



Alice E. Valdez

December 1, 1929 - March 21, 2026

Alice E. Valdez, 96, of San Luis, Colorado, passed away on March 21, 2026.

Alice E. Valdez was born in San Luis, Colorado, to Margaret Payne and Emilio Gonzalez. She built a life full of purpose and meaning as a devoted homemaker. She poured her heart into creating a warm, loving home, finding pride in caring for her family and shaping a space where everyone felt safe, supported, and deeply loved. She found joy in life's simple pleasures and meaningful moments, especially when they could be shared with the people she loved. She had a fondness for playing bingo, where her lively spirit and hopeful excitement always shone through. Music and dancing brought her a special kind of happiness, filling her days with rhythm, laughter, and energy. Whenever she had the chance, she enjoyed visiting the casino, embracing the thrill and lighthearted fun it brought. At home, she expressed her love most deeply through cooking, preparing meals that brought comfort and togetherness to those around her. Above all, she was devoted to caring for her family, creating a home filled with warmth, support, and unwavering love. Her presence was a steady source of comfort, and the memories she created through both everyday moments and joyful occasions will be forever cherished.

Alice E. Valdez is survived by her three loving daughters: Louise DeHerrera (Fred), Norma Jean Valdez, and Ernestine Valdez; her beloved son, Arnold

Valdez (Maria); and many beloved grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Alice E. Valdez is preceded in death by her loving husband, Ernesto Valdez, her beloved son Sam Valdez, her beloved mother, Margaret Payne, and her beloved sister, Berthie Vigil.

Funeral Services will be held on Friday, March 27, 2026, at 1:30 pm at Sangre De Cristo Parish Church in San Luis, Colorado (511 Church Place, San Luis, CO 81152). Interment will be held at the San Luis Cemetery.

To leave online condolences, please visit romerofuneralhomes.com

The care of arrangements has been entrusted to Romero Valley Funeral Home of Alamosa.

In loving memory of Alice E. Valdez, forever in our hearts.

Tribute Wall

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“ *In Loving Memory of our beloved Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother, and Friend.*

She will always be remembered forever. Rest in peace. Our Lord Jesus has his loving arms around you. We love you Mom. ❤️🙏



Ernestine Valdez and Family - March 29 at 10:34 AM