



Rocio Paulina Munoz

June 29, 1979 - January 19, 2019

Rocio Paulina Munoz, age 39, passed away on Saturday, January 19, 2019, at Kaweah Delta Medical Center in Visalia, CA. Rocio was born on June 29, 1979, in Guadalajara Mexico, and grew up in Ivanhoe and Woodlake, CA. She graduated from Woodlake Union High School where she was involved in various academic and extracurricular activities and played volleyball, basketball, softball, and soccer. Rocio went on to study biopsychology at the University of California, Santa Barbara. After attaining her bachelor's degree in 2002, Rocio then returned to the valley and worked as a health educator at Family HealthCare Network(FHCN) in Visalia, where she was inspired to become a physician assistant. Rocio attended Touro University in Vallejo, CA, where she graduated with a master's degree in both physician assistant studies and public health. She then came back to the Valley to work at FHCN as a physician assistant, working primarily in Woodlake. She also served as a mentor to others interested in the medical field.

Rocio will be remembered for her sincere kindness, giving nature, fun spirit, and immense love for family and friends, and for her passion of serving her community. She is survived by her sons, Andres and Lucas Persell; mother and father Maria and Alfonso Munoz; sister, Alicia Gordon; brothers, Oscar and Gerardo Munoz; nephews, William and Aiden Gordon and Christopher Munoz; grandparents Consuelo and Guadalupe Munoz; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. Rocio was preceded in death by her grandparents Desideria and Eusebio Gomez.

Prayer and viewing services are scheduled for Sunday, January 27, 2019 at Salser and Dillard Funeral Chapel (127 E. Caldwell Ave, in Visalia), starting at 4pm with Rosary at 6pm. Mass will be held on Monday, January 28, at St. Francis Cabrini Catholic Church (199 N Pepper St, Woodlake) at 9am with burial to follow.

"Out of my distress I called on the Lord; the Lord answered me and set me free."

Rocio Paulina Munoz, 39 anos de edad, fallecio el Sabado 19 de Enero 2019 en el hospital Kaweah Delta Medical Center en Visalia, CA. Rocio nacio el 29 de Junio del 1979 en Guadalajara Mexico, y crecio en Ivanhoe y Woodlake CA. Ella se graduo de la secundaria en Woodlake donde estaba involucrada en varias actividades y actividades extra curricular, participo en los equipos de basquetbol, softball, y futbol. Rocio decidio estudiar biosociologia en la Universidad de California en Santa Barbara. Despues de haber recibido su licenciatura en el 2002, Rocio regreso al valle y trabajo como una educadora de salud en Family HealthCare Network (FHCN) en Visalia, donde fue inspirada a continuar su educacion como asistente medico. Rocio continuo su educacion en la Universidad de Touro en Vallejo, CA donde se graduo con dos maestrias una como asistente medico y la otra en salud publica. Despues ella se regreso a trabajar al valle con la organizacion de FHCN como asistente medico trabajando principalmente en Woodlake. Ella tambien sirvio como mentora a otras personas interesadas en ser medico.

Rocio sera recordada por su amabilidad sincera, ser generosa a dar, espiritu divertido e inmenso amor para la familia y los amigos y por su pasion a servir su comunidad. Le sobreviven sus hijos Andres y Lucas Persell; su mama y papa Maria y Alfonso Munoz; hermana, Alicia Gordon; hermanos Oscar y Gerardo Munoz; sobrinos, William y Aiden Gordon y Christopher Munoz; Abuelos; Consuelo y Guadalupe Munoz; y varias tias, tios, primos y amigos. Rocio fue precedida en la muerte por sus abuelos Desideria y Eusebio

Gomez.

Los servicios de velacion y Rosario seran el Domingo 27 de Enero, 2019 en Salser and Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave, en Visalia, comenzando a las 4pm con Rosario a las 6pm. Misa sera el Lunes 28 de Enero, en St. Francis Cabrini Catholic Church, 199 N. Pepper st. Woodlake a las 9am con funeral a seguir.

"De mi angustia llame al Senor; el Senor me respondio y me libero".

Cemetery Details

Woodlake Public Cemetery

165 N. Cypress St.
Woodlake, CA 93286

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Rosary

JAN 27. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Funeral Mass

JAN 28. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (PT)

St. Frances Cabrini
199 N Pepper St
Woodlake, CA 93286

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - January 27, 2019 at 08:30 PM



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - January 27, 2019 at 08:30 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Rocio Paulina Munoz.*



January 26, 2019 at 10:30 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rocio Paulina Munoz.*



January 26, 2019 at 07:08 PM



“ *Estela Loza lit a candle in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Estela Loza - January 26, 2019 at 06:30 PM



“ *She was such a beautiful soul and I will forever thank her for all I learned from her To all the laughs we shared my prayers and Condolences to her family.*

yvonne - January 26, 2019 at 11:13 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Rocio Paulina Munoz.*



January 26, 2019 at 12:47 AM

CG

“ *Carmen C. Galvan lit a candle in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Carmen C. Galvan - January 25, 2019 at 12:30 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Rocio Paulina Munoz.*



January 25, 2019 at 11:11 AM

CM

“ *Family Madriz-Loza*



cristina madriz - January 24, 2019 at 08:01 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rocio Paulina Munoz.*



January 24, 2019 at 07:55 PM

NG

“ *Nubia Gonzalez sent a virtual gift in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Nubia Gonzalez - January 24, 2019 at 06:15 PM

CM

“ *Carina Munoz lit a candle in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Carina Munoz - January 24, 2019 at 03:15 PM

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“ *ATSU Class of 2015:Cristina,Jarrold,Adrienne&Teresa purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Rocio Paulina Munoz.*



ATSU Class of 2015:Cristina,Jarrold,Adrienne&Teresa -
January 23, 2019 at 05:41 PM

RL

“ *Rogelia De Loza lit a candle in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Rogelia De Loza - January 23, 2019 at 04:10 PM



“ *Lola De Loza lit a candle in memory of Rocio Paulina Munoz*



Lola De Loza - January 23, 2019 at 04:01 PM



“ *I will for ever cherish the advice you would give me in our long conversations. You will be deeply missed and remember.*

Gutierrez Eva - January 22, 2019 at 11:27 PM