



Gloria Sgammato

January 22, 2020

Gloria Sgammato, age 50, of Surprise Arizona died on January 22nd, 2020 after a short battle with colon cancer. Gloria was born on June 21, 1969, to Abraham Cruz and Nilda Yulfo.

Gloria was a free spirit who loved life. Every day was an adventure to her and she loved to share that adventure with her family. The moment Gloria walked into a room her presence was instantly felt and everyone knew that it was going to be a good time.

Throughout her battle with cancer, Gloria was in high spirits. She never let her diagnosis come between her and the things she loved to do. During her hospital stays Gloria could be found in her room having dance parties with anyone who would join her; from family members, friends, nurses and even by herself. She even had makeover parties in her hospital room that she showed off on Facebook through numerous videos and photos. No matter how difficult her battle was Gloria kept her spirits high and enjoyed every moment she got with her family.

Gloria loved her family. She was very proud of her children and would boast about them any chance she got. Gloria was especially proud of her daughter Cristal who stood by her side and took care of her throughout her battle with cancer. Gloria and her sisters Sandi, Diana and Valerie were more than sisters

they were best friends. Sandi and Gloria had a special phrase they would say to each other whenever they said goodbye “I Love you to the moon and back, around the world and into space.”

She loved being a grandmother and spending time with her grandchildren. There were countless weekends that her grandkids spent with her, going to the park, watching movies, eating grandma’s amazing cooking, playing hide and seek, and many other fun things. Through all of the fun, Gloria instilled two things in the hearts of her grandchildren; always speak your mind and don’t allow anyone to treat you any less than you deserve.

Gloria is survived by her mother Nilda Rodriguez, Daughters Destiny and Cristal Rodriguez, sons Abraham and Justin Rodriguez, Sisters Sandra “Sandi” Santiago, Diana Cruz and Valerie Morales and six grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her grandparents, daughter Sandra Rodriguez and husband Frank Sgammato.

Tribute Wall

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“ Ugh where do I find the words.... It took me some time to write to you. As I'm typing, tears are coming down my eyes.. we did this for sandra, never thought I would have to do this for you so soon.. I'm having a really hard time understanding that you're gone. I'm in denial, you was the only one who actually understood me. Now I have to come out of my comfort zone of being an introvert and allow people to understand me.... I haven't came to the concept of believing that it's good to talk about you. In reality all I want to do is talk to you. Hear your voice one more time. I'm okay with where we left off with our relationship, I'm not okay with how you left.. it was too soon, to quick. Things will never be the same. I have a lot of questions that could never be answered.. why? Why you? Why so quick? I watched you with such energy to not even being able to talk. I'm traumatized. I have to convince myself that you're in a better place now, I know you're watching over me.. please protect me and help me with these hard days, I feel like I'm losing myself.. I'm lost.. I have no sense of direction anymore. I miss you, I love you... I wish I can take care of you just one more day! Take care mom, until we meet again 😭

Cristal - February 12, 2020 at 07:21 PM

TA

“ R.I.PARADISE GLORIA YOR COBALT FRIENDS GONNA MISS YOU. U ALWAYS HAD THE CAFETERIA LIT WEN YOU WALKED THREW CONTINUE TO SHINE BRIGHT LIKE 💎❤️

Tanika - February 05, 2020 at 07:56 PM

HY

“ I am at loss for words love knows no boundaries please know that you are in our Thoughts and prayers I was so sad to hear about Gloria passing my deepest condolences to the Family during this time. You have my deepest Sincerest Sympathy. I am praying for you during your time of loss

Henry Yulfo - February 05, 2020 at 11:54 AM

TF

“ The sudden passing of Gloria hit us like a storm. I truly remember our younger years we had together living in Puerto Rico. Your smile, laughter and the joy we had together growing up 😊 . The love grandmom and grandpop gave you was so beautiful 😭 . Now you have that and more in their presence. I will always miss that. You were specifically made for us all. You were vibrant and expressive that's who Our God made you to be. Thank you for your life . We miss you, so our heart is crack inside 💔 . To my sister your Mom, oh the pain of loosing your child is unthinkable, my prayers are with you for a comfort heart. Im daily praying for you 🙏 . To all my nieces, the lost of a sibling is painful and will never be forgotten. Prayers for you and your family for a trouble heart on this tough time. To Gloria children and grandchildren, the lost of a mother is very painful I know your heart has a hole in it. Mother day will never be the same. Special prayers for you all, I know it hurts 💔 . Lets remember the beauty of life and how God used it as His extended love towards us for one another. We love you Gloria, love Tio Frankie.

Tio Frank - February 05, 2020 at 10:20 AM

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“ Always loved forever missed. SIP Gogo but you're probably turning up and partying in heaven. Until we meet again. I miss you, your laugh, and your loudness 😊 Our memories will keep you in our hearts forever

Felix - February 05, 2020 at 10:01 AM

TF

“ My heart felt prayers to my family on the sudden passing of my niece. 🙏 To my sister, the pain of loosing a child is unthinkable. Special prayers for you. To all my nieces, the deep sadness and pain of loosing a sibling is a hole in the heart that will never be forgotten. My prayers for you all as well. To the children and grandchildren that pain is very deep. I FEEL FOR YOU, MAY GOD HELP YOU GET THROUGH EACH DAY OF YOUR LIFE. 😔🙏. SHE WILL ALWAYS BE TATTOO IN YOUR HEART FOREVER. With a heavy heart I feel the loss of Gogi. We lived with each other in Puerto Rico and we had special memories. The joy of a child I saw in you, the laughter was also witnessed. The fun we had in the beach and the love you received from grandmom and grandpa was so beautiful 😭. I will cherish that. Thank you God for Gloria, she was special to us all. Tio Loves you very much.. May the God of comfort, comfort us all in this tough painful time. GOD BLESS YOU ALL. Love you 😘.

Tio Frank - February 05, 2020 at 09:36 AM

AS

“ To my previous niece Gloria. I thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new. I thought about you yesterday and days before that too. I think of you in silence, I often speak your name. All I have are memories and your picture in a frame. Your memory is my keepsake with which I'll never part. God has you in His keeping, I have you in my heart. Rest In Peace. Your Aunt Anne

Anne Streeter - February 04, 2020 at 06:09 PM

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“ R.I.P My Beautiful Cousin 🙏 You Will Never Be Forgotten!!When You Entered a Room The party was Definitely Started.Your Bring So much Joy,Smiles,Laughter,Fun.Miss you So Very Much.😞 Love you🙏 Until we meet Again Cuz ❤️

Carlyn Mendez - February 04, 2020 at 06:08 PM

TC

“ Millie, Daughters, and Gloria's children. Please accept my heart felt condolences, words cannot begin to express the sadness you are all feeling right now. No one can prepare you for a loss; it comes like a swift wind. But take comfort in knowing that Gloria's now resting in the arms of our LORD.

Tio Carmelo - February 04, 2020 at 05:46 PM

BA

“ Titi, You were a light that will forever be missed. You knew how to turn a lame party into a fiesta, you were the fire to our family. I will miss your laugh, you calling me, your inspirational words. But I know I will always have your spirit and you left a piece of you in all your grandkids. Although you left this world so suddenly you are still a winner, just god needed you a bit sooner and one day we will understand why. SIP my beautiful titi forever in my heart, mind, and spirit.

Bambi - February 04, 2020 at 03:32 PM

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“ My beautiful daughter GLORIA I will always Love you and will miss you I'll see you again when is my time and will be together God bless you my darling daughter may you rest in peace love mama

NildaRodriguez - February 04, 2020 at 02:08 PM

VA

“ My beautiful Sister I love you so much and miss you so much. I will never forget you. You will always be in my heart. RIP my beautiful angel until we see each other again. Love you always your baby sister.

Valerie - February 04, 2020 at 01:20 PM

CM

“ RIP Gogi 💕 You will never be forgotten!! Such a fun, beautiful soul! I'll never forget how you dance & laugh! We send our sincere condolences ❤️💎💎💎💎

Carmen & Mike - February 04, 2020 at 12:05 PM

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“ My sister Gloria was an amazing sister. She used to make sure that I took care of myself even though she took care of me. I love her So much and I appreciate everything she did for me. I am going to miss her and I missing her so much. SIP. . Now you rest my beautiful sister. Thank you for all the love you gave me. I will see you again Sis until we meet again. My love, my best friend, my sister. ❤️❤️👼
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Diana - February 04, 2020 at 12:00 PM

SA

“ We love you sister n you will always be loved, missed n never forgotten. ❤️💋

Sandi - February 04, 2020 at 11:47 AM

KH

“ Please accept my sincere condolences. May you find peace and strength during this difficult time. It is an honor to serve your family.

Karle Henderson - February 03, 2020 at 02:54 PM