



Jimmy G. Lucero Sr.

July 30, 1951 - January 27, 2024

Jimmy G. Lucero, age 72, of Roswell, NM, passed away on Saturday, January 27, 2024, in his daughter's home, surrounded by the comfort and love of his family. Please take a moment to share a kind thought or memory with Jimmy's family at www.andersonbethany.com.

He was born on July 30, 1951, in Roswell, NM, to Elfego and Cecelia Lucero. Jimmy was a life-long resident of Roswell, with the exception of the past 2 years, where he lived in Albuquerque with his daughter Angela and her family. Jimmy found great joy in spending time with his family, playing at the casino, eating good food, going for drives, and being outside gardening. He truly loved life and he loved his family with his whole heart. His smile and laughter were contagious and they brightened any room. We have been told countless times, by friends and family, that Jimmy was the kindest man they had ever known. He always had an amazing attitude regardless of his circumstance, by saying "I'm fine, I'm doing just fine". He always found a way to turn the dark into the light, finding the positive in every situation. Jimmy knew no strangers. He was kind to everyone and he was loved by all who knew him.

Jimmy attended Roswell high school, where he graduated in 1969. He enlisted in the Army National Guard in 1971 and was honorably discharged in 1976 due to illness. Jimmy worked at Mann Engineering early in his adult life. Later he was hired at Mountain Bell/US west in 1976. He worked for the phone company until his retirement. Jimmy loved working with his many coworkers, frequently talking about work. We heard countless stories of daily

coffee meet ups at Dairy Queen, and many work gatherings. He developed several special friendships with his co-workers.

Preceding Jimmy in death was his dad, Elfego Lucero Jr; brother, Elfego Lucero III; his grandparents: Felipe and Elena Gonzales, Abundio (Eddie) Barreras and Helen Montano, Elfego Lucero Sr. and ex-wife, Virginia Gonzales; numerous aunts and uncles.

Jimmy is survived by his mom, Cecilia Lucero; children: Angela Lucero-Horton and her husband Paul of Albuquerque, NM, Jimmy G. Lucero Jr. and his wife Amy of Lubbock, TX, Rebecca Armendariz of Roswell, NM; grandchildren: Augustine Lucero, Miguel Garcia, Paul David Horton, Nicolette Brito, Annelise Lucero, Eliana (Lily) Burt, Celia Horton, Avery Lucero, Sophia Gonzales; sisters: Beatrice Romero (partner in crime) and Lydia Gomez; numerous nephews and nieces; Tia Elizabeth (Sugar) Ramirez; numerous cousins and special friend Lupe Morales.

Honorary pall bearers are: Augustine Lucero, Miguel Garcia, Paul David Horton, Paul B. Horton, Leroy Gonzales, Floyd Cobos.

Jimmy's kids would like to thank Tia Bea and Tia Lydia, for helping to care for our dad before he moved to Albuquerque. We know you put your lives on hold to care for him. We know it was hard at times. But we will forever thank you for surrounding him with love, kindness and great home cooked food. We would also like to thank Roadrunner Hospice of Albuquerque, and caregivers Stella and Sandra who helped care for our dad.

He will be missed more than we can say. We were all blessed to know him and be loved by him.

Services will be held at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home, in Roswell.

Visitations will be held on Friday, February 2, 2024, from 5PM to 8PM and Saturday, February 3, 2024, from 9AM to 11AM. A Rosary will be held on Saturday, February 3, 2024, at 11AM followed by a Funeral Service to begin at 12 PM, with Jimmy's son, Jimmy Lucero Jr officiating. Burial service will be held at later date.

Jimmy's tribute was lovingly written by his family.

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory
2609 South Main
Roswell, NM 88203
(575) 622-5888
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Viewing

FEB 3. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

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Rosary

FEB 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

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Funeral Service

FEB 3. 12:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

RE

“ I was sitting here at home and like a ton of bricks u were in my mind today Daddy. An how funny is it that the second u popped in my head a commercial played the song u sang to me everytime u called just to say hi!!! So now I guess it's my turn to sing it to u daddy.. 🎵 I just called to say I Love You, I just called to say how much i care, I just called to say i love you and I mean it from the bottom of my heart..... I miss you so much daddy so so much it hurts.. I love you an ill forever miss u and ur silly laugh and singing me our song when u called.. id give anything to pick my phone and hear that song from u singing...

Rebecca - May 22, 2025 at 11:53 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memorial Video



Anderson - Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory - February 28, 2024 at 11:49 AM

SM

My Jimmy

Sandra Maes - March 09, 2024 at 09:24 PM

SM

I'm so glad I met you
You were my everything

Sandra Maes - March 09, 2024 at 09:26 PM

IB

“ Our sincerest condolences to all The Lucero family Jimmy we all grew up together you had a heart of gold. You are now rejoicing in the hands of OUR GOD. May you Rest In peace compadre 🙏
So very sorry for you LOSS. CARMEN LARA AND INEZ BUSTAMANTE

Inez Bustamante - February 14, 2024 at 08:50 AM

Manny Vigil

“ Just wanted to share a memory of our times together. Jimmy circled. We went thru basic training together at Fr Ord in 1971, then on to Ft Bliss. Notice the long hair, it was the 70s, year of the Hippies even in the Army.



Manny Vigil - February 11, 2024 at 09:43 AM

DG

“ My deepest condolences to Jimmy's family. Jimmy was a great guy and it was always a pleasure to be around him. Beatrice I am so very sorry. I know You and Jimmy were partners in crime. He was one of a kind for sure. May he rest in peace.

Dorothy Garcia - February 06, 2024 at 04:27 PM

EM

“ I will always remember his beautiful smile. May he rest in peace. My condolences to his family.

Estela Maltos - February 03, 2024 at 12:56 PM

LC

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Lloyd Chaves - February 02, 2024 at 06:01 PM

LC

Heaven got a good guitarist.

Lloyd Chaves - February 02, 2024 at 10:58 PM

SB

“ SISTER BEA purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jimmy G. Lucero Sr..



SISTER BEA - February 02, 2024 at 11:28 AM

SB

“ My dearest friend - partner in crime - hero - and loving brother - you have a heart of gold " your fine - just fine " now walking through the beautiful gardens in heaven with all your loved ones - I will miss and love you for the rest of my life ❤️ rest in peace my white sheep

Sister Bea - February 01, 2024 at 08:23 PM

TM

I'm so sorry, Bea 💔

Teri Moreno - February 02, 2024 at 05:31 PM

AG

“ Our sincere condolences to all the Lucero family ! Rest in peace Sir!
🙏❤️😞

Anthony E. Garcia - February 01, 2024 at 03:39 PM

LS

“ Lucy Salas lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lucero Sr.



Lucy Salas - February 01, 2024 at 11:40 AM

AJ

“ Aurora Jimenez lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lucero Sr.



Aurora Jimenez - February 01, 2024 at 10:11 AM

EB

“ Ericka Brady lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lucero Sr.



Ericka Brady - January 31, 2024 at 09:03 PM

KV

“ Our sincere condolences to all the Lucero family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Rest in Peace Compadre Jimmy 🙏



Kathy Vegara - January 31, 2024 at 01:33 PM

TF

“ The Worship Center Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jimmy G. Lucero Sr..



The Worship Center Family - January 31, 2024 at 12:00 PM

RM

“ Jimmy, you were always the quiet and kind kid growing up in the neighborhoods of Monroe and Stanton. I served with you the NM National Guard in the early 70's. Just for today I will strive to be like you, kind and patient. Rest In Peace my friend.

Robert Tito Mendoza - January 31, 2024 at 09:30 AM

BA

“ Rudy & Barbara Anaya Our Condolences to all the Lucero family. Our thoughts and prayers to everyone. Jimmy you were like a brother to us . We all grew together till the end Big Hearted foul of life You are now our angel with ur Dad and Brother And most of all pain free God Bless all the Lucero family and sending prayers 🙏🙏
🙏. Love u

Barbara Anaya - January 30, 2024 at 10:42 PM

MM

“ *Angela, Tia Beatrice, and Tish...We am so sorry for your loss. Our condolences and prayers are with all of you.*
Rey and Melissa Madrid

Melissa Madrid - January 30, 2024 at 09:35 PM

LE

“ *Lisa Espinoza lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lucero Sr.*



Lisa Villarreal Espinoza - January 30, 2024 at 05:59 PM

RP

“ *Rachel Peralta lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lucero Sr.*



Rachel Serna Peralta - January 30, 2024 at 05:38 PM

JR

“ *Jennifer, Sharla and Renee purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jimmy G. Lucero Sr..*



Jennifer, Sharla and Renee - January 30, 2024 at 03:30 PM

JR

“ Jennifer, Sharla and Renee planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jimmy G. Lucero Sr..

Jennifer, Sharla and Renee - January 30, 2024 at 03:30 PM

RG

“ Roy Sylvia Gonzales lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lucero Sr.



Roy & Sylvia Gonzales - January 30, 2024 at 01:20 PM

LM

“ Well Santiago you made it to the other side before me. I shared so many good stories and laughter with you. You will never be forgotten my friend. You had a full life here now enjoy your new body and all the relatives and friends you get to see. I'll never forget your kindness. Love you!

Lupe Morales - January 30, 2024 at 01:16 PM