



## Ester L. Vela

December 17, 1930 - September 1, 2021

Ester L. Vela, 90, went to be with our Lord on September 1, 2021. She was born on December 17, 1930 to Dario and Soledad Guerrero Lugo in Donna Texas. She is survived by her loving family; Diana Vela, Benny, Rigo, Debora Jean (Domingo) L. Rodriguez. sons; Ricardo Vela, Oscar Vela, 2 brothers; Carlos and Pedro Lugo and numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband, Gilberto Vela Sr. and her son Gilberto Vela Jr. Her passions in life were gathering and cooking for her family, gardening and being the family party planner. Visitation will be held on Monday, September 6, 2021 from 11am to 8pm with a prayer service to be held at 6pm. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, September 7, 2021. We will depart Rudy Garza Chapel of Peace at 10am for a procession to Rio Grande Veterans Cemetery in Mission Texas. The light went out for us on Earth, on the day you said Goodbye. And on that day a Star was born, the brightness in the sky. Reaching through the darkness with its rays, with its purest white lighting up in the Heavens. As it once lit up our lives with beams of Love to heal. The broken hearts you left behind will forever live in our Hearts and all our cherished memories. Your lovely Star will forever shine. Amazing Grace. She is and will forever be loved and missed by all whom she knew. She was a loving and dedicated daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, aunt and a dear friend to many. Funeral services are under the direction and care of Rudy Garza Funeral Home of Mercedes Texas.



# Cemetery Details

## Rio Grande Valley State Veterans Cemetery

2520 South Inspiration Road  
Mission, TX 78572  
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# Events

**Details are pending.**