



## Cruz Rios "Ama" Anthony

September 14, 1916 - May 8, 2011

### ANTHONY

Mrs. Cruz Rios Anthony "Ama", born September 14, 1916 in Graytown, Texas peacefully embraced God on May 8, 2011 in San Antonio, Texas at the age of 94. She now joins her husband Alfred S. Anthony Sr. She is survived by her daughters Rosa Rodriguez Lupe, Connie Laque, Josie Lopez Victor, Janie Huizar the late Joe, Helen Robles and Mary Lou Viera Lupe; sons Alfred R. Anthony Jr. Grace, Arthur Anthony Missy, George Anthony and Jesse Anthony Rosemary; sisters Carmen Plata and Blasita Pena; 37 grandchildren, 68 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren; she is also survived by many other relatives and friends. "Ama" loved children, she spent many years of her life in caring for and sharing her passionate heart with her children. "Ama" was a MOTHER to all. We will always treasure her beautiful smile, caring ways and her cooking.

### SERVICES

Visitation will begin at 8:00 AM on Wednesday, May 11, 2011 with a Rosary to be recited at 7:00 PM at Brookehill Funeral Home. Funeral Procession will depart at 10:30 AM on Thursday, May 12, 2011 for a Mass of Resurrection at 11:00 AM at St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Interment will follow at San Jose Burial Park.

# Tribute Wall

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“ My deepest sympathy to the family for your loss. May you always remember, God is near to those that are broken at heart and those crushed in spirit he saves...Psalms chapter 34 verse 18. One day soon, “all those in the memorial tombs will hear

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**Rena** - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

VG

“ My deepest sympathy to Ama's family. Ama, as we called our "second mother", holds a place in my heart where all things are good and loving. Although I did not see her often as an adult, my fondest memories of childhood include her. We were blessed for k

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**Vera Garcia** - May 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Cruz was my God mother, and Rosa was my playmate, I'm Simon Casanova's daughter. I just want to say I'm sorry for your loss and to let you know I'm thinking of you and keeping you all in prayer.I'm sorry we lost touch and I was too ill to attend, but you

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**Angelita Casanova** - May 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ My condolences La bonita is rejoicing with Our Lord in heaven.

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**DELFINA BALDERAS** - May 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ *"Ama" was loved by all, especially the children; she taught them to love and care. My daughters, Vera, Sylvia & Linda, still refer to her as "Ama" because she was like a mother to them. God bless her soul and God be with the family in their grief. Than*

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**Becky Trevino** - May 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Extending our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one.*

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**Julian Cruz & Staff at Brookehill Funeral Home** - May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM