



Cleo Marie Gallardo "Mrs.G"

February 24, 1935 - November 16, 2020

Our Beloved Cleo Marie Gallardo, 85, went to be with the Lord and her husband on November 16, 2020 at the San Luis Care Center surrounded by her loving family. Cleo made her grand entrance into the world on February 24, 1935 in Alamosa, Colorado, the daughter of Meliton Lopez and Eliza Espinoza Lopez. Cleo was united in marriage to the love of her life Melvin Gallardo on October 5, 1952 in Taos, New Mexico. They shared a long and loving union until his passing in 2015. Cleo worked for the Alamosa School District for many years as a cook. She loved being around kids, people and making new friends. She was a member of the Catholic Daughters of the Sacred Heart Parish, and the Alamosa Women's Bowling League. She was an exceptional bowler and loved getting together with her friends on her spare time. Cleo was a devoted, selfless, kind and loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, great-great-grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin and friend who enjoyed cooking, baking, traveling and spending time with her family and grandchildren. Cleo loved everyone and was loved by everyone, she inspired others with her undying faith. She will be dearly missed by all.

She will live on through her children Diane (Tom) Gaylor. Glenna (Jerry) Archuleta, Darlene Gallardo all of Alamosa, CO; Judy (John) Ortega of Santa Fe, NM; Dean Gallardo (Loretta DeHerrera) of La Jara, CO; grandchildren Lisa Gaylor, Steven (Dolly) Gaylor, Melanie Gaylor, Courtney Archuleta, Tanya Archuleta, Shawn (Vanessa) Archuleta, Matthew Gallardo, Leslie Ruybal, J.R. Sanchez, Zachary Gallardo, Dillon Gallardo, Drake Gallardo, Ashley

DeHerrera, Lawliet, numerous great-and great-great-grandchildren, sisters Lupita Romero of Oracle, AZ; Rose Torres of Monte Vista, CO; sister-in-law Theresa Lopez of Alamosa, CO. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Cleo was preceded in death by her parents Meliton and Eliza Lopez, husband Melvin Gallardo, granddaughter Mercedes Salazar, sister Emelina LeFebre and one brother Meliton Lopez.

A Vigil and Mass of the Resurrection will be held at Sacre dHeart Catholic Church with interment to follow at the Alamosa Cemetery. To leave online condolences please visit romerofuneralhomes.com. The arrangements have been entrusted to Romero Funeral Home of Alamosa

Cemetery Details

Alamosa Cemetery

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ *Cleo Marie Gallardo "Mrs.G"*

January 29, 2023 at 07:44 AM



“ *In enjoyed my early year of working with Cleo at Alamosa High School. We and all the cooks had and made many memories. I will miss her smile and humor. She was such a wonderful Lady.*

Larry Zaragoza - November 23, 2020 at 12:17 PM



“ *Cleo was a very sweet lady, I knew her growing up. She and my mom and aunt all bowled together. She was also my moms roommate at the San Luis Care Center. We want to express our deepest sympathy to her family. When we saw you with your mom we saw how very much you loved her. God bless all of you.*
Kay and Jesse Salinas



Kay Salinas - November 19, 2020 at 11:02 PM



“ *My sweet little Cleo... I will miss you!*

Sandy Martinez - November 18, 2020 at 12:22 AM



I met Cleo when my husband, Felix and I went to visit Mel. Sweet lady, Rest In Peace. Catherine

Catherine Valdez - November 18, 2020 at 01:13 PM