



Librada "Lillie" Sanchez

January 10, 1938 - September 21, 2023

Librada (Lillie) Sanchez was called home on September 21, 2023 in Roswell, NM at the age of 85.

Funeral Services will be held at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home on Friday, September 29, 2023. There will be a viewing from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm followed by services at 2:00 pm with Pastor Tim Aguilar officiating. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery.

Lille Sanchez was born on January 10, 1938 to Simon and Margarita Gutierrez in Corpus Christi Texas. She was the beloved wife of Sisto Sanchez who she married in August of 1955 in Lubbock, Texas. She came to know her Savior in her teen years and devoted her life to serving her Lord. She was a strong Christian woman and along with her husband traveled in the ministry for many years. They were both musically inclined. Sisto played the guitar as well as piano and together they sang in churches and revivals. Anybody who knew her knew she loved to sing to Jesus with zeal and joy. She was always praying for everybody, especially her children and grandchildren. Anytime you talked to her or Sisto, they would ask how your soul was doing or if you needed prayer. Lille worked at St. Mary's Hospital for many years and later became a home health nurse. She retired to help take care of her grandchildren who she adored and eventually took care of her great-grandchildren as well.

Those left to eternally treasure and cherish her memories are daughter, Cindy Gomez; brothers: Rene Gutierrez of Corpus Christi, TX, David Gutierrez of Ft. Worth, TX; grandchildren: Carlos Gomez (Ashley), Paul Gomez and Angel Deschene (David); great grandchildren: Kaleb, Jace and Anabelle Gomez, Chloe and Ethan Deschene, Aryelle, Carlos Jr. and Avyana Gomez.

Lille was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Sisto Sanchez; son, Bobby Sanchez; parents: Simon and Margarita Gutierrez; sisters: Nena, Keri, Elodia, ChaCha, and brothers: Robert, Rafael, Israel and Simon Jr.

We would like to extend sincere thanks to Gentiva Hospice Care, her wonderful nurses Debbie, Melissa and her aides Linette and April. You ladies were a bright light in my week and my mom loved you all. I will sincerely miss seeing you. Thank you also to UNM Cancer Center and all the wonderful doctors that cared for my mom these past few years.

Thank you, Linda Marquez, for coming at the perfect time. God's timing is always perfect, and nothing is coincidence – only divine intervention. Thank you, my loving church family, – Church on The Move for the support and prayers and big thanks to my amazing friends who checked in on us constantly. I will never forget the kindness and love that flowed like a river for mom and I.

Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory with our family at www.andersonbethany.com

Librada (Lillie) Sanchez's obituary was lovingly written by her family.

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP **29**. 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM (MT)

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

Funeral Service

SEP **29**. 2:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Memorial Video*



Anderson - Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory - November 21, 2023 at 12:49 PM



“ To the Gomez & Sanchez Family, I'm truly sorry for your Loss. Your Mom and Grandma was a very strong woman that I will dearly miss. Rest in Peace Lillie 🙏



Nicole Espinoza - September 28, 2023 at 07:24 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Librada "Lillie" Sanchez.



September 28, 2023 at 02:43 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Librada "Lillie" Sanchez.*



September 28, 2023 at 02:35 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Librada "Lillie" Sanchez.

September 28, 2023 at 02:35 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Librada "Lillie" Sanchez.*



September 28, 2023 at 08:07 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Librada "Lillie" Sanchez.*



September 27, 2023 at 10:42 PM

ER

“ Our family is saddened by the passing of our aunt Lillie the last of our mother's generation. Her and out Tio Sisto brought so my joy and happiness to our family! Our prayers are lifted up to our merciful Savior, for Cindy and all the surviving family. Mercy and grace in the coming days. The roots of the Sanchez family tree runs deep in the fertile ground of our Lord and Savior!

Enrique Rodriguez - September 27, 2023 at 08:45 PM

KK

“ So very sorry, Cindy, to learn you have lost your beautiful Mother. Though we never met, your family's beautifully-expressed memory of her leads me to feel her wonderful effect on our earthly world. May she rest in Peace. Kay Kuhlmann

Kay Kuhlmann - September 27, 2023 at 08:29 PM

NV

“ I would like say. Thank you 😊 for always loving on me !!! And my memory is a road trip w my tia Cindy. To go visit. Maybe Gallup.. I was little. But your house was warm.. inviting...
RIP



Nicole Vargas - September 27, 2023 at 07:38 PM

SS

“ You'll never know how much you were looked up to and loved by us all. Thank you for all you taught us as kids. All our family reunions, I remember you telling us to go play but I wanted to stay and listen to the grown up conversations. I love you and I'll miss you so much but I know you are reunited with Tio Sisto, Bobby and the rest of our Familia. Rest in Peace Tia.



Saundra Sanchez - September 26, 2023 at 10:15 PM

ES

Even though we are hundreds of miles away, our heart felt pain is with you. I had not seen your mom and dad since the San Angelo reunion and that is how I remember them, singing and praying to the Lord. I know she reunited with her loved ones and Praise God for that. It is heartbreaking to hear we lost one last Pilar of the family. Love Greg and Esmeralda Sanchez

Esmeralda Sanchez - September 27, 2023 at 08:02 PM

AM

“ Miss Sanchez was a sweet lady I enjoyed the time I had careing for her she will be missed such a blessing to have know her



April matta - September 25, 2023 at 07:03 PM