



Jose Ramon Armijo

September 12, 2014

(Known as RAY by family and JOE by co-workers)

Age 76, beloved husband, father, grandfather and brother, died peacefully and went home to our Lord on Friday, September 12, 2014. He was the loving husband to his wife of 44 years, Nora Armijo; loving father of two daughters, Cathy Orten and husband, Alex of Anchorage, AK and Cynthia Armijo and husband, Shawn Fink of Albuquerque, NM; and loving grandfather of five grandchildren, Ryan and Jacob of Anchorage and Cesar, Ava and Winter of Albuquerque. He is also survived by his step-grandson, Radik, of Denver; two sisters, Ruby Padilla and husband, Aris of Albuquerque and Dolores Boughner and husband, John of Denver, CO; four sisters-in-law, Josie Garcia of Albuquerque, Hilda Armijo of San Diego, CA, Maggie Delgado and Eva Tafoya; brothers-in-law, Joe Eloy Esquibel and Leo Tafoya; cousins, nieces and nephews, and many friends. Ray was preceded in death by his father, Pedro Armijo; mother, Sarah Montoya, brothers, Robert Armijo and Chris Garcia. Ray retired from the U.S. Post Office 25 years ago after 30 years of service as a letter carrier and mail clerk. He was proud to serve his country as a U.S. Navy sailor on the USS Bennington. Ray is known for his love of golf; meticulous care of home, yard and vehicles; hilarious sense of humor (Rayisms); passion for discussing current newsworthy events; his "Big Red" pickup; crab leg buffets as often as possible; and sharing his love of travel with his wife. He will be greatly missed by his loving family and by those many hearts he touched but we know that he will enjoy the golf courses in Heaven

with his brothers. Services will be held Friday, September 19, 2014, 11:00 a.m., at FRENCH – Wyoming. Interment will take place at Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

FRENCH – Wyoming
7121 Wyoming Blvd. NE
(505) 823-9400

Cemetery Details

Gate of Heaven Cemetery

7999 Wyoming Blvd. NE
Albuquerque, NM

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **19**. 11:00 AM (MT)

FRENCH Funerals - Cremations (Wyoming)
7121 Wyoming Blvd NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109
(505) 823-9400
<https://www.FrenchFunerals.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our deepest condolences. We will keep you in our prayers. GOD bless you and your family.*

Lewis and Virginia

Lewis Sisneros - September 19, 2014 at 11:09 AM

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“ *Ray was such a funny guy. He loved to laugh (I can still hear it) and make others laugh -- and we still laugh thinking of all the funny things he said in his unique way. He was so proud of his wonderful family and told great stories about their many successes. The amazing love they all share for each other is inspiring. Your legacy lives on.*

Lynne Felix - September 18, 2014 at 11:01 AM

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“ *On behalf of the French Family of Companies, we express our deepest condolences.*

Luke Rogers - September 17, 2014 at 11:01 AM