



Roy V. Vargas

November 24, 1943 - January 30, 2016

Roy V. Vargas, 72, passed away January 30, 2016. He was born November 24, 1943, to Albert C. and Senona (Valencia) Vargas, in Artesia, NM.

Roy was very dedication to spending times with kids as a boxing coach and a hunter's education instructor. As a member of the NRA & Roswell Gun Club, he was a shooting sports instructor and a State Champion at Target Shooting. Roy was an avid hunter and a gunsmith. He was also a member of the New Mexico Golden Glove Association.

Good father, grandfather, and father-in-law, he never turned his back on anyone. Right or wrong, he always had an open door. Everyone called him "Uncle Roy". He helped "father" his nieces and nephews.

Preceding Roy in death are his parents, Albert and Senona Vargas; sons: Roy Vargas Jr. and Alfred Montoya; brothers: Henry Vargas, and Esteban Vargas and two sisters: Amelia Valenzuela, and Jane Broussard. Additionally preceding him in death are numerous family members and friends.

Left to carry on Roy's heritage are his wife of 53 years, Nellie; son, Ralph and wife, Nicole Vargas, children: Tierra and Ralphie Noel; daughter, Rita and husband, Danny Carabajal, children: Pete and Jessenia Carrasco, and Dominique and Angelique Carrasco; daughter, Renee and husband Eric Trujillo, children: Michael, Britany, and Gabriel Trujillo; grandchildren: Frankie Archuleta and family; Roy Joe Vargas III and family; Larry James Vargas and family; George Valenzuala and family; 20 great-grandchildren and one on the way. Also surviving Roy are brother, Albert Vargas Jr and family; sisters: Minnie Smith and family; Maggie and Alex Rodriquez and family.

The family would like to thank: their extended family; Bobby Archuleta and Leroy Bell, right-hand-man to Tio Jiggs.

A memorial service for Roy is scheduled on February 2, 2016, 1:00 PM at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home Chapel. Henry Trujillo will officiate.

Tribute Wall

MR

“ IT'S BEEN 7 LONG YEARS, MISS YOU & EVERYONE ELSE! I WILL ALWAYS PRAY FOR YOU & ALL YOUR FAMILY. LUV U, Maggie & alex



maggie vargas rodriguez - January 30, 2024 at 11:40 AM

MR

It's been 8 long Years, one day late, sorry! We miss YOU & LOVE YOU. alex & Maggie rodriguez

maggie & alex rodriguez - November 25, 2024 at 10:19 AM

MA

“ Your sister loves you and miss you.



Maggie - January 30, 2024 at 10:24 AM

RI

“ Happy 80 birthday my dad love you miss you so much. Always carry you in my heart.

Rita - November 24, 2023 at 07:34 AM

MR

“ TODAY IS THANSIVING, TOMMORROW IS YOUR 80TH BD, HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!! WE MISS YOU, HENRY, ALBERT JR., & EVERYONE ELSE, YOU & HENRY ARE SO LUCKY TOO SEE EVERYONE!!!! I'M JUST GLAD THAT YOU & HENRY AREN'T SUFFERING. LATER, LOVE YOU ALL, ALEX & MAGGIE



maggie vargas rodriguez - November 23, 2023 at 07:09 PM

RI

“ Love you dad. Always in my heart.

Rita - January 30, 2023 at 10:56 AM

MA

“ IT'S BEEN 7 LONG YEARS. WE MISS YOU SO MUCH, BUT GLAD YOUR NOT IN PAIN, YOU WOULD OF LOST YOUR BET WITH HENRY, WHO IS NOT SUFFERING EITHER. LUV, MAGGIE&ALEX

MAGGIE & ALEX - January 30, 2023 at 10:22 AM



“ Roy V. Vargas

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM

RI

“ Today I thought of you like always. I miss you dad we all miss you. I just want you RIP. You told me not to cry but dad I do cry sorry because you were my world my everything. I love dad and my brother my tio and my aunts. Don't ever forget that I love you.

Rita - December 26, 2022 at 09:12 AM

RC

“ Dear, My Dad Happy Birthday In Heaven.just look down on us and Bless us from heaven. May You Rest In Peace. Dad we all miss you more than you know. Love you my dad. I miss you so much. Love you Booga

Rc - November 23, 2022 at 10:43 PM

MR

“ HAPPY BIRTHDAY, one day early, WE MISS YOU, & GLAD YOU & HENRY ARE NOT SUFFERING, IT BEEN TOO LONG! RIP. luv you Maggie & Alex



maggie & alex rodriguez - November 23, 2022 at 06:24 PM

RC

“ Dad I wish you a Happy Father Day tomorrow. I miss you more than words could say. I love my dad.

Rita Carabajal - June 19, 2022 at 01:40 AM

MR

“ It's been 6 Long years, since You were taken from Us. We All Miss You very much,
Life is not the same, with You, Henry & Jr., gone, even Manuel couldn't stay behind.
God will give Us Strength & Direction, We Love You & RIP.
Love, Maggie & Alex



maggie & alex rodriguez - January 30, 2022 at 08:18 AM

RI

“ Happy Birthday Dad. Love You! RIP Forever.

Rita - November 24, 2021 at 09:55 AM

AR

“ early wishes----- HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BRO!!!!!!!!!!!! WE MISS YOU & PRAY FOR YOUR SOUL, RIP! luv u, Maggie & Alex



alex&maggie rodriguez - November 23, 2021 at 09:56 PM

MR

“ Maggie & Alex Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas



maggie & alex rodriguez - January 30, 2021 at 06:55 PM

MR

“ IT'S BEEN 4 LONG YEAR, MISS YOU, LIKE IT WAS YESTERDAY. I KNOW YOUR WATCHING OVER US, AS YOU ALWAYS DID, RIP. LOVE U, MAGGIE & ALEX



MAGGIE & ALEX RODRIGUEZ - January 30, 2020 at 07:55 AM

RC

“ Dear Dad it's been 4 Years but everyday it feels like yesterday I miss and love u so much I pray everyday and night that u are in heaven healthy and ok. And I know u are. I pray each morning for u and all all our family. I just want to know mom,Ralph myself and Renee are all doing good. I love u Dad and may you RIP.

Rita Carabajal - January 29, 2020 at 11:23 PM

MR

“ Maggie & Alex Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas



maggie & alex rodriguez - November 24, 2019 at 04:49 PM

MR

it's been three long years, HAPPY BIRTHDAY! you have a lot of GREAT FAMILY, there in HEAVEN, too help you CELEBRATE!! luv & missing u, your sister & brother-in-law(Maggie&alex)

maggie & alex rodriguez - November 24, 2019 at 04:55 PM

MR

“ Maggie Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas



maggie rodriguez - August 11, 2019 at 10:19 PM

RC

“ Dad I had a bad day yesterday, but like mom said ur ok. I miss u sooo much. RIP my daddy I love idiot much. I just wanted u to know I love u.

rcarabajal - January 31, 2019 at 11:44 PM

RI

“ Daddy, it will two years on Tuesday.i know u are looking down from heave at us . Mom is doing good ur children are ok. Renee is getting her education done Bit is going to graduate. I tell them u know everything from heaven. I have the most beautiful granddaughters u will ever know . Monkey is still hunting.thanks to u. Daddy may u be in pease but I just want u to know Danny is still taking care if me but I miss u mooore than words can say Happy Birthday in HEAVEN I lovey I miss u daddy . Look at Nanie she knows who u are My PAPO ROY . Love u dad I miss u more than words can say RIP

rita - January 26, 2018 at 10:51 PM

RC

“ Daddy it's been a year today we lost you it's feels like yesterday. I miss you so much, I know your not sick no more. Daddy I cherish your words you would always tell us kids " when I am gone don't cry the sun will shine life will go on and you all will too. You get up everyday be productive and do the best you can" those word I keep close to my heart. I love you Daddy and I just wanted u to know today and everyday I think of you and miss you so much. I LOVE YOU DADDY "RIP"

Rita Carabajal - January 30, 2017 at 05:01 PM

RC

“ Daddy, we don't know God calls people home with Him and you. But we knew you were sick. But our Tio Jiggs was left here to carry on with us. But for some reason God wanted him home with you and our family. I have to say it's hard for us all Tia Carol and our mother and all his siblings, kids and grand kids. I am lost in words I see tears everyone sheds God has his reason and we will have to live with that. All I want you to know we will take care of mom and no tears . It's like you say tomorrow life goes on. Daddy I love all of all in heaven and tell my Tio mom and Tia Carol will be taken care of. We all love you and RIP till we all meet agin.

Rita Carabajal - February 16, 2016 at 08:22 PM

CL

“ Renee, Rita, Ralph, and family, we are saddened to hear of Roy's passing. Our deepest condolences to you all, especially your mama. My all who know you and the lov you shared pray for your peace and God's comfort now and always. -- Oscar & Cindi

Cindi Lucero - February 11, 2016 at 11:42 PM

RC

This is Rita thanks

Rita Carabajal - February 12, 2016 at 10:10 PM

NV

Thank you all!!!

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:47 PM

AQ

“ ANGELINA & GEORGE QUINTERO sent a virtual gift in memory of Roy V. Vargas



ANGELINA & GEORGE QUINTERO - February 08, 2016 at 12:23 PM

NV

Thank you so much

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:48 PM

AS

“ I am very sad to hear about Roy's passing. My condolences to the family. Lots of good memories from the times we spent together.

Andy Sedillo - February 04, 2016 at 01:56 PM

NV

Thank you very much !

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:49 PM

LA

“ Leslie Anderson lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas



Leslie Anderson - February 03, 2016 at 09:56 PM

RC

“ I love you daddy. I will miss you. This is a the hardest time in my life. I promise you we will take care of our mom for you. I am just relived that you are cancer free and no more pain. Thank you for all you have done for me. I will keep you close in my heart forever daddy. Now we leave you in the hand of the GOOD LORD and with our brother. I LOVE YOU DADDY.

Rita Carabajal - February 03, 2016 at 03:08 PM

PJ

“ Nellie and family sorry for the loss of Roy may the lord wrap his arms around you and the family and bring comfort and peace at this difficult time

Pat Juarez - February 03, 2016 at 08:54 AM

NV

Thank you very much !!

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:50 PM

BJ

“ Roy was a good and faithful friend for the 35 years I knew him. So sorry I didn't get to visit this last year. My prayers are with Nellie and the rest of the family.
BUD JOLLY

Bud Jolly - February 02, 2016 at 05:00 PM

NV

Thanks bud!!!!

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:52 PM

CA

“ My deepest condolences to the Vargas family. Uncle Roy touched the life of so many people because of his kindness and sincerity. He was a man of strength, A man that had compassion for everyone he knew and a man of faith. Rest in peace now Uncle Roy. We will meet again.

connie anaya - February 02, 2016 at 12:48 PM

NV

Thank you!!!

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:51 PM

ES

“ Uncle Roy you will be missed so much I want to thank you for always being there for me like a second dad when I needed to talk or was in trouble and needed a good keep your ass in line talk. You were such a great husband father grandpa uncle and friend to many of us. Your memories will last a lifetime.
It's never goodbye it's see you later
Love always Nana (Elizabeth Silva)



Elizabeth Silva - February 02, 2016 at 02:09 AM

NV

Thank you baby!!!

nicole vargas - February 15, 2016 at 08:54 PM

MT

“ *Maria Torrez lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas*



Maria Torrez - February 02, 2016 at 01:49 AM

SB

“ *Uncle Roy, you've been a wonderful, caring uncle to us, especially after Mom passed away (Amelia Valenzuela). You always welcomed anyone to you home and loved to hear your "gun" stories, so many memories visiting with you and Aunt Nellie.*

You were our "rock" and we will miss you tremendously.

*Love you,
Sylvia Valenzuela Baker & family*

Sylvia Baker - February 01, 2016 at 09:33 PM

IA

“ Thinking of your family in there loss and wishing there were words that could take away there sadness. One of our memories of you is, when you went with Frankie to the 1987 Olympic Box Off in Houston, Texas. Please give him a big hug for us and start training him again.

Irene Aldaz - February 01, 2016 at 07:45 PM

NV

“ I love you , thank you for all you were and are to me...
Forever in my heart
Nicole



nicole vargas - February 01, 2016 at 06:30 PM

YC

“ Dear Dad. I just wanted to say thank you for loving me so much thank you for all the words of encougment. You were there for right or wrong and from this day forward I will live by the words you left me with tomorrow goes the sun will shine even though I am not here I thought u how to be strong and care on be predictive in what u and don't have no regrets. Daddy thank you for being a father not just to myself but thank you for being a father to my children when they needed a father you were there. Daddy I love I will never say good bye it's until we meet agin. RIP my DADDY. Love your daughter Rita

Your Daughter Rita Carabajal - February 01, 2016 at 05:53 PM

MR

“ Your gone from this Earth, but NEVER from Our HEARTS or The Fond MEMORIES, We have of ALL THE GREAT YEARS, together. I couldn't have asked or Wished for better BROTHERS, than YOU & HENRY. What a great reunion your having with all our Family & Nellie's Family. We will truly miss you & everyone else that are gone. Love You, MAGGIE & ALEX RODRIGUEZ

Maggie & Alex Rodriguez - February 01, 2016 at 05:46 PM

YC

“ Your Daughter Rita Carabajal lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas



Your Daughter Rita Carabajal - February 01, 2016 at 05:26 PM

MR

“ *MAGGIE & ALEX RODRIGUEZ lit a candle in memory of Roy V. Vargas*



MAGGIE & ALEX RODRIGUEZ - February 01, 2016 at 05:18 PM