



Elena N. Santana

May 22, 1941 - September 29, 2020

Elena N. Santana, 79, a lifetime resident of Mercedes, Texas went to be with our Lord on Tuesday, September 29, 2020. She was born May 22, 1941 to Jesse Navarro and Consuelo Guajardo in Dallas, Texas. She is survived by her loving family: Husband; Eustolio Santana, 6 children: Jose (Norma) Belmares, Terry (Roland) Ruiz, Bobbie J. Cuellar(Rey Tamez), Michelle R. (Tim) Saulter, Jesus (Lina) Santana, Kelly S. (Alex) Briggs, 13 Grandchildren, 1 Great-granddaughter, 2 brothers: Salvador (Linda) Navarro, Robert (Mary) Navarro. She is preceded in death by her parents, and two brothers: Raymond & Jesse Navarro. Elena was a dedicated and loving daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother & great-grandmother. Her passions in life was her family; cooking, decorating for all the holiday seasons, making jewelry, dancing and was a loving and positive energetic woman. Most importantly, she was extremely faithful and spiritual. Her dream was to open her own restaurant and cook for all. She is and will forever be dearly loved and missed by all those who knew her.

Visitation will be held on Monday, October 5, 2020 from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with a rosary to be prayed 6:00 p.m. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, October 6, 2020. We will depart Rudy Garza Chapel of Peace at 10:30 a.m. for an 11:00 a.m. mass at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Interment will then follow at Heavenly Grace Memorial Park Cemetery in La Feria, Texas. Funeral services are under the direction of Rudy Garza Funeral Home of Mercedes Texas.

Tribute Wall



“ God Bless the family of Mrs. Santana. I can see her loving heart thru her beautiful family. I know that she was a special person, spiritual, loving and kind. These traits are carried on by her children and grandchildren and Baby Ella. I feel like I missed out on meeting that special person. I have a lot of love ❤️ for Jose and Norma and their amazing family. I hope you all have comfort in her loving memories and beautiful smile. Love 💕 Donna D.

Donna Dixon - October 06, 2020 at 02:45 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.



October 05, 2020 at 03:39 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.



October 05, 2020 at 12:50 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 05, 2020 at 11:55 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 04, 2020 at 11:15 PM



“ *Share the Health was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 04, 2020 at 09:33 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 04, 2020 at 03:56 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 04, 2020 at 11:45 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 03, 2020 at 03:20 PM



“ *Mrs. Santana a very caring person and I respectfully missed her since she left subbing from MISD may she R I P one day will meet again in heaven my condolences to all the family's from Julia Ontiveros (custodian) at Chacon Middle School*



Julia Ontiveros - October 03, 2020 at 01:29 PM



“ *Kevin, Krista, Logan, Madison, and McKean Saulter purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



Kevin, Krista, Logan, Madison, and McKean Saulter - October 03, 2020 at 10:23 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 02, 2020 at 11:59 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 02, 2020 at 07:17 PM



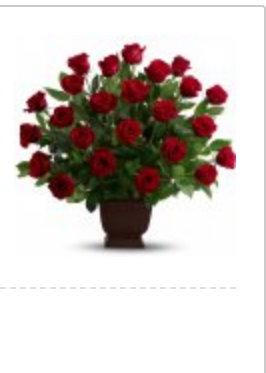
“ *Our most sincere condolences to the Santana Family. Helen was such a good and loving person. She will be greatly missed.*



Terry M Garcia - October 01, 2020 at 08:46 PM



“ *Mark Montoya, Donna Montoya & Christopher Montoya purchased the Rose Tribute for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



Mark Montoya, Donna Montoya & Christopher Montoya -
October 01, 2020 at 07:16 PM

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“ *My Deepest condolences to Ms. Terry Santana and all Her Family!*

Blessings!

Rosie Flores-C2

Rosie Flores - October 01, 2020 at 05:33 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 01, 2020 at 03:48 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 01, 2020 at 03:32 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 01, 2020 at 03:09 PM



“ *Divine Light was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 01, 2020 at 02:17 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Elena N. Santana.*



October 01, 2020 at 01:37 PM



“ *I will miss seeing you around you were such an amazing woman and always caring for me and mom you will b greatly missed*

nora martinez - October 01, 2020 at 01:29 PM



“ *Every year we would make plans to go & watch the parade their at (the Compadres) house. The house was always full of people & soo much food prepared by all. She loved seeing everybody eating & having a Great time. She always made us feel at home.*

Today Ethan reminded me that me n his Grandma always hugged when we saw each other. She was always loving n caring .

Rest In Peace Comadre You will be missed

Oscar & Cecilia (Chila) Castillo

Cecilia Castillo - September 30, 2020 at 10:41 PM



Our deepest condolences to The Santana Family.

Blessings!
The Davies Family

Rick and Laurie Davies - October 01, 2020 at 08:10 PM