



## Alma Joyce "Ma" Jennings

August 9, 1923 - December 21, 2011

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8/9/1923 - 12/21/2011

Alma Joyce Starling Jennings, known affectionately to everyone as "Ma", was born August 9, 1923, in San Antonio, Texas, to William Walter Starling & Katy Montgomery Starling. On March 5, 1938, she married the love of her life, Willis Roy "Bill" Jennings, and shortly thereafter became the mother of Warren Sandi Jennings of Inyokern, California, Willis Damron of Leona, Texas, Earl Judy Jennings of San Antonio, Texas and Kitty Walusiak of Mason, Wisconsin. Ma battled breast cancer, hip and knee replacements and numerous other illnesses over the last 25 years, but she loved life and being around her family. One of her favorite sayings was "Pretty is as pretty does" and Ma definitely was that. She will be dearly missed. She will be laid to rest next to her beloved husband of 49 years at San Jose Burial Park cemetery in San Antonio. Ma was preceded in death by her parents, husband, both sisters, 5 brothers and a son-in-law. She leaves behind her 4 children, 13 grandchildren and many great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Ma had a strong sixth sense. Just recently, she excitedly told a family member that, for the first time in about 3 years, she was going home for Christmas. She was really looking forward to it. She wasn't going to be sick or in the hospital. She was right: She's not sick; she's not in the hospital; she's at Home in Heaven with PaDaddy for Christmas.