



Eileen Johnson

December 22, 1951 - July 31, 2025

Long time Alamosa resident Eileen Johnson passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, July 31, 2025, following a brave battle with cancer. Eileen was born on December 22, 1951, in Vallecitos, New Mexico, one of eleven brothers and sisters born to Frank and Bertha Gurule. Following her childhood in Vallecitos, Santa Fe, and Albuquerque NM, she resided for many years in Albuquerque prior to relocating to Alamosa in 2001.

Eileen had a long and successful career in law enforcement, including serving as Lieutenant with the University of New Mexico Police Department and as Director of Public Safety at Adams State University. Following her retirement, she enjoyed many activities including crafts, landscaping, growing flowers and plants, and spending time with her family. She was an extremely caring and loving person, totally devoted to her family. She was a proud member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Alamosa.

Eileen was preceded in death by her parents, Frank and Bertha Gurule, and four of her brothers and sisters. She is survived by her husband of more than 25 years, Robert Johnson, son Carlos Gurule (Pamela) of El Rito NM, daughter Elizabeth Gurule of Albuquerque NM, and daughter Loretta Gurule of Alamosa CO, six brothers and sisters, and many grandchildren, great grandchildren, and other loving family members.

Cremation was chosen. Family and friends are invited to a Celebration of Eileen's life to be held on Friday, August 15 at 11:00am at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 300 Richardson Avenue, Alamosa CO. A

light lunch will be served following the service.

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

Tribute Wall

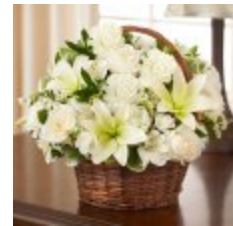
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“ Eileen helped raise all of us, so she was our wicked step mother. If you slammed the door to hard you started at 25 in and outs so you learned to not slam the doors . I will always cherish those memories. The good times of spending the night with her singing Puff the Magic Dragon and Christmas Carol's till the wee hours of the morning. As a teen I loved hanging out with her and her friends. She had so much respect from them. Then as we got older I would visit her at UNM and always got those strange looks from everyone because we looked so much alike. We had our adventures as we got older, so much fun and wonderful memories. I will hold them in my heart forever. We will always be sisters, no matter what. Rest in peace Eileen, you will be missed.

Carol S Gurule - August 12, 2025 at 11:40 PM

DJ

“ Dan and Sabrina Johnson purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White for the family of Eileen Johnson.



Dan and Sabrina Johnson - August 11, 2025 at 02:20 PM

AN

“ My Dear Eileen, I will hold you in my heart always, I've known you half my life and I have always admired and loved you. May your soul be at peace with our dear Lord. See you again in Gods house. Love to your family. ❤️🙏❤️

Ann - August 07, 2025 at 11:31 PM

LO

Hello Ann, I couldn't find any contact info for you, I wish I could of told you bcuz you meant a lot to my mommy and I'm sorry this is how you found out, but I love you as my mom did, thank you A

Loretta - August 09, 2025 at 05:19 AM

CC

“ *RIP Eileen
Aunt Charlotte*



Charlotte Chavez - August 05, 2025 at 09:15 PM

BS

“ *Brothers and sisters purchased the Pink and Cream Roses and Baby's Breath (Silk Cemetery Flowers) for the family of Eileen Johnson.*



Brothers and sisters - August 03, 2025 at 09:45 PM