



Roberta Cortez

April 19, 1966 - May 15, 2011

In loving memory of Roberta Cortez who was born April 19, 1966 in Denver, Colorado and went to be with her Lord on May 15, 2011 at her home in Ft. Collins, Colorado. She is the loving wife of Richard Mercado; mother to Jessica Cortez, Samantha, Richard Jr., and Vanessa Mercado; and grandmother to Emily, Trynitee, and Sylas. Above all, Roberta lived for her family and friends. She enjoyed movies, music, watching her Broncos, card and computer games, crochet, quilting, reading, cooking and bingo. Roberta could light up the room with her smile, cheer a house with her laugh, and gave a lasting impression to all she met. Truly, the world is less bright in the hearts of those who knew her. Roberta is survived by her parents, Jesus Richard and Betty Cortez of Pueblo, Colorado, brother, Richard Cortez of Pueblo, twin brother, Robert Yolanda Cortez of Loveland, brothers, Steve Francine Cortez of Pueblo, Ray Bobbie Jo Cortez of Pueblo, and Eddie Natalie Cortez of Pueblo, her grandmother Dora Lopez of Denver, 30 nieces and nephews, and 16 great nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her grandparents, Jesus and Consuelo Cortez, grandfather, Lee M. Lopez and her brother-in-law, Theodore Mercado. Roberta will forever live on in our hearts and memories. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Roberta Cortez Memorial Fund in care of Bohlender Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive, Fort Collins, Colorado 80524. Those who wish may view Roberta from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday and from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. on Monday at Bohlender Funeral Chapel. A Rosary will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Monday at Bohlender

Funeral Chapel. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Grandview Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

MM

“ I am sorry to hear about Roberta, I didn't know until a few days ago. My heart goes out to your kids and you for your lose. She will always be with you though when your kids smile and look at their eyes she'll be with you. with love your friend Mary.

Mary Maldonado - May 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ I was shocked to hear of cousin Roberta's passing. We had lost touch through the years , but she was never forgotten by me. After reading her obituary I was heartbroken to see that she seemed to have a beatiful family and life. I'm sure she will be greatly missed, but I'm also sure she has entered the heavenly gates of our Lord , Jesus Christ.

Mike Montoya and family - May 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ May the love of family and friends comfort and strengthen you in the days ahead. God Bless You.

Theresa Fresquez - May 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ With a great heavy heart sending our love for my brother Richie, my nieces, nephew, and great nieces and nephew. We will miss Berta so much!! She had a wonderful smile that lit up a room and could always make you laugh. We have wonderful memories and she will live on in all the people she touched in the short time God graced us with her presence here. We love you all and will be here to lend strength, cry, laugh, smile and remember all the memories. Until we meet again Berta....We love you sister.

Bivian & Anna-Lee Mercado - May 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ We were so saddened by the passing of our beloved niece Roberta. Our Condolences to the family. Our Lord has called you home, may you rest in peace. will always love you. Aunt Jo & uncle Pete

Mr.& Mrs Pete Villagrana - May 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ My eyes filled up with tears to hear the news of your passing. I know my brother and mama Chello were waiting with open arms ready to embrace you as you entered home. My beloved cousin may you rest in peace.

Annette Everett Villagrana - May 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I was so saddened by the news of Berta's passing. She was a bright light in our lives. She worked with me at Holcim and she always had a smile, a good laugh to share, kindness enough to pass around to all she met. I loved to tease her about being such a big Barry Manilow fan! She loved her husband, children and grandchildren dearly. My condolences to the family for their great loss. Lou Montoya

Lou Montoya - May 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ My family would like to express our condolences for the loss of Roberta. She was a very kind and loving person. Rob is our Brother in law and we got to know her when she would visit him. The heavens now has a new shining star.

Milo Ramirez and Family - May 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM