968 - January 23, 2024

Jerry Lopez, 55, passed away on Tuesday, January 23, 2024, in Roswell, New Mexico surrounded by his loved ones. Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory with Jerry's family at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com).

There will be a viewing at Anderson Bethany Chapel on Tuesday January 30th, 2024, from 9:00 am – 8:00pm. Funeral services will be held at Anderson Bethany Chapel on January 31st, 2024, at 10:00 am with Pastor Joshua De Los Santos officiating. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery.

Jerry was born on July 18, 1968, to Simon Bermea and Hortencia Lopez Valles in San Antonio, Texas. At the age of 18 Jerry moved to Roswell, New Mexico where he attended Roswell Job Corp and received his certifications as a Nurse Technician. Jerry met the love of his life, Alma, in Roswell and after only knowing each other for 6 short months they got married and were one month shy of celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary. In the nearly 35 years of marriage Jerry and Alma had three children and were blessed with four grandbabies. Jerry's grandchildren were everything to him and he loved attending their sporting and dancing events. Jerry spent many years cheering on his two daughters as they played soccer. He always made sure to be their biggest fan and their greatest supporter. It brought Jerry great joy to see all four of his grandkids play soccer, and watching his oldest granddaughter do Folklorico dancing. After working 22 years for the State of New Mexico he

retired from the Roswell Rehabilitation Center. Jerry was a 'foodie' who loved to try new foods and watching anything having to do with Korean or Asian culture. Jerry spent his time with the love of his life Alma, if you saw Jerry, Alma was always close by. They spent most of their time watching Korean dramas, and the food network together. Some of Jerry's greatest memories were the times he spent deer hunting with his family. Jerry was a wonderful husband, an amazing dad, and the greatest pops ever. He will be deeply missed by all.

Those left to eternally treasure and cherish memories of Jerry are his loving wife, Alma Lopez of Roswell, NM; oldest daughter, Caitlin and husband Jason Montez (Roswell, NM); daughter, Stephanie and husband Nicholas Sedillo (Roswell, NM); and son, Simon Lopez (Roswell, NM); His four grandchildren: Harper Sedillo, Elijah Sedillo, Gunner Montez, and Eleanor Sedillo; his mother, Hortencia L Valles (San Antonio, TX); sister, Laura Trimble; brother, Marcos Valles Jr (San Antonio TX); sister, Michelle Valles (San Antonio, TX); sister, Velma and husband Leo Diaz Sr (San Antonio, TX); brother, Adolf Valles (San Antonio, TX); brother in laws: Ricardo and wife Sarah De Los Santos (Capitan, NM), Eduardo and wife Anita De Los Santos (Roswell, NM), and sister-in-law Sandra and husband Michael Gonzales (Roswell, NM); and numerous nieces and nephews.

Jerry is preceded in death by his father, Simon Bermea; grandmother, Teodora Lopez; stepfather, Marcos Valles Sr.; brothers: Rudy Lopez, Andrew Valles; sister, Karina Valles; and mother-in-law, Maria Elena De Los Santos.

Honored to serve as Pallbearers are Jerry's nephews, Matthew Gonzales, Greg De Los Santos, Marcus Gonzales, Leo Diaz Jr, Andres Diaz, and best friend of 21 years, Jeremy Spain.

The family of Jerry wishes to extend sincere thanks to the UNM MICU staff,

UNM Medical staff, and the staff from Gentiva Hospice in Roswell, NM.

Jerry's tribute was written in his honor by his family.

Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. Believest thou this? John 11:25-26

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JAN 30. 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM (MT)

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

## Funeral Service

JAN 31. 10:00 AM (MT)

Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory  
2609 South Main  
Roswell, NM 88203  
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*Interment to Follow at South Park Cemetery*

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Memorial Video*



**Anderson - Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory** - February 02, 2024 at 05:09 PM

LM

“ *Nuestro más sincero pésame para toda su familia*  
*Dios les de fortaleza en este tiempo difícil ,*  
*resivan un fuerte abrazo 🤗🙏 Lily y Jesse Montez*



**Lily's Flower & Family Montez** - January 31, 2024 at 09:57 AM

SP

“ *Scott & Priscilla purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Jerry Lopez.*



**Scott & Priscilla** - January 29, 2024 at 01:41 PM

CM

“ *We love you dad*



Caitlin Montez - January 29, 2024 at 12:26 PM

RC

“ *Rachel Chavez lit a candle in memory of Jerry Lopez*



Rachel Chavez - January 29, 2024 at 10:12 AM

EL

“ *Sincerest condolences to all the family and loved ones. My cousin Jerry is a few months older than me so growing up we had a lot of fun at Gramaw Dora's house; fond memories for sure! Alma and Jerry were so gracious to me and my kids on one of our road trips through Roswell and their joy in greeting us is why having familia is such a blessing from God. Peace be with you primo until we run together in the golden streets of heaven.*

Elsa - January 27, 2024 at 07:17 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Jerry Lopez.*



January 25, 2024 at 10:07 PM

JD

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to all the family! I worked with Jerry for several years at the Rehab Center and he was always a pleasure to be around. He was kind and funny and enjoyed making staff laugh. I'm proud to have called him a friend. RIP Jerry! ❤️*

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**Janie Davies** - January 25, 2024 at 09:55 PM