



Maria Serna Rodriguez

May 3, 1931 - June 13, 2021

Maria Serna Rodriguez went to be with the Lord on June 13, 2021, at age of 90, in San Antonio, Texas. She was born on May 3, 1931 in Buffalo City, Iowa. She is preceded in death by her husband, Oliver Rodriguez, Sr.; parents, Antonio and Maria Serna; son, Rudolfo Rodriguez, Sr.; daughter, Juanita Rodriguez; all of her siblings and several nieces and nephews. Maria is survived by her son, Oliver Rodriguez, Jr.; 2 grandchildren, Rudy Rodriguez, Jr. (Michelle) and Elizabeth Banda (Julian); 5 great-grandchildren, Lola Marie Rodriguez, Mia Gabriella Rodriguez, Jaxson Oliver Banda, Valentina Ava Rodriguez and Jett Owen Banda, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Maria enjoyed going out to eat and dancing with her husband, but most of all she loved spending time with her grandchildren. Her favorite shows were Caso Cerrado and Family Fued. Maria will be remembered for her loving heart and for always welcoming anyone with open arms into her home. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her.

Visitation will be on Monday, June 21, 2021 from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. with a Rosary to be recited at 6:30 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral Service will be on Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at Mission Park South. Interment to follow at Mission Burial Park South.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 21. 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

JUN 21. 6:30 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUN 22. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Maria Serna Rodriguez*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - June 21, 2021 at 02:39 PM

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“ *I'm blessed to of had have you in my life for almost 40 years. Your always gave me the best advice ever.. Loved our phone conversations. Had the best visit with you a few months ago, we laughed like always and we gave each other the family chisme. LOL. You will forever live in my heart. RIP my sweet Tia Mary.*

Rosa Melendez - June 21, 2021 at 12:20 PM

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“ There are too many memories to count about Maria some happy some sad some insightful wisdom and some honest truth that is how I will remember my friend Maria. My favorite story of her was when she and her husband Oliver Sr. were sitting together in their house and she noticed that the neighbors to her right or arguing and the neighbors to the left were arguing and the neighbors across the street we're also arguing she turns to her husband and says wow everyone is arguing do you want to argue she said to him then they laughed and continued with their night. She told me so many stories about her life her time working for Judson candy the lifelong friends she made there and how she would be asked to sing at company functions. She also reminisced about her daughter Juanita and son Rudy Sr. Her husband Oliver Sr. and other family that had passed. She would talk about the family that she helped raise and family she took care of till her passing. She would talk about raising her son Oliver and all of the adventures they had with his upbringing and how she prayed daily when he was in the Us Army and how so very much she loves him and wanted only the best for him. She would talk with so much pride about her grand children Rudy and Elizabeth. She loved and cared for her great grand children, you could not stop her from telling her daily stories about how they were growing, and their adventures together. She will be rememberd by me as a great friend, mother figure, confident, problem solver and all around cool chick. I'll remember her off color jokes and smile or laugh because they were funny. I always felt loved by her and I will miss her dearly and I will love her always. Heaven is so lucky to have her.

Mary Preciado - June 21, 2021 at 10:59 AM