



Bertha Marie Cabrera

March 18, 1930 - February 2, 2024

Bertha Marie Cabrera of Fort Collins, CO passed away quietly on February 2, 2024 after a short illness.

Bertha was born on March 18, 1930 to Tobias and Mary Antonia Vigil in Wellington, CO.

Bertha is survived by her children Patricia Vigil of Granby, CO. Andrew Vigil (Dora) of Fort Collins, Paula Cardona of Greeley, CO., Steven Cabrera (Oralia) of Fort Collins, Sally Mendiola (James) of Westminster, CO, and Rebecca Salazar (Phil) also of Westminster, CO, 22 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son Daniel Vigil, her parents Tobias and Mary, brothers Archie, Edward, and Pete, sisters Eva, Sadie, Julia and Mary Ellen, she is the last of her generation.

Bertha grew up in the Wellington and Bellvue areas before settling in Fort Collins. She received her cosmetology certificate from Bernal's Hair Salon and later for 30 years worked at Teleydne Water Pick where she joined the Colorado Women's Bowling Association and in 1983 was part of the Championship Tournament team; in her days she bowled 2 300 pin games. She is a member of the American Legion Unit 4 in LaPorte, CO. And a lifetime

member of the Fort Collins Auxillary 1781 VFW.

Her favorite pastimes were spent playing Bingo and Pickles with her friends, watching the Colorado Rockies her favorite team and no one dared say anything against them. She enjoyed watching game shows, the Vigil Family Reunion, mostly anytime spent with the family and friends was the best part of her days.

The family would like to give special thanks to Pathways Hospice for their care of her; Jana, Helene, and Sierra we couldn't have done it without you. Also to the Gallegos cousins who continuously provided food on a regular basis. To all those who kept us and her in prayer, made phone calls and spent hours sharing memories and laughter. To her niece and granddaughter who came to watch her when we were called away.

A rosary will begin at 9:30 am, Friday, February 9, 2024 with the funeral mass to begin at 10 am at Holy Family Catholic Church with interment to follow at Grandview Cemetery.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

FEB 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Holy Family Catholic Church
326 N. Whitcomb
Fort Collins, CO 80521

Tribute Wall

AC

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AM Cardona - February 18, 2024 at 09:07 PM

LD

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of Bertha. I remember her from years ago at Water Pik. I worked in Human Resources then, and she worked in the factory. Then I knew her thru her son Andy and his wife Dora. He worked with me at Poudre Fire Authority. She came in to visit him often and what a delightful lady she was! I believe she was a saint! My condolences to the family. She had a long and wonderful life. Love and peace to all of you. ❤️

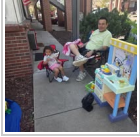
Linda Deane - February 10, 2024 at 10:21 PM

GV

“ ❤️❤️❤️❤️ my great grandmother



Gianna vigil - February 08, 2024 at 07:58 PM



“ *Gonna miss you Grandma*



Juan Salas - February 08, 2024 at 04:55 PM



“ *Deepest condolences to Becky and family.* 🙏
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Laura Sisneros - February 07, 2024 at 08:46 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Antonia Maria Cardona - February 07, 2024 at 01:28 PM



“ *Juan Madrid-Garza lit a candle in memory of Bertha Marie Cabrera*



Juan Madrid-Garza - February 05, 2024 at 04:03 PM

JS

“ *She loved having visitors and being with her family!*



Johnette Salas - February 05, 2024 at 09:58 AM

SS

“ *Grandma Bertie, as we know her too, was very special person. She always treated us Salas' as if we were her own. She was a great cook, loved her home made tortillas. She will be greatly missed. Rest in Peace Grandma Bertie, and may the perpetual light shine upon you. I send my love and condolences to all the family. Love always, Sonia Salas*



Sonia Salas - February 04, 2024 at 12:21 PM

RS

Birdie was such a good person- made the best menudo ever! We enjoyed sharing stories and laughing quite a bit. Bertie will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of her familia. 🙏

Rich Salas - February 04, 2024 at 07:41 PM

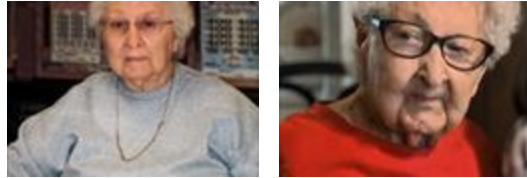


My condolences to the family, friends and loved ones for your loss. My prayers are with you.

Rose Weng - February 08, 2024 at 06:29 PM

AC

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Antonia Maria Cardona - February 04, 2024 at 11:56 AM

LZ

In Loving Memory, an Angel has gone home. Heaven Needed a Angel to watch over those who Loveed her. Lydia Zamudio

Lydia Zamudio - February 04, 2024 at 11:41 PM

JC

“ *Juliet Chavez lit a candle in memory of Bertha Marie Cabrera*



Juliet Chavez - February 04, 2024 at 11:48 AM