



Pauline A. Barker

April 8, 1947 - September 4, 2014

Pauline A. Barker, born April 8, 1947, passed September 4, 2014. Rosary will be Monday, September 8, 2014, at 1:30 p.m. with Mass following at 2:00 p.m. at St Teresa of Avila Catholic Church, 500 W High St, Grants, NM 87020. Interment will follow at Grants Memorial Park Cemetery, Grants, NM. Pauline worked for the Grants Cibola County Schools for 42 years. She started out as a cook at Bluewater Elementary School. Working her way up she retired as the Food Nutrition Coordinator. Her life was always making sure the little munchkins of the community had food to eat. She always worried that the breakfast and lunch they got from school, were all they got. She was always concerned of what the children had to eat at night and on the weekends when they weren't at school. If she could have taken everyone home to her house to eat, she would have. She always cooked, like it was a holiday. Pauline's life was her family. Each and every one of them meant something special to her. In her eyes there was nothing like having all the family together. She is survived by her son, Paul Barker, of Grants; daughters, Carree and husband, Robert Gonzales, of San Antonio, NM, Deanna and husband, Leroy Chavez, of Milan, and Barbie Barker, of Milan; 11 grandchildren, Paul Barker II, and companion, Monica Lopez, John Paul Gallegos, and companion, Jenifer Neito, Amanda, and husband, Samuel Gonzales, Camye Barker, and companion, Troy McDowell, Haylee, and husband Josh Chavez, Lee Chavez, Justen Barker, Tori Barker, Jared Barker, Kalyi Barker, and Lxnyq Barker; 5 ½ Great grandchildren, Julian Barker, Annalycia Barker, Tomie Barker, Jazlynn

Chavez, Mia Gonzales, Joshua Chavez, and one more baby girl on the way; her brother, Fred Lackey, and wife Marcie; her sister, Charolette Monette, and husband Charles; and many nephews, nieces, cousins; and friends. She is proceeded in death by her parents, Paul and Pauline Platter. Pallbearers are Paul Barker II, John Paul Galegos, Leroy Chavez, Lee Chavez, Samuel Gonzales, Justen Barker, Jared Barker, Julian Barker, and David Marsing. Honorary Pallbearers are her granddaughters. Please visit our online guestbook for Pauline at www.FrenchFunerals.com

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Cemetery Details

Grants Memorial Park

500 W. Roosevelt Ave.
Grants, NM 87020

Previous Events

Rosary and Mass

SEP 8. 1:30 PM (MT)

St. Teresa's Catholic Church
400 E. High St.
Grants, NM 87020

Tribute Wall

RM

“ To a dear friend I had unfortunately lost track of. You had been on my mind and in a recent dream. You, Cookie, Elaine and I had just gotten back from a workshop - all full of ideas - but not near enough money to fund them. We all did what we could, and you certainly have earned your eternal reward. Rest in peace - and many prayers for you and your family.

Rita McCunniff, Gallup, NM

Rita McCunniff - September 10, 2014 at 07:33 PM

PR

“ *Pauline's Family*

So sorry to hear about your Mom and Grandmother. She was a great friend and I am so glad I got to work with her and know her all the years we both worked in nutrition programs. I just heard about her death today and am so sorry I was not able to be at her services. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. I hope that the wonderful memories you have of you Mom bring you some comfort in this time of sorrow. She did a lot for her family, friends and children of New Mexico. She will be greatly missed. God bless all of you.

Pauline Raia

Pauline Raia - September 09, 2014 at 09:40 AM

JA

“ To all the family of Pauline. So sorry to hear about Pauline. She was a wonderful person and her light will shine on. I'm sure you have many memories to get you through these hard times. Keep those great memories alive sharing them with your children and grandchildren. God Bless you all.
Janet, Belen Schools

janet - September 09, 2014 at 09:19 AM

JG

“ Deanna and family, So sorry to hear about Pauline. We had many good times together and she was truly a kind and gentle person. I can see her face behind the desk saying, "Hi Toots, have a seat". I cared for her a lot and will truly miss her.
Jackie Gilman

Jackie Gilman - September 07, 2014 at 11:32 AM

TI

“ Dear Family and Friends,

I'm sorry for your loss. I just wanted to leave you with an encouraging scripture that has helped me deal with the loss of a loved one. It is found in the Bible Book of Romans 6:23 and it reads, "For the wages sin pays is death, but the gift God gives is everlasting life by Christ Jesus our Lord."

For more encouraging scriptures please visit JW.ORG.

tina - September 07, 2014 at 09:24 AM