



## Larry Joseph Flores

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Larry Joseph Flores was called home to our Lord from a lifetime battle with agent orange from Vietnam in 1967 as he served the United States Armed Forces (Army)..

Larry was born March 9, 1950, in Roswell NM, at ST. Mary's hospital to his parents George Florez and Connie Florez.

Larry was an outstanding athlete who graduated from Goddard High and enlisted in to the United States Military and soon after became an MP K-9 Duty. After Larry left the Armed Forces, he became a loving father to Elario Flores, Amanda Flores, Melissa Flores and Jeremiah Lagestam. His nephew, Jacob Johnson was also like a son to him... and the many dogs he raised as his own children, he loved them all and never stopped training K9's, Larry had a gift.

Larry's siblings were Linda Copeland, Tony Florez, Patricia Flores, and Mike Crabtree was always his brother till the end..

Larry was loved by many, friends became family, Larry would give the shirt off his back and made a friend everywhere he went, he had one hell of a personality, he was a real American Badass, leaving us with so many stories

and memories. Larry will be greatly missed, and always talked about and his legacy will live on.

Services for Larry will be held at Memory Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery on Thursday, July 29, 2021, at 10:00 AM.

Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory with Larry's family at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com).

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

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUL **29**. 10:00 AM (MT)

Memory Lawn Memorial Park  
2605 E 19th St  
Roswell, NM 88201-8505  
(575) 623-5550

# Tribute Wall



“ *Larry Joseph Flores*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Rest in peace Larry. I know why you cried every time, you saw me or my brothers. Rest easy now. We forgive you, and I know beyond a shadow of a doubt that you were innocent. Give my dad a big hug up there. I know everything will get worked out between you.*

**Richard Harkness** - July 13, 2021 at 07:32 PM



“ *Mexican Larry. Met you when I was 13 at a BBQ slash shoot out. Awesome dog trainer. Was a good brother. Thank you for your service bro. Ride easy.*

**Justin greene** - July 13, 2021 at 07:00 PM



“ *Cyndi Rae Lara lit a candle in memory of Larry Joseph Flores*



**Cyndi Rae Lara** - July 12, 2021 at 06:32 PM

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“ My condolences to the family. I remember Larry from Goddard High School. He used to drive a 55 Ford sedan to school. We hung around with different kids, so I really didn't know what was going on in his life, but after reading Ernie Lucero's comments, I was sad to learn of the harsh things Larry had to endure. May Larry rest in peace now.

Andy Sedillo - July 11, 2021 at 11:08 AM

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“ I knew Larry before he went to Viet nam when he came back and i hope this doesn t offend anyone his body looked like a road map from all the stiches he had. I thinks that's important for all to know this,maybe people will give him credit.he did suffer greatly as well as his then family.he was very proud of his son Larry Joe Flores Jr.he went thru the typical depression drugs alcohol but some where near the end he came into an understanding of what had happen to his life and over came it.in my book he was a good man thank you Larry for your service as well as others in the same situation



Ernie lucero - July 10, 2021 at 08:09 AM



“ Sorry for your loss. Amanda, Missy, Karen and family are in our thoughts and prayers. Blessings, love, hugs and peace to you all.

Julie Spangler - July 01, 2021 at 03:04 PM