



Juan Daniel Maes

April 19, 2026

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FUNERAL SERVICE HAS BEEN POSTPONED. A family viewing will take place at 11AM on Saturday, May 23rd at Goes Funeral Care. Please contact Deb Gallegos for information on the reception to follow.

Juan Daniel Maes, 55, passed away on April 19, 2026. Born in Las Vegas, New Mexico in 1971, Juan spent his early years as a military child, living in many places and experiencing the world in a way that shaped his open heart and deep appreciation for people.

Juan was a man who left a mark on everyone who knew him. He carried both strength and gentleness in a way that made people feel safe, seen, and deeply cared for. He loved his family fiercely, and there was never a doubt that his children were the center of his world.

He had a gift for making people laugh and bringing light into any room he entered. Even in difficult seasons, he showed resilience and quiet courage, continuing to show up with love and a heart that never stopped giving. His presence, humor, and the way he cared for others will be remembered by all who knew him.

Juan was a devoted father, son, brother, and friend. He leaves behind a

legacy of love through his children—Sebastian, Alexia (Jon), Hezekiah, Alyssa, Elise, and Gabriela—and his cherished grandchildren—Aurora, Jonathan, and Azalaya. In them, his spirit continues to shine.

Juan is lovingly remembered by his mother, Dora Maes; his sister, Debbie Gallegos; his brother-in-law, Ed; and his beloved nieces and nephews—Sól, Samantha-Rei, Caleb, and Kiara—along with many extended family members and dear friends. He is reunited in peace with his father, Juan De Los Reyes Maes; his grandparents, Eligio Maes, and Pedro and Lillie Mares; and all his family members who have gone before him.

Though his passing was sudden and deeply painful, we find peace in knowing he is now at rest. He is no longer in pain and is fully in the presence of God.

Our family appreciates your prayers, love, and support during this time. In lieu of flowers, donations to help cover funeral expenses are deeply appreciated and can be made at Go Fund Me:

Juan Maes <https://gofund.me/65e32c64e>

Juan is deeply loved and will be profoundly missed. His life will continue to be remembered, honored, and carried forward in all of us.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 23. 11:00 AM (MT)

Goes Funeral Care & Crematory

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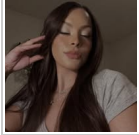
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Tribute Wall



“ *My dad was a fighter, a leader, a role model, and so much more than words could ever fully capture. He always put his kids first, no matter what, and made sure we were taken care of in every way he could. Even in his final days, when he had every reason to think about himself, he was still thinking of us—still making sure we were okay. That’s just who he was.*

This is something I was never prepared for. I’m not ready to say goodbye to him, not now, not ever. But what brings me a small sense of peace is knowing he is no longer in pain. He is free from the sickness that held him back. He can walk freely, see clearly, and feel whole again. After everything he went through, knowing he’s no longer suffering brings a kind of comfort I hold onto.

Life will never be the same without our dad. There will always be a space in our hearts that only he could fill. But because of him—because of the love he gave us—we will stay together. He showed us the importance of family, and that’s something that will live on through all of us.

One of the things I will always cherish most about my dad is that he never left his family behind. He was always there, always present, always loving. I will carry that with me for the rest of my life.

I will forever love and miss him. And because of the example he set, I will strive to be the best mother I can be—because he showed me that no matter what life brings, your children always come first.



Alexia Maes - May 05 at 01:38 AM