



## Elvia Cortez Rodriguez

April 9, 1947 - February 27, 2013

Elvia Cortez Rodriguez, 65 went home to our glorious Lord on February 27, 2013.

She was born on April 9, 1947. Elvia was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin and friend. We thank God for putting her in our path and sharing her kindness with us for 65 years

Elvia's faith in our Lord and her love of angels will keep on in our hearts to give us strength. She had a great gift of putting pictures together from puzzles. Her love of God's gospel filled her heart with joy.

Elvia grew up in Sebastian, TX before moving to Meadow, TX. She worked at Levi's as a seamstress, at the Retama as a caregiver and as a babysitter/nanny. Elvia was involved in her church, St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Brownfield, TX. She was a CCD teacher, Eucharist minister, lector and helped direct the annual Posadas. Elvia was also a member of the Guadalupanas and visited the sick to give them comfort.

Elvia was preceded in death by her daughter, Dalia; father, Juan O. Cortez; maternal grandparents Petronila and Romolo Cortez; paternal grandparents, Tomas and Paula O. Cortez, with whom she is celebrating her new life. Elvia is survived by her husband, Felipe Rodriguez; sons, Jose Angel (Gloria) Rodriguez and Javier Rodriguez; daughter, Cristina; step son, Felipe (Rosie) Rodriguez, Jr.; great granddaughter Sammie; grandchildren Jose Angel, Jr.; Nicole and Jessie; her mother Maximina Cortez; brothers Eduardo, Juan Luis, Jose Manuel, Inocencio and Tomas; sisters Consuelo, Aurora, Nora and

Connie.

We will truly miss her beautiful smile but know that one day we will meet again with her in Heaven.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10:00am today, Saturday, March 2, 2013 at St. Martin Catholic Church in Sebastian, TX with burial to follow in the Guadalupe Cemetery.