



## Josephine Chaves

November 18, 1922 - February 6, 2013

A memorial service will be held for Josephine Chaves, 90, of Roswell at 7pm Monday, Feb. 11, 2013 at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home Chapel with Sam Chaves officiating. She passed away Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2013.

Josephine was born Nov. 18, 1922 to Jose and Manuela Salmon Mendoza in Grandfalls, Texas. She was a hard worker, dedicated, very strong lady and took on all challenges head-on, loving mother of nine children, a loving grandmother and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

She is survived by her sons, Bobby Chaves and his wife, Allene of Roswell, NM, Sam Chaves and his wife, Betty of Dexter, NM and Andy chaves of Utah; her daughter, Bette Montano and her husband, Billy of Roswell, NM; 21 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren and 7 great-great grandchildren.

Josephine was preceded in death by her parents, Jose and Manuela Mendoza, her husband, Melvin Chaves, her daughter, Mary Ann Torres, her son, Louis Chaves, her daughter, JoAnn (Chaves) Mariscal , her grandson, Robert Chaves, her sons, Robert Chaves and Alfred Rubio, her 4 brothers and 2 sisters.

Services are under the direction of Anderson Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Chaves*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *On behalf of the town of Dexter, we extend our condolences at this very difficult time...32,850 days of living...what a blessing for her and her family...may the God of all comfort grant you peace and understanding as she will be missed...God Bless... SLS*

**Dave White** - February 10, 2013 at 06:37 PM



“ *Bobby, Sam, Betty and family, So sorry to hear about your mom. May the Lord grant you peace, strength, and comfort in this very difficult time. Call if we can be of any help. Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4*

**Frank and Carolyn Silva** - February 10, 2013 at 12:27 PM



“ *May Josie rest in peace and God bless the family*

**Lupe Morales** - February 09, 2013 at 09:42 PM

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“*Josie, I will always miss you and love you. You were very special to me. I will always cherish all the moments we had together. I will always remember you dancing, every time you heard music. Also when one day my husband Hector went to visit, you and him started talking about something I don't really remember but anyways you started laughing so hard you started to cry. I will also miss the way you spoke when you were mad. When I used to sing to you in the morning, you used to tell me to be quiet. Well Josie your in a better place now please take care of us wherever you are.  
Sam, Bette, Bobby Thank you guys so much for everything and for letting me take care of your mother. You guys will always be part of my family.*

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**Isela Avalos** - February 09, 2013 at 02:55 PM