



Manuel B. "Jiggs" Lucero

July 28, 1952 - February 15, 2016

Manuel B "Jiggs" Lucero, 63, of Roswell, NM passed away February 15, 2016. He was born July 28, 1952, to Teodorita Baca and Antonio Lucero (both deceased) in Roswell NM. He was married to Carol Lara Lucero.

Manuel was a very big hearted father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He was a very dedicated man. His occupation was an auto body man and a painter. He did that job for 30 plus years and loved it. Manuel loved to go hunting, fishing, watching television, cleaning his guns, and spending time with family and friends. His right hand men were Henry Garcia, Frankie Meads Sr, Raymond Lucero and Roy Vargas. He loved his fresh tortillas, beans, chile and salt. Jiggs had a sense of humor like no other and such an uplifting attitude. No matter the time, or place he made everything right and made you laugh and smile.

Preceding Manuel in death are his parents, Teodorita Baca and Antonio Lucero; brother, Larry Lucero, sisters: Bebe Quintero and Terry Lucero. He left behind his wife, Carol Lara Lucero whom he was married to for 38 years; son, Jose Angel Guilez Sr; grandchildren: Anjell Guilez, Angel Guilez Jr, Donovan Guilez, and Emerald Guilez; daughter, Anita Guilez; grandchildren, Donna and Roy Andazola, Samantha Fuentes, Johnathon Salcido, Megan Salcido, and Matthew Salcido; daughter, April Guilez and husband, Benjamin Lopez; grandchildren, Merissa Guilez, Christopher Lopez and Daniel Guilez; daughter, Shannon Lucero Salcido and husband, Gilbert Salcido; grandchildren: Nya Lucero, Emmanuel Salcido, and Isabelle Salcido

(baby cub); ten great-grandchildren and three on the way. Also surviving Manuel are siblings: Ricky Lucero, Raymond Lucero, Mary Silva, Lupe Bencomo, Lucy Nunez, Nellie Lucero and Lizzie Lucero.

The family would like to thank everyone for their sympathy, blessings, calls and visits.

A memorial service for Manuel B “Jiggs” Lucero is scheduled Friday, February 19, 2016, 6:00 PM at Anderson Bethany Funeral Home Chapel. Adolfo Castillo will officiate. Hope to see you there.

Obituary was loving written by the family.

Anderson Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory is honored to be chosen to serve the Lucero family in their time of need.

Bow Hunters Prayer

Clean kill or No Kill, Lord

O Lord I am a hunter

And life I seek to take

But let me not attempt the shot

Beyond my skill not make

For Lord they are your creatures

Given for our use

But each one falls within your sight

They're not for our abuse

And when I loose my bullet

Please guide it swift and true

Or let it miss completely, Lord

That pain be not undue

A clean kill or no kill, Lord

That pain be not undue

A clean kill or no kill, Lord

Such is my heart's desire

Give me the skill to make it so

Or let me hold my fire
And when my time upon this earth
The days they are fulfilled
Grant that I may die at least
As clean as those I killed

Tribute Wall

MR

“ Tomorrow will be *FOUR LONG YEARS*, but I know Your *HAPPY* being *REUNITED* with MY BROTHER(ROY), & THE REST OF YOUR FAMILY,RIP, MANUEL. Your not in PAIN, anymore & enjoying a COOL ONE, with ALL! Maggie & Alex Rodriguez



Maggie & Alex Rodriguez - February 14, 2020 at 11:26 AM

JM

“ To Mr. and Mrs. Tony and Lucy Nunez my heartfelt condolences go out to you and Manuel's family!! Manuel was (indeed) a great person to know! He will be missed by everyone who knew him!!

Jerry D. Martinez

Albuquerque, N.M.

Jerry D. Martinez - February 20, 2016 at 11:32 AM

PA

“ Carol at these times its so hard to find right words. But know my heart and prayers goes out to u and your family.

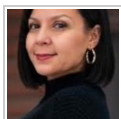
Paulino & Irene Aldaz - February 19, 2016 at 07:38 PM



“ *Nicole Vargas lit a candle in memory of Manuel B. "Jiggs" Lucero*



Nicole Vargas - February 19, 2016 at 02:41 PM



*Love you Uncle Jiggs, Forever in our hearts..thank you for everything !!
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Nicole Vargas - February 19, 2016 at 02:42 PM

LA

“ *Aunt Mary & Family,
I love you all, I know that you gave had so many people lost in such a short time, but remember that they are watching over you all and you are surrounded by lots of love!
Love,
Lacy Silva Flores*



Lacy - February 19, 2016 at 01:45 PM

ES

“ *Elizabeth Silva lit a candle in memory of Manuel B. "Jiggs" Lucero*



Elizabeth Silva - February 19, 2016 at 01:33 PM

ES

“ *RIP uncle Jiggs you will be missed dearly I will remember all our laughs we had together*
Love You Always Nana 🙏

Elizabeth Silva - February 19, 2016 at 01:32 PM

 Clara Fuentes

“ *Carol my thoughts & prayers are with you at the loss of Your Most Loved Husband. (Jigg's). I ask Our Dear Lord that he give you the Strength during this difficult & heart broken time in Your Life. When I met both You & Jigg's I was forever so fortunate too be blessed knowing such Happy Souls. With all due Respect, My Dear Carol & Jigg's Lucero.*
Respectfully, Clara Fuentes

Clara Fuentes - February 19, 2016 at 01:18 PM

LN

Carol, My Deepest condolences to you and your family. You and Jiggs were such a Beautiful Couple. May God keep you strong Carol through your loss, and May God take care and watch over you and your family. Lillian Noriega and the Noriega family.

Lillian Noriega - February 19, 2016 at 01:56 PM

JL

“ *Aunt Carol I love you and I'm sorry to hear about uncle jiggs he was a daym good man in loved him dearly and my heart hurts :"(I hope to see you soon.*



Julia Lucero - February 19, 2016 at 11:59 AM

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“ Carol and family, I am sorry to read about Manuel, we all went to school together. Those were the days when our neighborhood friends were like family. May he rest in peace. Lupe Morales (Reyes)

Lupe Morales (Reyes) - February 19, 2016 at 09:36 AM

MR

“ RIP, Manuel. Our Deepest Sympathy To All The Lucero Family, Carol, Nellie and All Siblings and Childern, Our Prayers For All. You've all had Your share of deaths in the Family, but with The Lord to Guide You All, & leaning on one another, will help. Maggie & Alex Rodriguez

Maggie&Alex Rodriguez - February 19, 2016 at 08:42 AM

DC

“ Tio, I just want to to say thank you for being my uncle. Us children of our father Roy Vargas would like to thank you for being his right hand man . We would also like to say to our Tia Carol and family thank you for allowing our Tio to be there for our parents when we needed him too. Tio we don't know why God need you in heaven but the day we all meet in heaven we will have our answers. You RIP. I will carry you very close to my heart. We are going to miss you like hell. My pansa hurts and let's gitterdone

Danny & Rita Carabajal - February 18, 2016 at 07:28 PM