



Maria Elena De La Cruz

July 17, 1943 - June 18, 2024

Maria Elena De La Cruz 80, loving mother and grandmother went to be with her Lord Tuesday, June 18, 2024 surrounded by her family. She was born July 17, 1943 in La Ascencion, Nuevo Leon, Mexico to Matilde Puente and Juanita Ramos Puente.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Mauricio De La Cruz and two brothers.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory her daughters, Belinda De La Cruz (Fred Salinas), Evelyn (Andy) Garcia, Maria Evangelina De La Cruz and Rosalinda De La Cruz -Jones (Kenny); four grandchildren, Brandon Broden, Devin Broden, Symphony Broden and Madison Jones and her siblings, Rosa Zepeda, Julio Puente, Alex Puente and Jorge Puente.

Visitation will begin Sunday, June 23, 2024 at 3:00 PM until 9:00 PM and a prayer service will be at 7:15 PM. Funeral services will be held Monday, June 24, 2024 at the Rudy Garza Funeral Home of Harlingen at 12:00 PM with Pastor Robert Rodriguez officiating and burial will follow at Mont Meta Memorial Park Cemetery.

The family would like to thank all family and friends for their kind words of sympathy and comfort and to the Rudy Garza Funeral Home and staff for their unwavering support.

Funeral services have been entrusted to Rudy Garza Funeral Home of Harlingen.

Cemetery Details

Mont Meta Memorial Park

26170 Texas 345
San Benito, TX 78586
(956) 399-3097

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 23. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Rudy Garza Funeral Home - Harlingen
1702 E Harrison Ave
Harlingen, TX 78550
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Prayer Service

JUN 23. 7:15 PM (CT)

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Funeral

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Tribute Wall

DW

“ Evelyn, my deepest condolences to you and your family. My heart goes out to you in this time of sadness. May God's grace strengthen you during this time of grief and lighten the sorrow that you are feeling in your heart. May the sweet memories of your Mother bring you solace and please know that I am here for support.

Praying for you & your loved ones,

Your Friend/Colleague - Danyale

D. Warren - June 26, 2024 at 11:16 PM

DJ

“ Donna Jones planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria Elena De La Cruz.

Donna Jones - June 24, 2024 at 08:03 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Maria Elena De La Cruz.



June 24, 2024 at 08:03 AM

LO

“ May your beautiful mother live forever in the wonderful memories you have all enjoyed with her. She and your beloved father did a wonderful job raising such a loving family. Our most heartfelt and deepest condolences to you all. Our family loves you Evelyn and Andy, Belinda, Rosie and Vangie and the rest of the family too. May your beautiful mother rest in peace.

All our love,
Joe, Laura, Alex and Ava Ortiz

Laura L Ortiz - June 23, 2024 at 03:56 PM

LL

“ Laura L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria Elena De La Cruz.

Laura L. - June 23, 2024 at 03:49 PM

ES

“ Elsa Saldivar purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Maria Elena De La Cruz.



Elsa Saldivar - June 23, 2024 at 12:43 AM

CC

“ Chtistine& Leonel Alejandro and Claudia planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria Elena De La Cruz.

Chtistine& Leonel Alejandro and Claudia - June 22, 2024 at 05:50 PM

CC

“ *Chtistine& Leonel Alejandro and Claudia purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Maria Elena De La Cruz.*



Chtistine& Leonel Alejandro and Claudia - June 22, 2024 at 05:50 PM

MV

“ *Elena was such a sweet and kind lady. She always greeted us with a smile the many years we visited Elvira, Mauricio and Elena. She loved her daughters and was so proud of them. May she rest in peace. She is now in a loving embrace with God. She is at peace and having coffee with her husband Mauricio and Grandma Elvira. Our deepest condolences to your family. Jose Manuel and Lidia Vasquez and Family*

Manuel and Lidia Vasquez - June 22, 2024 at 03:15 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maria Elena De La Cruz.*



June 22, 2024 at 10:00 AM

LJ

“ *Love, Carol Jones planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Maria Elena De La Cruz.*

Love, Carol Jones - June 22, 2024 at 09:21 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Maria Elena De La Cruz.* ”



June 22, 2024 at 09:21 AM