



## Eligio "Lee" Madrid

November 28, 1927 - July 19, 2018

San Luis resident Eligio "Lee" Madrid, 90, passed away July 19, 2018 at his home under Hospice Care surrounded by his loving family. Eligio was born on November 28, 1927 in San Luis, Colorado, the beloved son of Juan D. Madrid and Cirila Gonzales Madrid. He was united in marriage to Cora Mae Ford on November 26, 1955. Eligio was an exceptional husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother, uncle, cousin and friend who was a member of the S.P.M.D.T.U, and a volunteer firefighter in San Luis. He was an avid Denver Broncos fan, and loved Colorado sports teams in general, being outdoors in the mountains, praying and spending time with his family and friends. He will be dearly missed.

Survivors include his daughters Gina (Jesse) Aragon of San Luis, CO; Donna (Alfredo) Hernandez of San Luis, CO; Lori Espinoza of San Luis, CO; sons John Madrid of San Luis, CO; Michael (Margaret) Madrid of Yelm, WA; Julio Madrid of San Luis, CO; 9 grandchildren Marissa O'Neal, Luis Madrid, Stacy Madrid, Angelina Espinoza, Julio Madrid Jr., Tomas Espinoza, MiAna Madrid, Katie Roybal, Randi Espinoza, 6 great-grandchildren, two sisters Inez (Felix) Barela Wilma Lovato. He is also survived by many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Eligio was preceded in death by his parents Juan and Cirila Madrid, wife Cora Mae Madrid, son Edward James Madrid, brothers Ernest Madrid, Julio Madrid and one sister Gloria Belmontez.

A Vigil Service with Recitation of the Rosary will be held on Wednesday, July

25, 2018 at 7:30 PM at Sangre De Cristo Catholic Church in San Luis. A Mass of the Resurrection will be held on Thursday, July 26, 2018 at 10:00 AM also at Sangre De Cristo Church. Interment will follow at the Sangre De Cristo Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

**Sangre De Cristo Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### **Rosary**

JUL **25**. 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM (MT)

Sangre de Cristo Catholic Church  
511 S Church Pl  
San Luis, CO 81152  
(719) 992-0122

### **Service**

JUL **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Eligio "Lee" Madrid*

January 29, 2023 at 07:44 AM



“ *EA purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Eligio "Lee" Madrid.*



EA - July 25, 2018 at 10:36 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Eligio "Lee" Madrid.*



July 24, 2018 at 05:38 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Eligio "Lee" Madrid.*



July 24, 2018 at 10:43 AM



“ My favorite memory of my Uncle Lee is a summer when I was 11 and they had a chicken coop in the yard. I saw several baby chicks and I wanted to hold one. I went into the coop and a rooster came out of nowhere claws up striking me. I started screaming and my Uncle Lee came into the coop and took hold of the rooster and lead me out of the coop. He said "Jita what were you doing?" I said I just wanted to hold a chick. Uncle Lee said, "Jita you don't go into the coop when the rooster is loose." I was the dumb city kid who came to visit every summer. I love you Uncle Lee, give my son a hug and a kiss for me.

*Claudine*

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**Claudine Sanchez** - July 22, 2018 at 05:07 PM