



Marie Strahle Range

June 10, 1926 - July 28, 2012

RANGE

Marie Strahle Range passed away on July 28, 2012, surrounded by her family. She was born in San Antonio on June 10, 1926. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Al, and her daughter, Penny. She is survived by her three sons and their wives; Al Tracy, Jim Cheryl and Jerry Cindy; her sister and best friend Lucy Nellis; five grandchildren: Jamie Range, Katy Salazar, John Ferrell, Penny Lenz, and Shannon Mata; seven great grandchildren: Ashton Salazar, Gracie Salazar, Aubrey Green, Art Mata III, Jack Range, Avery Range, and Ashleigh Harwell; and numerous nieces and nephews. Marie volunteered at the USO where she met Al, and they married a year later, in 1944. At the time of Al's death, they had been married 48 years. She had many interests and hobbies. At an early age she showed her kindness and dedication to people. During WWII, she would visit wounded Servicemen in the hospital, providing them with companionship and helping them write letters to family and loved ones. She also enjoyed dancing, music, painting, and traveling, and delighted in spending summers with Al in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

What she loved most however was being a wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and aunt. It was her greatest joy to care for her family. Whether it was cooking, taking her kids to school functions, or watching her family grow older, they were always her first priority.

She was an inspiration to her family and everyone who knew her.

SERVICES

Visitation will begin at 5:30 PM on Tuesday, July 31, 2012 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North with a Rosary recited at 7:00 PM. Funeral Mass will be offered at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, August 1 at The Church of the Holy Spirit Catholic Church with a reception to follow at the Church. Entombment will take place privately at Holy Cross Archdiocesan Mausoleum. In lieu of usual remembrances, memorial contributions may be made in her honor to a Charity of Choice.