



Maria G. Rodriguez

August 21, 2021

Maria G. Rodriguez "Tate", 84, passed away in her home on Saturday, August 21, 2021, surrounded by family.

She was born in Harlingen, Texas to Guadalupe Garcia Rodriguez and Apolinar Rodriguez. She is preceded in death by her siblings Romana Rodriguez, Paula "Nena" Salazar, Antonia Cortez, and Apolonio "Polo" Rodriguez.

She is survived by her brother, Jose G. Rodriguez; nieces, Juanita (Samuel) McBroom, Emma (Wayne) Wagner, Cristina (Omar) Ramos, and Reyes (Oscar Vasquez, Jr.) Rodriguez; great-niece Lauren Vasquez and great-nephew Shawn Vasquez; numerous great nieces and nephews.

Mary was well known in the communities of Harlingen and Primera. Mary recently retired from Mr. G Food Store where she worked faithfully for 19 years. She loved talking and joking with her customers and she knew no stranger as she was a friend to all.

Mary enjoyed her lunch dates with her niece, Julia Gonzalez, at their favorite local diners. She spent afternoons playing cards with her comadre, Eva Mesa. Prior to the pandemic, she spent Wednesday and Sunday evenings at the bingo hall. Her times at home were spent tending to the yard and to our family cats, Star and Strider.

Visitation will begin Wednesday at 1:00 PM until 9:00 PM and a prayer service will be held at 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be on Thursday, August 26, 2021 at 1:00 PM at the Rudy Garza Funeral Home and interment will follow at Combes Cemetery.

The family would like to thank Greater Valley Hospice for their services in Mary's time of need. Thank you to great nieces Emma Leigh and Karen for their help with family care for both Tia Tate and Grandpa Jose.

Cemetery Details

Combes Cemetery

Combes
Combes, TX 78552

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 25. 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Rudy Garza Funeral Home - Harlingen
1702 E Harrison Ave
Harlingen, TX 78550
(956) 425-8200
rgfhtx@aol.com
<https://www.rudygarzafunerals.com>

Prayer Service

AUG 25. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral

AUG **26**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Marta Garcia lit a candle in memory of Maria G. Rodriguez*



Marta Garcia - August 25, 2021 at 05:01 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Maria G. Rodriguez.*



August 24, 2021 at 06:07 PM