



Martin R. Olivarez Sr.

June 12, 1928 - March 27, 2012

A Mass is planned for Saturday, March 31, 2012 at 11:00 am at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Caldwell with Rev. Brion Zarsky officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. The Holy Rosary will be recited at 7:00 pm Friday evening. The family will receive from 6:00- 8:00 pm Friday evening at the funeral home. Martin was born June 12, 1928 in Milano to parents Isabel Olivarez and Louisa (Revilla) Olivarez. Martin had to become the man of the house very quickly because the loss of his father. So he became the provider for his family and helped raise his brothers and sisters. He married Josefa Martinez April 28, 1954 at St. Mary's Catholic Church where they were life long members. This union was blessed with twelve children. He enjoyed farming and ranching and, spending time with his grandchildren which he adored. He was a family man and loved his family very deeply. Martin was devoted to Josefa but it was more than just being a good husband and provider he loved her unconditionally. He is preceded in death by his parents, three brothers, Manuel, Jose and Salvador Olivarez, and three sisters, Antonia Cedillo, Vita Maldonado, and Isidra Lira. He survived by his loving wife of nearly 58 years Josefa Olivarez of Caldwell, eight sons; Martin Olivarez Jr. and wife Terri of Baytown, John Olivarez and wife Elaine of Spring, Joe Olivarez and wife Patty of Cypress, Patrick Olivarez and wife Frances of Sinton, Michael Olivarez and wife Jennifer of Chriesman, Jesse Olivarez and wife Tricia of Bryan, Ralph Olivarez and wife Tracey of Caldwell, and Frank Olivarez and wife Lori of Deanville, four daughters; Margie

Wisniewski and husband Gene of Caldwell, Anita Hoelscher and husband Russell of Chriesman, Gloria Willett of Bryan and Connie Olivarez of Houston, twenty- three grandchildren and 2 great- grandsons, two brothers Ezekiel Olivarez and wife Virginia of Waxahachie, Julian Olivarez of Caldwell, three sisters, Refugia Rodriguez of Chicago, Aurelia Orozco of Bryan and Carmen Rosas of Bryan and by numerous nieces, nephews other relatives and host of friends that loved him. Serving as pallbearers are his sons Martin, John, Joe, Patrick, Michael, Jesse, Ralph and Frank. The Honory pallbearers will be Inez Martinez, Eugene Wisniewski, III, Russell Hoelscher, Julian Olivarez and Ezekiel Olivarez

Tribute Wall

RM

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Rosie M. Meyer - March 30, 2012 at 03:36 PM

ES

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Erlinda & Marc Snodgrass - March 30, 2012 at 01:17 PM

HJ

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Helen Maldonado Junot - March 29, 2012 at 10:47 PM

VR

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Veronica & Mary Rosas - March 29, 2012 at 10:36 PM

TP

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Tony & Lydia Palos - March 29, 2012 at 08:17 PM

EW

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Erin Walketr - March 29, 2012 at 11:08 AM

MO

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Margie Orozco - March 29, 2012 at 11:00 AM

CM

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Carole Mann - March 29, 2012 at 10:25 AM

FM

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Frank and Judy Maldonado - March 29, 2012 at 12:25 AM

MT

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Mary, Jack and Austin Teel - March 28, 2012 at 09:50 PM

AE

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Antoinette Martinez Eastridge - March 28, 2012 at 08:36 PM

KM

“ *Martin R. Olivarez Sr.*

Kathy Martinez - March 28, 2012 at 03:47 PM