

Rachel Rodriguez

Rachel Michelle Rodriguez, 16, a lifetime resident of Barstow, died Wednesday, Dec. 11, 2002 in Albuquerque N.M. Born Aug. 18, 1986 in Barstow; she was a sophomore at Barstow High School. She wrote poetry and loved softball, singing, dancing, acting and performing arts. She had the voice of an angel and was a member of the Madrigals Choir at Barstow High School. She attended Interlaken School of Performing Arts in Traverse City, Mich. She sang the National Anthem at Maverick's baseball games, the Miss Barstow Pageant, Chamber of Commerce and other functions. She is preceded in death by her grandmother Irene Rodriguez of Barstow. Survivors include her mamma and daddy, Robert and Beth Rodriguez of Barstow; grandmother, Nana Dorothy Garcia of Barstow; grandfather Tata Gene Garcia of Barstow; uncles, Robert Garcia of Independence, Mo., Danny Rubio of Barstow, Ruben Rodriguez of Barstow, and Armando Rodriguez of San Diego; aunties, Debra Rubio, Lorraine Rodriguez, and Rosa Chavez of Barstow, and Mona Rodriguez of San Diego; great-grandmother, Ida Vallejos of Albuquerque, N.M., Dominga Cuervo and Leonor Garcia of Barstow; 12 first cousins and many other relatives and friends. Vigil will be Wednesday at 7 p.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 505 E. Mountain View. Mass will be said Thursday, Dec. 19, 2002 at 11 a.m. also at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Burial will be at Mountain View Memorial Park, 37067 Irwin Road.

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