



Bob Rios

August 12, 1962 - October 10, 2020

Bob Rios of Willcox passed away on October 10, 2020 at the age of 58. He was born in Safford on August 12, 1962 to John A. and Dolores Alvarado Rios. Bob was a Willcox High School graduate and served honorably in the United States Marines. He was a auto mechanic, loved rattle snake hunting and was a jack of all trades. He is survived by his children; Angela (Cilbano) Cerbentez of San Antonio, Texas, Nate (Kristen) Rios of Morenci, Elizabeth Rios of Texas and Christa (Christian) Delgado of Yuma along with 19 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Bob's surviving siblings are: Kate Rios of Payson, Johnny (Corina) Rios of Tucson, Georgia (Manuel) Perea, Marvin (Claudia) Rios ,Diane (Lee) Thomas, Nanci (Fred) Abalos, Gabriel (Lee) Rios all of Safford, Marie Bernadette (Keith) Fabian of Willcox and Michael Rios of Safford. He was preceded in death by his parents, a grandson Austin, a brother Joseph and his sister Priscilla. A Rosary will be offered 9:30 a.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020 at Westlawn Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 11:00 a.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Willcox. Burial will follow in the Safford Union Cemetery

Cemetery Details

Safford Union Cemetery

574 W. Discovery Park
Safford, AZ 85546

Previous Events

Rosary

OCT 16. 9:30 AM (MT)

Westlawn Chapel & Mortuary Inc.
105 S Arizona Avenue
Willcox, AZ 85643
(520) 384-2413
westwx@vtc.net
<https://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT 16. 11:00 AM (MT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
215 W. Maley
Willcox, AZ 85643

Tribute Wall



“ *Bob Rios*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *I LOVE YOU BOBBY RIOS - KNOW THAT! You are a blessing in my life and I hate that I was not able to contact you in 2020. I had for so long been looking forward to catching up with you and being happy in your company. I think of you often and love each and every hour I was in your company. I am heartbroken to hear of your passing. I will love and remember you always, my good friend. You are one of the Golden Ones and I am one of the many who was so blessed to know you and who will miss you for the rest of our days. God gave me you to grow up with, and ever since I met you you have been in my heart - and you always will be. I thank God for bringing you into my life. It hurts like hell that I will not be able to see you again in this life - and it will be a glorious reunion when I see you again! Know you are in my heart, and often on my mind. And know I am happy when I think of you and the times I had with you. You will stay with me, Bobby Rios, as you have for the past 48 years or so. Kisses and hugs friend...*

Kim Jordan - August 17, 2021 at 01:41 AM



“ *Red, White & Blue Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Bob Rios.*



October 15, 2020 at 01:59 PM

LS

“ Memories 💜 I have so many ! My best of you when we used to walk to circle k and get soda and dance in the street what great times you smile your laughter and jokes I will miss deeply! Our phone calls this past year were wonder being in touch talking about old times memories I will cherish forever in my heart ! Rest In piece my Marine !!! Love you my friend 💜💜



Lorena lane (sigman) - October 14, 2020 at 12:44 PM

BR

“ I haven't seen Bobby In Years . Will always remember Bobby smiling and Happy Teenager as we spent a lot of time riding Bicycles all over Safford ! Will miss your post on Facebook Rest easy Now Marine

Brenda - October 14, 2020 at 09:06 AM

RO

“ Ron & Maria Olivaz lit a candle in memory of Bob Rios



Ron & Maria Olivaz - October 13, 2020 at 03:08 PM

NV

“ My sincerest condolences to the Rios family. Bob was an amazing friend he was always willing to help when he could. Rest in perfect peace Bob!
Bobby, Nikki and family.

Nikki Villalba-Young - October 12, 2020 at 12:32 PM

MC

“ To Bobby's family, especially Nancy, I am so very sorry for your loss. Bobby was my jr high boyfriend. He was always smiling and has always treated me like gold. We hot back in touch in the last 10 years and have stayed in touch, and I am so.glad we did. I will miss him terribly and Heaven is getting the best Angel ever. Fly high with the Angel's, my friend, throw down a feather every once in a while so I know it's you. Thanks for your lifelong friendship. I will cherish it always.

Mindy Curtis - October 12, 2020 at 07:39 AM

MC

“ Mindy Curtis lit a candle in memory of Bob Rios



Mindy Curtis - October 12, 2020 at 07:33 AM



“ And I would like to think the real family for always making us feel accepted and feeling like family so many good memories with you guys you guys never ever made us feel not family

Nessa Campos Ruyle - October 11, 2020 at 10:23 PM



“ So many memories too many to pick out my favorite I just know we're always laughing and music was always a big part of everything he did
I love you Bob.

Nessa Campos Ruyle - October 11, 2020 at 10:22 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Bob Rios.*



October 11, 2020 at 09:46 PM



“ *Terrie Alvarado Bice lit a candle in memory of Bob Rios*



Terrie Alvarado Bice - October 11, 2020 at 07:52 PM