



Josefa Leija

April 3, 1932 - December 28, 2024

Josefa Leija, 92, went to be with our Lord on Saturday, December 28, 2024.

She is survived by her loving family, 5 daughters: Margarita Tarango, Maria De La Luz Preciado, Brijida Martinez, Carmela Pantoja, Paula Luna, 2 sons: Pablo Mendoza, Filiberto Martinez, 27 grandchildren, 2 sisters, and 1 brother.

Visitation will be held Monday December 30, 2024 from 1:00 pm to 9:00 pm with a rosary at 7:00 pm. Funeral services will be Tuesday, December 31, 2024, with a departure at 1:15 pm for a Mass at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Donna Texas at 2:00 pm and interment will follow directly to Val Verde Memorial Gardens for a burial at 3:00 pm.

All services are under the direction and care of Rudy Garza Funeral Home of Mercedes, Texas.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **30**. 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Rudy Garza Funeral Home - Mercedes
236 S Ohio Ave
Mercedes, TX 78570
(956) 565-1175
<https://www.rudygarzafunerals.com>

Rosary

DEC **30**. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Rudy Garza Funeral Home - Mercedes
236 S Ohio Ave
Mercedes, TX 78570
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Mass

DEC **31**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
306 S Salinas Blvd, Donna, Tx 78537
Donna, TX 78537

Burial

DEC **31**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Val Verde Memorial Gardens
Donna, TX