



Rose Mary Komar

October 24, 1961 - August 23, 2025

Name: Rose Navarro Komar Date of Birth: October 24, 1961
Birth Place: Tulare, California Passed away: August 23, 2025
Place of Death: Visalia, California Age: 63

Rose Komar, 63 of Visalia, California, passed away on August 23rd 2025, after a long courageous battle with cancer for nearly three years. It is important to realize, even champions need to rest. She was born in Tulare, California to Homer and Dolores Navarro. She was the third child out six children. Always the responsible and reliable middle child.

She grew up in Farmersville, California surrounded by her close knit family. She attended schools there and participated in sports. She graduated from Exeter High School in 1980. After graduation she decided to join the United States Navy, there she became a Dental Assistant and later worked security. She returned home in the 1990's and started her dental career in Tulare, California which continued to 2024. She met her current husband Sebastian Komar in 2001 and married him on August 25th 2005. In 2025 she focused more on her battle with cancer.

As a person Rose was truly special and wonderful, it is not uncommon to hear people say, "everyone likes Rose". More recently her nurses would always tell

her, "she is their favorite". They say it is not easy to find the right words to honor someone you love deeply! However, in Rose's case, it is easy because she was great person and you have so much to work with, she has touched so many lives, she was the kindest person, and was always doing something for someone else. From sending care packages to the soldiers in Iraq, to taking a widowed patient out to lunch, or passing out water and sandwiches to people on the street during summer. She is always doing something. In regards to family she was like a second mother to her nephews and nieces, there were softball games, camp outs, beach outings, BBQ's, movie nights and especially Halloween Parties. Not to forget Birthday's and graduation.

She is survived by her husband Sebastian Komar, her parents Homer and Dolores Navarro, brother Rosendo (Margaret), sisters Monica (Jack), Elisa, Judy (Larry), Marty (Duke), and numerous cousins, nephews, and nieces.

There will be a celebration of life on her birthday, 10/24/2025 at the Veterans Memorial Building in Visalia, California, 608 W. Center Street. There will be slide show and refreshments, please contact Sebastian at 559-307-3099, if you would like to attend.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

OCT **24** (PT)

Veterans Memorial Building

609 W. Center Street

Visalia, CA 93291

(559) 732-1613

<http://www.visitvisalia.org/member/veterans-memorial-building/515451/>

Tribute Wall

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“ Sebastian, you have been my friend for nearly 55 years, and I am amazed at how you have handled first, the passing of your mother in July, and just one month later, the loss of your beloved wife, Rose. You tirelessly and without complaint met their needs, whether nutritional, keeping all doctors' appointments, managing medical supplies, and more, all the while immersed in the emotions of your loved ones slipping away. You were a rock in those days and I am sure you extended Rose's life at least a year with your optimism and effort. Every terminally ill person would be fortunate to have a spouse like you. I am proud to call you "friend." I am always here for you.

Russ Brown

Russ Brown - September 18, 2025 at 04:58 PM

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“ Sebastian, I am so sorry about Rose's passing. Please take care,
Clea

Clea Kennelley Anderson - August 30, 2025 at 01:55 PM