



## Stephen Aguilar

May 5, 1952 - May 26, 2017

Stephen Aguilar, 65, passed away on Friday, May 26, 2017, in Roswell, NM. Viewing will be Monday, June 5, 2017, 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home. A rosary will be recited following the viewing at 7:00 PM. The funeral service will be held on Tuesday, June 6, 2017, 10:00 AM, at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery. A tribute of Stephen's life may be found at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com) where you may leave memories and expressions of sympathy for his family.

On May 5, 1952, Stephen was born to Eddie Aguilar and Isabel Salcido Aguirre in Roswell, New Mexico. He had a passion for cars and was a gifted Transmission Auto Mechanic with an ability to fix any issue. Although Stephen was retired for the last few years, he continued to work part-time doing what he loved. To Stephen no one was a stranger, he was a friendly and outgoing person. Stephen especially enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren; he loved them more than anything else.

Those left to cherish Stephen's memory are his loving mother, Isabel Salcido; children: Ralph Melendez, Stephanie Salazar, Joshua Salazar, Stephen Aguilar, Cristal Aguilar; grandchildren: Angel Lopez, Santiago Juarez, April Melendez, Emmanuel Melendez, Cheyenne Anaya, Katrina Lopez, Marissa Lujan, Elisha Ortega, Jericho Ortega, Diego Estrada, Brielle Aguilar, Daniel Aguilar, Israel Cavazos, Destiny Cavazos, Isela Cavazos, Elsa Cavazos, Timothy Cavazos; six great-grandchildren; sisters: Eva Aguilar, Stella

Dutchover, Dorthy Olivarez, Cindy Gonzales; aunts: Trinity Renteria, Jessie Aguilar, Mary Aguilar, Connie Aguilar, Louisa Aguilar, Margie Aguilar; special nephews: Eddie Aguilar, Anthony Aguilar; numerous nephews and nieces; Godson, John Aguilar; friends: Bob Jenkins, Faustino Ortiz, Frank Gabaldon, Wolfie and John Otero.

Preceding Stephen in death were his father, Eddie (Shorty) Aguilar; grandparents: Ralph Salcido, Catrina Baca Salcido, Eugenio Aguilar, Concha Aguilar; brothers: Eddie Aguilar, Danny Aguilar and Sammy Aguilar.

Those chosen as Honorary Pallbearers are: Ralph Melendez, Stephen Aguilar Jr, Eddie Aguilar, Anthony Aguilar, Faustino Ortiz, Steve Gonzales, Joseph Olivarez and Wolfie.

Pallbearers will be: Frank Gabaldon, Albert Peyton, John Otero, Manuel Ortiz, Joshua Salazar and Johnny Ortiz.

There will be a gathering after the services at the Unity Center, 108 E. Bland, Roswell, NM. Food donations are welcome, or contact Stephanie Salazar at 575-840-6965.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Stephen Aguilar*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Stephen and Cristal I am so so sorry for your loss..may God encamp his angels all around and about you both & may you find comfort in Gods grace & love..Love you all dearly..Love. Lisiy*

**Eric & Elisianna Madrid** - June 05, 2017 at 02:46 PM



“ *I'll miss you Aggie you were my favorite uncle I sure have great memories of you and my children too. Fly high with the Eagles 🦅  
Love ,  
Angelique Nina Aguilar*

**Angelique Sarli Aguilar** - June 04, 2017 at 07:32 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Stephen Aguilar.*



June 02, 2017 at 01:23 PM

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“ *From His Mother and children purchased the Adoration Casket Spray for the family of Stephen Aguilar.*



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**From His Mother and children** - June 01, 2017 at 08:22 PM

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“ *Sing with the Angels, Aggie. We loved you very much and will miss you much, much more my buddy of many, many years! John Otero*

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**Joann Otero** - May 31, 2017 at 07:15 PM

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“ *GEORGE & ANGELINA QUINTERO lit a candle in memory of Stephen Aguilar*



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**GEORGE & ANGELINA QUINTERO** - May 31, 2017 at 12:07 PM