



Maria Luisa Ramos

August 29, 1925 - March 2, 2018

Maria Luisa Ramos joined the rest of her family in the Kingdom of God on March 2, 2018. She was the eldest of four children, born on August 29, 1925, in Mercedes, Texas to Francisco and Juanita (Ramirez) Ramos, who predeceased her - as did her siblings and in-laws: Javier (Maria) Ramos, Mercedes Ramos, and Velia (Jose) Garcia. She is survived by her nieces and their families: Mary Frances Coronado, Cecilia Soriano, and Guadalupe Mercedes Reyes; one nephew and his family; Jose Luis Garcia. Her nieces and nephew all reside in Michigan. Maria Luisa Ramos cultivated her friendship with neighbors and longtime friends. (Apologies are requested before hand, if any names were missed as it was unintentional.) Francisca H. Garcia & Family, Oralia Hernandez, Hortencia Cardoza & Family, Eduarda Rodriguez, Florinda & Chand Taneja, Anita & Horacio Pequeño, Mamie Galvan, Carmen Gutierrez, Maria Ramirez, Amelia Perez, San Juanita Palacios, Genoveva Zavala, Elida Treviño, Mary Ann del Toro & Family, Maria Cano, and many former students. Godchildren included Sylvia Bernal, Tommie Garcia, Blas & Maria Alvarez, and Angelita Davenport. Her attendants and caregivers were Alma Garcia and Juanita Losoya. When she speaks her words are wise and she gives instructions with kindness. (Proverbs 31:26) Maria Luisa Ramos, an erudite lady, graduated from Mercedes High School (Class of 1944) and enrolled in post-secondary courses at Pan American College (UTRGV) in Edinburg, TX. Her gift of knowledge helped many when she taught and tutored children. Her gift of

recollection regarding names and faces of people helped build strong rapport with others and her gift of service, as a volunteer, brought kindness to those she served. She volunteered at Our Lady of Mercy offering both scholar and spiritual instruction and at Woodman of the World, serving as Secretary of her society and conducting many recruiting events, at age 84 (and still driving up to the age of 90) she volunteered as a Senior Companion where she visited other Senior Citizens bringing them social interaction and kindness. She retired at 90 years of age to focus on her health and her home. When asked how she would like to be remembered, she responded, "as a simple and humble person, who dedicated time praying for others." She indeed enjoyed reading scripture books, praying the rosary and novenas to the patron saint of the day. The pain that you have been feeling cannot compare to the joy that is coming. (Romans 8:18) To celebrate the life of Maria Luisa Ramos, a viewing will be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2018 from 1:00p.m. to 8:00p.m. with a rosary to be recited at 7:00p.m. Funeral services will be conducted on Wednesday, March 7, 2018. We will depart Rudy Garza Chapel of Peace at 9:30a.m. for a 10:00a.m. mass at Our lady of Mercy Catholic Church. Interment will then follow at Our Lady of Mercy Cemetery. Maria Luisa Ramos was a loving and dedicated daughter, sister and aunt. Her life was always dedicated to her family and the Lord. Funeral services are under the direction and care of Rudy Garza Funeral Home of Mercedes, Texas.

Cemetery Details

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Cemetery

Mercedes, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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Jose Garcia - March 06, 2018 at 09:33 AM

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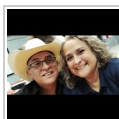
“ My condolences to Maria Luisa's family; Maria Luisa was a friend of my mother and aunt. My earliest memories of her include her involvement in the WOW (Woodmen of the World). She and a group of women (including my mom & aunt) would attend meetings and conventions in the late 1960s and 70s and this, along with church activities, was their social circle.



I was in awe of her because she was one of very few Hispanic women I had contact with in my early years who spoke English, drove and (in my eyes) was accomplished. Her deep sense of service was evident as she cared for her parents and always made herself available to help anyone in need. I will always remember the kindness she showed my family and the grace she exhibited every time our paths crossed.

God Bless You, Maria Luisa. May you rest in peace.

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*Thank you for sharing such beautiful memories ❤️
Her niece Lupita Reyes*

Lupita-Fernando Reyes - March 14, 2018 at 09:20 PM