



Mercedes Martin

January 16, 1932 - April 12, 2010

Mercedes DeLaRosa Martin went to be with our Lord Savior Jesus Christ on April 12, 2010 at the age of 78. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

She taught at Orange Goose School for 10 years. Mercedes was passionate about helping children and being there for them.

She dedicated her life to being a wife, mother and friend. She always put others first and worked hard at making her house a home. Her children will miss her sweet accent and caring heart.

Mercedes was preceded in death by her husband, CMSGT Richard Martin; they were married for 57 wonderful years. As well as her mother and father, Rafael and Maria Mercedes DeLaRosa and her brothers, Rafael DeLaRosa, Maria Tona Iglesias, Luis Manuel DeLaRosa, Yolanda Jimenez, Jorge DeLaRosa. She is survived by her sister Betty Morgan George, children Esther Van Wart, Janet Perkins Randall, Richard Martin Jr Katherine as well as 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services

Will be held Tuesday, April 20, 2010 at 12 noon at Oak Hills Mortuary, 8332 Fredericksburg Road, San Antonio, Texas. Burial will follow at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

SN

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Martin family during this time of sorrow. May your memories give you strength during this difficult time.

SL Whitman Family neighbors - April 19, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ Although we wish that Amarynth had gotten to know Grandma, we are consoled knowing that she is finally reunited with grandpa and looking down on us from heaven.

Kevin, Jennifer and Amarynth Perkins - April 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ "And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain for the former things have passed away. Revelation." 21:4
If words could ease your pain, we would continue writing unti

Juan and Judy Ramos - April 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ I Love you, Mom. I am going to miss your smiles and your accent and your laugh. I will especially miss my mommy. You taught me how to love my children and to be there for them. I know you're with dad now, and John. Please, give them hugs for me and know

Esther Van Wart - April 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ *My loving caring mother, I know you are in our God's care now, sharing eternity up in the heavens. I love you so much, miss you dearly. For I know I am blessed to have God share you with us all. Until we are reunited Mom....I love you.*

Janet Martin Perkins - April 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM