



Felix D. Valdez Jr.

July 9, 1940 - August 24, 2019

La Jara resident Felix D. Valdez Jr. departed this world on August 24, 2019 at his home. Born on July 9, 1940 in Alamosa, CO, the beloved son of Felix Valdez Sr. and Candelaria M. Chavez Valdez. Felix was a veteran and served in the United States Army. After his completion in the army, he was united in marriage to Catherine M. Chavez on March 1, 1969. The two shared a long and loving union until his passing having just celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. A loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, cousin and friend, Felix enjoyed fishing, handball, going camping, traveling and spending time with his family. He was an avid Colorado Rockies fan and was a member of the American Legion. He will be dearly missed. He will live on through his wife Catherine Valdez of LaJara, CO; son Matthew Valdez of Ft. Collins, CO; daughters Julia (Christopher) Cartellone of Frederick, CO, Maria Elisa Valdez of Colorado Springs, CO; Stephanie (Juan Chamocho) Valdez of Columbus, OH; grandchildren Kaylyn Cartellone, Sonya Cartellone, Nathan Cartellone, sister Consuelo (Larry) King of Seattle, WA; brothers Raymond (Darlena) Valdez and Joseph (Mary Jane) Valdez both of LaJara, CO. He is also survived by many beloved nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Felix was preceded in death by his parents Felix Valdez Sr. and Candelaria Valdez.

A Vigil Service with Recitation of the Rosary will be held on Friday, August 30, 2019 at 7:00pm at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Capulin. A Mass of the Resurrection will be held on Saturday, August 31, 2019 at 10:00am also at St.

Joseph Catholic Church in Capulin, Internment will follow at the Capulin Cemetery will full military honors.

Cemetery Details

Capulin Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Felix D. Valdez Jr.*

January 29, 2023 at 07:44 AM



“ *We were so sorry to hear of Felix' passing. He was a fine man. He will be greatly missed and fondly remembered. - George and Liz Ortiz*

George and Liz Ortiz - August 29, 2019 at 07:45 PM



*We appreciate your kind words very much.
-Family of Felix Valdez*

Stephanie Valdez - August 30, 2019 at 07:16 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Felix D. Valdez Jr..*



August 29, 2019 at 02:50 PM



“ *Mary & Sandy White and family purchased the Simply Lily for the family of Felix D. Valdez Jr..*



Mary & Sandy White and family - August 29, 2019 at 10:46 AM

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“ *Kathy and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Felix was an amazing man and did so much for the community. Kathy, you were an awesome caretaker. You truly set an example for all of us. He will be missed....Love, Lynette*

Lynette De Priest - August 28, 2019 at 11:21 PM

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*We appreciate your kind words very much.
-Family of Felix Valdez*

Stephanie Valdez - August 30, 2019 at 07:16 AM

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“ *We've been blessed to be Felix and Catherine's friends for about 40 years. In their kindness, they folded our family into theirs. I cherish the memory of Felix's keen sense of humor and his acute observations that were definitely politically incorrect. To his family and those others who, like us, loved Felix we offer our heart-felt condolences for their loss. Felix, we know, is in the company of his Lord and will be there to welcome us all with his wry smile and gruff, "What took you so long?" Sandy & Mary White*

Sandy White - August 28, 2019 at 04:09 PM

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Your friendship has meant the world to our family and especially my parents. Thank you so much for making him so happy when you attended their anniversary celebration. We are so grateful to you both!

Stephanie Valdez - August 30, 2019 at 07:17 AM

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“ *Trang and the Nguyen Family purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Felix D. Valdez Jr..*



Trang and the Nguyen Family - August 28, 2019 at 12:30 PM

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“ *ZOLL purchased the White Mixed Fireside Basket for the family of Felix D. Valdez Jr..*



ZOLL - August 28, 2019 at 12:17 PM