



## Robert Ortiz

March 20, 1942 - August 29, 2008

### Obituary for Robert Bibanco Ortiz

A rosary will be recited for Robert Bibanco Ortiz, 66, of Roswell at 7 pm Thursday, September 4, 2008, at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home Chapel. A funeral mass will be celebrated for Robert at 10 am. Friday, September 5, 2008 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, with Father Juan Montoya O.F.M. officiating. Viewing will be held Wednesday September 3, 2008 from 8 am to 5 pm., and Thursday 8 am., following rosary.

Robert was born March 20, 1942 to Abraham V. Ortiz and Esperanza Bibanco in Alamogordo, NM. He and Maria Guerrero were married July 17, 1969 in El Paso, Texas, she survives him in the family home. Robert worked at TMC/ Nova Bus for 26 years. He was a member and President of the International Association of Machinist Local Lodge 2577. He loved his family, enjoyed deer hunting, camping, cookouts, dancing and listening to music. His greatest joy were his grandchildren especially his great-granddaughter. He was always ready to help those less fortunate than him and would speak up for them. Robert loved and lived life to the fullest. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him and his family.

In addition to his wife, Maria, Robert is survived by his daughter Daria Gabaldon and her husband Raymond of Roswell, two grandsons; Ramon Jr. Gabaldon and Jose Luis Gabaldon, a granddaughter; Amanda Padilla and her husband Nick, one great-granddaughter; Nicolette Padilla of Roswell, his mother; Esperanza Ortiz of Roswell, four brothers; Frank Ortiz and wife

Gloria, from Arizona, Ignacio Ortiz and wife Peggy from Roswell, Eustacio Ortiz and wife Juana of Roswell, Abraham Jr. Ortiz and wife Jeannie, from Glen Bernie, MA., four sisters; Toni Rodriguez and husband Manuel, from Alamogordo, Connie Silva and her husband Danny from Bakersfield, CA., Paula Ortiz and Josie Chavez of Roswell; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Robert was preceded in death by his father Abraham Ortiz, two brothers; Gregorio and Jose Ortiz.

7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 8 Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but to all who have loved his Appearing. 2 Timothy 4:7-8

Please share your thoughts and 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 & Crematory.

# Tribute Wall



“ *To my dear grate uncle..I love u and miss u!! To the Ortiz family*

Latoya Ortiz - December 28, 2023 at 05:39 AM



“ *Robert Ortiz*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *The passing of my great grandmother, Maria Ortiz on 2/27/18 has let me realize that she is with my grandpa, Robert now and I love and miss them both <3~ Nicolette Padilla (Great granddaughter)*

Nicolette - March 28, 2018 at 05:09 PM



“ *Josie & Family, My prayers are with you and your family,My God give you strength and peace...*

Amy L Almond - September 04, 2008 at 03:24 PM



“ *I am Soo Sorry to hear of the passing of robert. i used to work with him at tmc in the welding dept and worked with gabby in the paint shop. i wish i could be there, but at the moment am not able to get away.*

*My Prayers are with all the family.*

*Condolences to the whole family from Paul Herrera and family. He will be greatly missed.*

Paul Herrera - September 03, 2008 at 10:36 PM

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“ To my dear friends, Maria and Daria; I am very sorry for your lost of your wonderful husband and dad. Robert was such a good man, always messing with me, always brightened my day to talk to him. He will never be forgotten. God Bless you and your family, Love Yvonne.

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**Yvonne Mayo** - September 03, 2008 at 06:37 PM

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“ My Warmest thoughts and prayers to all of the family, I am there in spirit. con carino y respecto.  
Terry F. Maes

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**Terry Frank Maes** - September 03, 2008 at 09:51 AM