



Salvador Diaz Espinola

August 11, 1924 - September 27, 2021

Mr. Salvador Diaz Espinola passed away Monday, September 27, 2021 in Meridian, Idaho. He was born in San Francisco Del Rincon, Guanajuato, Mexico on Monday, August 11, 1924 to Gregorio and Antonia (Venegas) Aguilar. Salvador made his way to Montana and attended the Grant and Sacred Heart Schools here in Butte. On June 11, 1950 he and Cathy Garcia were united in marriage in Wallace, Idaho. He worked for the Anaconda Company for 30 years at several mines including the Belmont, Kelly and Mountain Con and later as a parts man. He retired from the Anaconda Company on January 1, 1984. He and Cathy were a devoted couple who worked side by side in their upholstery business in Butte for close to 40 years. She preceded him in death on October 20, 2012 after 62 years of marriage. He is preceded in death by his parents Gregorio and Antonia Aguilar and his sisters Josefina and Conseuelo. Mr. Espinola is survived by his children, Salvie and Jenny Espinola of Butte, Georgia Espinola of Washington, Miguel and Margaret Espinola of Meridian, Idaho and Ismael Espinola of Belgrade. Also surviving are his grandchildren, Justin and Jennifer Espinola, Trevor Espinola, great-grandchildren, Jason and Emily Espinola and his sister, Marina Bejarano of City of Commerce, California.

Due to increasing COVID-19 infections, private graveside funeral services will be conducted in Holy Cross Cemetery. A public celebration of his life will be conducted at a later date. Express condolences at www.wayrynen-richards.com.

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Cemetery

4700 Harrison Avenue
Butte, MT 59701

Tribute Wall

DR

“ So sorry to hear of Uncle Salvie’s passing but know he is dancing in heaven to be reunited with Aunt Cat. We the Arguello family have so many wonderful years of memories with the Espinoza family. Uncle Sal lived a long wonderful life and he was definitely one of a kind a wonderful man who was kind to everyone he came across. We’re going to miss him dearly. Prayers to Miguel and Ismael on your dads passing Love and blessings always
Debbie Ruiz (Arguello)

debbie ruiz - October 10, 2021 at 12:29 AM

DH

“ My condolences to Salvie and his entire family. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.
Dean Honey

Dean Honey - October 09, 2021 at 01:11 PM

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“ If there ever was a unlikely set of friends, it was Sal and Cathy Espinola ...and, Skip and Diane Snyder...but the friendship was pure and true. We were friends with Miquel and Izzy in Jr/high school ..and Skip had a professional relationship with Sal...but, somehow...sometime...the four of us became friends...enjoying each other’s company over several visits and meals. When Cathy passed we were so sad...we are sad to hear of Sals passing..but , so happy those two souls are reunited for eternity. Miguel and Izzy you were wonderful sons to your father... we know how the void will be deep in his loss..Izzy we are so happy we ran into you in Bozeman a couple weeks ago and so happy to know that Sal lived a healthy full life to the very end. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Skip and Diane

Diane Snyder - October 07, 2021 at 09:59 PM

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“ TO THE ESPINOLA FAMILY, YOU ARE ALL IN OUR PRAYERS,

FROM THE ACEBEDO FAMILY. HE IS NOW RESTING IN PEACE
WITH
THE LOVE OF HIS LIFE CATHERINE..

LEE ANN STEINBROOK(ACEBEDO) - October 07, 2021 at 06:08 PM