



Elvia Delia Galvan Covarrubias

December 7, 1932 - January 20, 2021

Our Mom, Elvia, passed away peacefully in her sleep, in her own home, just like she wanted, on Wednesday, January 20, 2021. She was born on December 07, 1932 in Rositas, Coahuila, most recently celebrating her 88th birthday. Her requests were that she be surrounded by the people she loved most in her life, her children, her sisters, her grandchildren, her nieces and nephews, and of course her friends. Maria Perales, Mary Garza, Chayo Chavez, Modesta, and Cecelia were her friends that kept in touch with her, we will always be so grateful to you all of you.

Our Mom was preceded in death by her beloved husband Lucas A. Covarrubias, her beloved daughter Gloria Marin, her beloved son Jaime Covarrubias, her beloved parents Enrique and Petra Galvan, and her beloved sister Esperanza Hernandez. She longed to be reunited with our Dad Lucas, especially over the last year. We are happy to know that she is now with our Dad.

Our Mom became a widow at the early age of 51 after losing my Dad to cancer. She went thru a period of mourning my Dad, then one day she decided that she wanted a change in her life. She sold her flower shop, Glynn's Flower Shop and began her journey in becoming a hairstylist. She finished her courses, but then discovered that she didn't feel the confidence to cut someone else's hair, so she then became a shampoo technician. She worked at that until she retired about 3 years ago.

Our Mom never met a stranger, especially when she rode the Via buses to

and from work. Our Mom always had something to say, whether we were ready to hear it or not. Our Mom had her own opinion especially when it came to the election. I remember the day when my sister Alma, told me that our Mom had voted for Trump. When I asked her if that were true she said very candidly “si, vote por presidente Trump, porque el a hecho mucho por el pais.” Our Mom really enjoyed traveling with my tia Fela. They would go and visit their Mom and our tia Abigail in Pasadena, TX. Our tia Fela and our Mom were gambling buddies. They traveled to WinStar, Coushatta, Las Vegas, Wendover, and Kickapoo many times over. My sister Alma and I will miss our trips in which we would accompany the “Golden Girls” as we lovingly referred to them. We are sure that by now she has gathered enough family members and friends to play loteria, another of one of her favorite past time’s. ”Buena” on last time Mom.

Our Mom leaves behind her children: Juan Covarrubias, Delia Almaguer, Alma Giron, and Leticia Covarrubias. Her two sisters that she loved so much: Felicitas Tarin and Abigail Coronado. Her grandchildren Laura and David Gutierrez, Christina and Frank Arredondo, Mark and Monica Rodriguez, Michael Covarrubias, Alex Marin, Maria Almaguer, Margarita Rivera Almaguer, James Michael and Cyndy Almaguer, Elijah James Almaguer, Rhiannon and Mark Chapa and Christian Giron. Her great grandchildren include Michael Gutierrez, Serina Gutierrez, Julian Garcia, Sophia Garcia, Eliana Arredondo, Emma Rodriguez, Ian Rodriguez, Gia Marin, Alex Marin Jr., Fabian Rivera, Regina Chapa, and Luke Chapa. Fabian and Luke brought our Mom such joy and happiness at the end.

Though our hearts are heavy, we sincerely appreciate all the love and support that we have each experienced following our Mom’s passing. Due to the pandemic, we are asking that a donation to the kidney foundation in lieu of flowers be made. Ft. Sam the place of interment limits the number of flowers transported to the cemetery to 3 pieces. The family will be providing the flowers needed.

Our Mom Elvia, was a beautiful, simple person who believed in God, believed

in work, in living life honestly, that we should respect others, love one another unconditionally, and in fairness. We miss our Beloved Mamacita, Mom, Ama and believe that one day we will one day be reunited with her. A visitation will be on Monday February 8, 2021 at 9:00 am with a rosary to be recited at 11 am. Interment to follow at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery at 1:00pm

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 8. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Alamo Funeral Chapels
624 N Alamo St
San Antonio, TX 78215
(210) 554-5000
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

FEB 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Interment

FEB 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd
San Antonio, TX 78209
(210) 820-3891

Tribute Wall

MC

“ *My sister in law was a great wife, mother and one of the best well rounded person I knew. I am sure my brother will be so happy to have the love of his life united with him again. May the peace of our Lord be with the family during this difficult time. I will miss her as my casino travel partner. Kachuy*

Maria de Jesus C.Gonzalez - February 07, 2021 at 10:39 PM

GI

“ *Gini lit a candle in memory of Elvia Delia Galvan Covarrubias*



Gini - February 07, 2021 at 04:43 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Elvia Delia Galvan Covarrubias.*



February 06, 2021 at 01:06 PM

RR

“ *Dearest Covarrubias Family,*

Your mom had the sweetest smile & God certainly did a great job in carrying that same sweet smile in her children. We will all miss your mom's lovely smile.

Sincerest condolences from the McCoy's and the Rodriguez family.

Rocio Rodriguez - February 06, 2021 at 12:33 PM

RC

“ *We wish to express our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your beautiful mother. We have so many wonderful memories of family celebrations we shared together. She always had a bright smile on her face and treated all of us with kindness. She will be truly missed. May her memory be a blessing.*

Ralph, Joyce, Amanda, and Matthew Chavez



Ralph Chavez - February 05, 2021 at 11:22 PM

JO

“ *Madrina Elvia was always well loved by my family and myself. Chole and Manuel were the best of Compadres with Padrino Lucas and Madrina Elvia (back in the 1950's). They baptize me as a baby. But here is a picture in 1957; is perfect. I am here with her - in the 1st grade. The 1st picture is my dad holding Gloria with Madrina Elvia. Love you much, Madrina. RIP God Bless All*



Janie Olguin - February 05, 2021 at 05:13 PM