



## Ernesto Martinez, Jr.

November 22, 1925 - December 7, 2004

Ernesto Martinez, Jr. beloved father and grandfather passed away December 7, 2004 at the age of 79. He was a 39 year resident of San Antonio who was a member of St. Gregory's Catholic Church. Ernesto retired from SBC after 35 years of dedicated service. He was a veteran of WWII while serving in the U.S. Navy his ship was the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Princeton, sunk in action in the historic battle of the Philippines in 1944. Ernesto was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Irene Martinez, brothers, Mariano Martinez, and Juan Tamayo. He is survived by his daughters, Estella De Los Santos of CA, Linda Flores Denis; son, Ernie Martinez, III; sister, Rita Galvan; brother, Mike Martinez, Roberto Martinez; grandchildren, Melina, William, Lori, Eric, Christopher, Adam, Gregory, Mindy, Zachary; and 6 great grandchildren all of Texas.

### Services

Visitation will begin at 5:00 PM Thursday, December 9, 2004 with a vigil will be held at 7:00 PM Thursday evening at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Another vigil will be held at Darling-Mouser Funeral Home 945 Palm Boulevard, Brownsville, TX at 7:30 PM Friday, December 10, 2004. Church services will be held at 10:00 AM Saturday, December 11, 2004 at Our Lady of

Guadalupe in Brownsville, TX with interment to follow at Roselawn Memorial Garden in Brownsville.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our family extends condolences to your family in your time of sorrow...May the Lord bless you with the grace to see the many blessings your parent gave all of us.

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**The Gregory Martinez Family** - December 10, 2004 at 12:00 AM

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“ I hope you all take solace in the fact that your Mom and Dad are once again reunited.....and maybe already dancing up a storm.  
Love, Serafina De Los Santos

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**Serafina De Los Santos** - December 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Thinking of you at this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

*John & Linda Hayes*

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**John & Linda Hayes** - December 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ I wanted you to know that your family is in my heart and prayers through this difficult time. The love you have shown your father will always be refelcted in your heart and your smile as you think back on the time you had with him.

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**Julia Richardson** - December 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM