



## Ms. Zulma Concepcion

June 15, 2013

Concepcion, Zulma, age 61, of Bergenfield died Saturday, June 15, 2013

Beloved Sister of Sandra Concepcion, Marta & Andrew Jackson, Sylvia & Louie Diaz and Camilo & Iris Concepcion; Dear friend of Felicia Stukey; Cherished Aunt of Samuel (Pito), Stevie, Sandralee, Andy Jr, Marissa, Michael & Nicky and great aunt of eight.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit on Tuesday 2-4 & 7-9 PM and Wednesday 2-4 & 7-9 PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck NJ. Funeral Service Thursday 11:30 AM at the funeral home. Cremation will be private.

# Cemetery Details

## Private

268 Kinderkamack Road  
Oradell, NJ

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 18. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

JUN 20. 11:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Zulma Concepcion



Volk Leber Funeral Home - June 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Ms. Zulma Concepcion

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ Ms. Zulma Concepcion

October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ Ms. Zulma Concepcion

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ You know I loved her and I knew her. Her birthday was Leap year. February 29th. I am heart broken right now. We were in school from kindergarten through HS. ENY from Berriman 64 to PS 159 back to Berriman for JR high to FK Lane. We departed in college. She went to Brooklyn and I went to CCNY. I am so devastated

Mona Jelks - March 26, 2015 at 04:32 PM

MJ

“ OMG . I looked her up Googled because we went to kindergarten together. We we were in elementary classes Jr High and High School. we parrelled each other until we went to college. i remember she went to Brooklyn College i went to CCNY. I could always remember her long braid. She was frm PR and she was so outspoken I as a African American was so shy. I remember the teacher pronouncing her name in ellementary school incorrectly and she saying my name is ZULMA CONCEPCION not Zelma Conception. she gave me courage. I always wanted to tell her that. I soooooo loved my Zulma. She's part of who I am today.

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**Mona Jelks** - March 26, 2015 at 04:20 PM

MD

“ To my Aunt Zulma,

*I will remember so many things. Your laugh, you jokes, your nose picking, your orange gatorade, being my chaperone on so many school trips, getting me to put lettuce on my sandwiches which made them way better, many sleepovers watching sci-fi movies, your assistance on many school projects, your huge camera and always being behind it and not in front of it, your hate for me putting ketchup on my eggs tho Anna loved it haha, our trips for pumpkin picking with Andy and Marissa, your encouragement for college, etc. There so many more things that I can't even think of because so much is running through my head but I will always look back on those things and constantly be reminded that you were a great aunt and I will always love you.*

*Michael*

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**Michael Diaz** - June 20, 2013 at 11:09 AM

NI

“ Z, you will be missed. I will miss your crazy sense of humor, your big smile and the way you had of making everyone around you laugh. I will always remember the wonderful time I had with you at Courtney's baby shower. That is my most recent memory of you and the way I will always remember you. You put up a good fight for a long time my friend. Love, Nidia

Nidia - June 19, 2013 at 06:57 PM

ME

“ To Zulma's family and friends, I am so very sorry for your loss. In my short time knowing Zulma I could see what a wonderful and strong person she was, how loved she was by her family and friends, and how happy you all made her. You are in my prayers.  
Sincerely, Melanie

Melanie - June 19, 2013 at 01:33 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Ms. Zulma Concepcion.



June 19, 2013 at 01:12 PM

CO

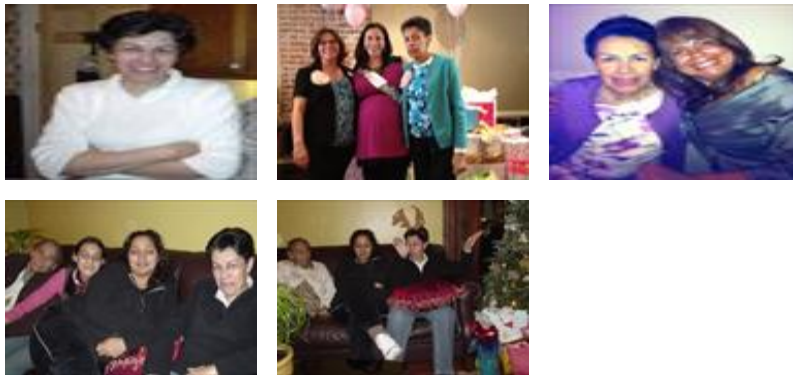
“ For a good part of my life, Zulma was like a second mother to me, and that is how I will remember her. She was not just a friend of my mother’s; she was a part of our family. I feel honored and blessed to have had her in my life. Z’s fearlessness was inspiring, she could take on anything. As I raise my daughter Vivienne, I will always know that Zulma is watching over her. I hope to teach her the same strength, independence, and courage that I admired so much in Zulma. Although Vivienne never got to meet her in this world, she will know Zulma through our stories, our memories, and in her heart. I will miss you so much, thank you for everything. –Courtney



Courtney Ortiz - June 19, 2013 at 11:19 AM

CO

“ 5 files added to the album New Album Name



Courtney Ortiz - June 19, 2013 at 10:59 AM

FF

“ *FROM RUBEN, JANET AND FAMILY purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Ms. Zulma Concepcion.*



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**FROM RUBEN, JANET AND FAMILY** - June 18, 2013 at 04:16 PM

FS

“ *My Warrior Princess, Zulma. She fought her battle against cancer with grace, humor, and optimism. She never questioned “why me” instead she said “These are the cards I was handed, and I have to make the best of it. “ She loved life. Her humor and charisma were magnets drew everyone to want to be around her. She was famous for her quick wit, huge smile and her ability to poke fun at life. I will mourn Zulma to the depth of my soul. But, I will also celebrate her life. She taught me what courage and strength look like –a petite, brunette, named Zulma Vanessa Concepcion. She is my hero! Safe journey, Chickirina! I love you. Say hello to Mom and Myrna. And thanks for showing me how to use power tools and act like “Brutus”. Your sister/friend, Felicia*

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**Felicia Stukey** - June 18, 2013 at 06:49 AM



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Ms. Zulma Concepcion.*



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June 17, 2013 at 11:27 PM



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June 17, 2013 at 11:10 PM



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*Vivienne Ava Ortiz, my precious new granddaughter, will also share a special connection with Zulma. While they did get a chance to meet on this earth, Zulma departed this world and Vivi entered it on the same day, June 15, 2013. I know Zulma will always be Vivi’s guardian angel and watch over her.*

*I will mourn Zulma to the depth of my soul. But, I will also celebrate her life. She taught me what courage and strength look like –a petite, brunette, named Zulma Vanessa Concepcion. She is my hero!*

*Safe journey, Chickirina! I love you. Say hello to Mom and Myrna. And thanks for showing me how to use power tools and act like “Brutus”.*

*Your sister/friend,  
Felicia*

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**Felicia Stukey** - June 17, 2013 at 10:53 PM

FR

“ With deepest sympathies to the entire Concepcion family. Specially Camilo and Iris - we are so sorry for your loss. May God have Zulma in his care always.  
always your niece and nephew:  
Franny, Junior and the kids



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**fran** - June 17, 2013 at 10:33 PM

SH

“ 8 files added to the album Fond Memories



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**Sandreee Harvey** - June 17, 2013 at 10:04 PM

WR

“ Wini Rodriguez-Maldonado sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Zulma Concepcion



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**Wini Rodriguez-Maldonado** - June 17, 2013 at 09:26 PM

WR

“ I extend my heartfelt and deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Zulma. May the Lord illuminate his light onto you and embrace you with strength as you go through this difficult time of loss. Since I met Zulma, I had the opportunity of spending the 4th of July holidays with her at Papo & Iris' home. We would walk to the end of the block and stand there to watch the fireworks display. (We always made sure that we had goofed on everyone before the show began), I can recall her laugh, the way she would get me started and the silliness that we shared. She would always tease Sid and she would laugh her heart out. Zulma was always ready for a good laugh and I am blessed to have shared alot of them with her and I will cherish those moments forever. It is a honor and a pleasure for me to be able to say "Zulma was my friend". Rest In Peace my dear Zulma. May the Lord have you in his loving arms. GONE BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN.

Wini Rodriguez-Maldonado - June 17, 2013 at 09:15 PM

IC

“ Iris Concepcion sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Zulma Concepcion



iris concepcion - June 17, 2013 at 09:09 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Volk Leber Funeral Home - June 17, 2013 at 03:23 PM

MJ

“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



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**MARTA JACKSON** - June 17, 2013 at 01:04 PM

IC

“ My deepest condolences to the entire family. May god give you all the strength to find comfort in knowing she is no longer suffering. she is now your guardian angel and watching over every single one of you. Remember her as I will. when first met Zulma a few years ago at one of Bones ( Camilo) and Iris functions. She was a very easy going, serious but yet a joker. RIP Zulma

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**Ines Cabrera** - June 17, 2013 at 01:01 PM

MJ

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**MARTA JACKSON** - June 17, 2013 at 12:49 PM

MJ

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**MARTA JACKSON** - June 17, 2013 at 12:48 PM

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**MARTA JACKSON** - June 17, 2013 at 12:47 PM

MJ

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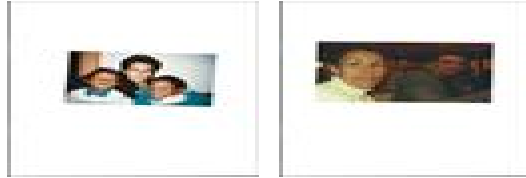


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**MARTA JACKSON** - June 17, 2013 at 12:47 PM

MJ

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**MARTA JACKSON** - June 17, 2013 at 12:34 PM

SC

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**Sylvia Cabrera** - June 17, 2013 at 12:20 PM

MJ

“ In these last months Zulma put on a strong demeanor. She new she was dieing but she kept telling us that everything was well. She would say she was feeling fine. She was a strong person to the end. she kept on going. She was like the energizer bunny. I will miss her so much. I have my moments when I breakdown. Zulma didn't have children. She always said her nieces and nephews were her babies. She baby sat all of them. She loved you guys so much. Now you are with mommy and daddy and with Ana. You suffered enough. You are resting now. I love you.

*Marta Jackson*

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**Marta Jackson** - June 17, 2013 at 11:40 AM

FS

“ 17 files added to the album New Album Name



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**Felicia Stukey** - June 17, 2013 at 09:33 AM

SC

“ *Zulma was a no nonsense attitude, smart remarks, goofy faces and LAUGHTER. These all go hand in hand when I think of Zulma and the fond memories of the time shared with her. Zulma left an everlasting mark and will FOREVER be part of my heart and my family's - Nelson, Clarissa, Jason and Ariel who were also deeply touched by her. My love and prayers to her family and Fela - may her time here, never ending energy n motivation give you strength during this time - Much love Sylvia*

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**Sylvia Cabrera** - June 17, 2013 at 09:14 AM

MT

“ *Honestly can't find the words to describe such an amazing warm hearted person. I can't stop crying thinking about the wonderful memories she everyone she knew. I wanted so much more time with her. I will always keep the beautiful memory of her smile and laugh so close to my heart.*

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**Marissa Taylor** - June 17, 2013 at 07:50 AM

MT

“ *If someone asks me what i would want to share about Zulma, I would say that she was a fun and free spirited loving person who we shared many laughs with. No matter where we were we couldn't help ourselves. Losing her at such a young age reminds us to cherish each moment we have and don't take life too seriously. Zulma will be miss - Magaly*

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**mario tirado** - June 16, 2013 at 01:20 PM