



Elia G. Pena

March 21, 1925 - June 5, 2020

Elia Graciela Peña, at the age of 95 entered eternal rest surrounded by her family at home on Friday, June 5th, 2020.

Elia was the first born of fifteen children to Antonio and Victoria Patino Alfaro on March 21, 1925 in Brackettville, Texas.

At a very young age this remarkable lady learned to the meaning and value of the "Fruit of the Spirit". Being the matriarch of her siblings, she helped raise and care for them. Elia always supported her family in many ways. She learned to sew at the young age of 5 and never lost her love for it. She married and raised her family of five children and instilled her love for the Lord in them as well. Her choice of work was in private duty nursing for many years. She attended St. Margaret Mary Catholic church until circumstances changed for her in the caring of her loving husband.

Elia enjoyed gardening, sewing and quilting. Everyone she met instantly knew she was a rare woman, both beautiful and kind. She was a loving, nurturing mother and grandmother and will be remembered fondly for her love of creativity, sewing, cooking, gardening, crochet and embroidery and always able to lend a hand to anyone in need.

She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph A. Peña, their son Richard A. Peña, brothers, Gregoria, Richard, Roland, Johnny and sisters,

Mary T. and Victoria.

She is survived by daughters, Anita Gibson and husband William, Jo Elaine Peña, Yolanda, Peña and son Joseph C. Peña and her siblings Diamond, Mary, Josie, Dolores, Jesse, Albert and David, five grandchildren and eight great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild.

"FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL, DUE TO THE CURRENT CONCERN OF COVID-19 THE FUNERAL SERVICE IS PRIVATE FOR FAMILY ONLY"

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery

17501 Nacogdoches Rd
San Antonio, TX 78266

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 11. 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home
711 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 923-7523
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Chapel Service

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Tribute Wall

GF

“ Yoli, Jo Elaine, Anita and Joey, I was belessed to have visited with your mama onmany occasions over the last few years since Yoli and I have been friends. She was a very sweet lady and very welcoming.



Cruz and I know how difficult this time is and we want you to know that we send our deepest condolences with huge hugs, loads of love and plentiful prayers!!!

Gregory Frieden and Cruz Herrera

GREGORY FRIEDEN - June 11, 2020 at 08:30 AM

LV

“ Leti Velasquez lit a candle in memory of Elia G. Pena



Leti Velasquez - June 10, 2020 at 11:45 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elia G. Pena.



June 09, 2020 at 10:14 PM

DJ

“ Sending our condolences to you all. We hope that your memories of your Mother will give you peace and happiness. Thinking of you, Steve & Delia Jimenez

Delia Jimenez - June 09, 2020 at 09:20 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Elia G. Pena.



June 09, 2020 at 03:16 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elia G. Pena.



June 09, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Elia G. Pena.



June 08, 2020 at 04:04 PM

JG

“ John De La Garza purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Elia G. Pena.



John De La Garza - June 08, 2020 at 02:05 PM

FM

“ Wishing you comfort and peace at this time of sorrow. Please know our loving thoughts embrace you. May the peace that comes from the memories of love shared comfort you now and in the days ahead . Our hearts are filled with sorrow

From Fred and Diana Mendez

Fred and Diana Mendez - June 08, 2020 at 11:53 AM

AL

Our deepest sympathy to the Pena FAMILY. Elia was a wonderful loving, beautiful woman. She will be missed terribly she is home now may she rest in peace. LOVE ALICIA AND THE PENA BOYS. MAY GOD BLESS YOUR FAMILY.

Alicia - June 12, 2020 at 08:25 PM