



## Leonor Castro de Arroyo

October 13, 1944 - March 7, 2024

Leonor Castro de Arroyo, 79, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on March 7, 2024, in her home in Tucson, Arizona. She was born on October 13, 1944, in Tijuana, Mexico to Herlindo Castro Green and Agueda Macias Machado.

Humor. Lightning speed wit. Unadulterated honesty. Caring. An indomitable sense of fairness. And unconditional love. Anyone who met Leonor would agree these traits best described her. Known for endless stories and phrases, chief among them was her trademark life philosophy: "Laughter is life. And we have to live". Leonor understood our need for laughter, as well as the importance of a positive outlook on life. Everyone who knew her will have their own memorable moments they shared with Doña Leonor, La Tata, Tia, Mom, or Abuela. We are all heartbroken we no longer will be able to enjoy her humor, or heart to heart conversations. Yet, sadness and pain are instantly soothed in the echo of her voice, laughter, and in the memory of her wise reminders to not wallow in pain or suffering. Life was already too short and difficult to choose staying sad and bitter. Living up to her always youthful attitude will be the best way to honor Leonor's memory. Leonor is survived by her husband Alejandro Arroyo, six children, eight grandchildren, and eight great grandchildren.

Rosary, wake, and celebration of life program will be held at 6:00 pm on Thursday, March 14, 2024, at Westlawn Chapel. Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at Noon on Friday, March 15, 2024, at Sacred Heart Catholic

Church in Willcox, Arizona. Burial will follow in Sunset Cemetery, in Willcox, Arizona.

Topic: Leonor Castro de Arroyo

Time: Mar 14, 2024 05:00 PM Arizona

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82278334483?pwd=Qk12cm1QRmVOdXN1MnJhdkhDaTBRZz09>

Meeting ID: 822 7833 4483

Passcode: 992482

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Cemetery

N. Sunset Strip Road  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Previous Events

## Rosary

MAR 14. 6:00 PM (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

MAR 15. 12:00 PM (MT)

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

# Tribute Wall

CD

“ Carol Dickson lit a candle in memory of Leonor Castro de Arroyo



Carol Dickson - March 13, 2024 at 10:22 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Leonor Castro de Arroyo.



March 13, 2024 at 06:50 PM



“ C purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Leonor Castro de Arroyo.



C - March 12, 2024 at 02:15 PM

JB

“ John and Roxanne Bayless planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Leonor Arroyo.

John and Roxanne Bayless - March 10, 2024 at 01:46 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Leonor Castro de Arroyo.*



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March 10, 2024 at 01:46 PM



“ *Gus Rita Morales sent a virtual gift in memory of Leonor Arroyo*

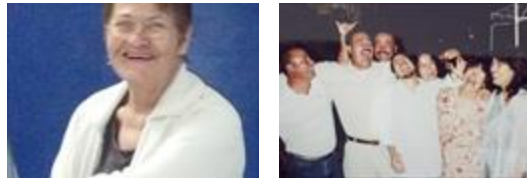


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**Gus & Rita Morales** - March 09, 2024 at 12:52 AM



“ *2 files added to the album Always in my heart.*



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**Esmeralda** - March 07, 2024 at 06:15 PM