



Fernando Saenz

September 6, 1921 - January 7, 2013

SAENZ

Fernando Saenz born September 6, 1921 embraced God on January 7, 2013 in San Antonio, Texas at the age of 91. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife Mamie Saenz. He is survived by his daughter Rose Marie Ben Martinez; sons Fernando Mary Alice Saenz, Jr., Sonny Connie Saenz, George Cecilia Saenz, and Steve Saenz; sisters Yolanda Arredondo, Bertha Garza and Mary Grace Clemons; brothers Manuel Saenz and Carlos Saenz; 8 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. he is also survived by numerous other relatives and friends. His family is justly proud of Fernando who joined the army as a volunteer in 1940. He served in the 602nd Tank Destroyer Battalion earning three campaign stars fighting in France, the Ardennes Battle of the Bulge and the Rhineland Germany. He later worked in the Engine Management Section at Kelly AFB prior to his retirement after 35 years of service. Our father will be eternally missed by those who loved him.

SERVICES

Visitation will begin at 1:00 PM on Tuesday, January 15, 2013 with a Rosary to be recited at 7:00 PM at Palm Heights Mortuary. Funeral Procession will depart at 9:45 AM on Wednesday, January 16, 2013 for a Mass at 10:30 AM at San Fernando Cathedral. Interment will follow at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.