



## Theresa Green

July 23, 1923 - March 28, 2008

Theresa Rivera Green, our beloved mother, died peacefully with her family gathered at her bedside on March 28, 2008. Theresa was born July 31, 1923 in Sprinkle, Texas to Adela and Santiago Rivera. The family moved to New Mexico in the early 1930's. They lived in Lake Arthur and Dexter for several years before moving to Roswell in 1976. Theresa was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, five sisters and two beloved grandchildren, Tony Ray and Ben (Blondie) George Jr. Peralta. Theresa is survived by her sister, Dorothy Drennan of Albuquerque, NM and her brother, Jerry Rivera of Roswell, NM. Her legacy will forever be remembered by her children, Dolores Peralta (Ben) of Roswell, NM, Jeanette Green of Amarillo, TX, Jerry Green (Cathy) of Roswell, NM, Frances Lydiard (Murray) of Kamloops, British Columbia, Rosemarie Green (Leroy Bell) of Roswell, NM, and Pauline Jordan (Kim) of Amarillo, TX. Grandma will be sadly missed and fondly remembered by Rudy, Fabian, Teresa and Debbie Peralta, Lisa Gonzalez, Yvette, Gabriel, Natasha Green, Nicole and Danielle Lydiard, Billy and her many wonderful great-grandchildren. Mom never knew a stranger. Mom was an amazing and generous person; she was a person who would truly give you the "shirt off her back". She thoroughly enjoyed helping people in anyway that she could. Her love for her children and grandchildren were without limits. Often at family gatherings, mom would dance with her children and grandchildren. She loved plants and flowers and we know she is tending to the flower gardens in Heaven. She had a deep abiding love for her Lord Jesus Christ. She was a

remarkable mother, grandmother and friend. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her and will never be forgotten. Pallbearers will be Rudy Peralta, Fabian Peralta, Jacob Peralta, Gabriel Green, Billy Jordan and Danielle Lydiard. Honorary pallbearers will be Danny Eaker, Leroy Bell, Hector Moreno, Phillip Moreno and Juan Moreno. The family is grateful for the exceptional support and loving compassion from the staff at Visa Care Hospice and for the many friends and family who visited mom in her last days. A celebration of Theresa's life will be held at 2:00PM, Thursday, April 3, 2008 at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory with Pastor Adam Soliz, officiating. Internment will follow at South Park Cemetery. Please share your memories with the family in the online register book at [andersonbethany.com](http://andersonbethany.com) Services are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory.

#### Do Not Weep

Do not stand at my grave and weep I am not there; I do not sleep, I am a thousand winds that blow, I am the diamond glints on snow, I am the sun on ripened grain, I am the gentle autumn rain. When you awaken in the morning's hush I am the swift uplifting rush Of quiet birds in circled flight. I am the soft stars that shine at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry, I am not there; I did not die. Mary Elizabeth Frye Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi Lord, make me an instrument of Your Peace; Where there is hatred, let me sow love; Where there is injury, pardon; Where there is doubt, faith; Where there is darkness, light; Where there is sadness, joy; O Divine Master, grant that I may seek not so much to be consoled, as to console; To be understood as to understand; To be loved as to love; For it is in giving that we receive; It is in pardoning that we are pardoned' And it is in dying that we are born to Eternal Life. Amen

# Tribute Wall



“ *Theresa Green*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Rose, I was so sorry to hear of the loss of your Mom, our prayers are for you and your family.  
Arcie, Don and Family*

**ARSILIA ALVAREZ** - April 03, 2008 at 02:14 PM



“ *Theresa was the kindest soul on earth, she always had something good to say and always welcomed everyone with open arms. She has brought so much joy to my life and the life's of others, she will be greatly missed.*

**Jacquelyn Garcia & children** - April 02, 2008 at 07:17 PM



“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to hear of your loss. May God give you comfort in the days to come. your friend always, maggie & alex rodriguez*

**maggie rodriguez** - April 02, 2008 at 06:59 PM



“ *My condolences go out to the family, at this difficult time. Growing up with Gabriel as youngsters, I was able to know, and understand what a beautiful person Ms.Green was. My thoughts and prayers are with all the family.*

**Paul Espinoza** - April 02, 2008 at 05:47 PM

RP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time. Your mom was a very nice Lady. May God Be With You All.*  
*Rick and Rachel Peralta*

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**Rachel Peralta** - March 31, 2008 at 04:44 PM

LM

“ *Jerry Rosie and Jeanette, I am so sorry to hear about your mom. I met her a long time ago and she was such a nice person. My thoughts and prayers are with you all, Sincerely, Lupe*

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**Lupe Morales** - March 31, 2008 at 03:37 PM