

CARMEN HERNANDEZ



CARMEN HERNANDEZ Carmen Hernandez Villareal, age 76 of Barstow, went to be with her Lord and Savior on January 5, 2012. Born in Barstow July 2, 1935, she was a member of our community her entire life. After attending & receiving her education from Barstow Schools, she married Rudy E. Villareal Sr. and were blessed to have four children. She was a wonderful mother and not only raised her own children, but helped raise her brothers, sisters, nieces & nephews, including many other children that came in and out of her life. Carmen was known for her wonderful cooking & baking, and was the owner & cook of "LaVillata" from 1971 to 1974. During her free time, you could find her watching a Dodger or Laker game. Carmen is survived by a son Rudy R. Villareal (his wife Elaine) of Barstow, 3 daughters all of Barstow, Sandy Contreras (her husband Abel), Susie Zamora (husband Dennis), Sally Villareal (husband Ray), 7 grandsons Abel Contreras (his wife Loreina) of Barstow, Christopher Zamora (wife Amanda) of Barstow, Mario Contreras (wife Sarah) of Spring, TX, Russell Martinez of Anaheim, CA., and Andre Martinez, Marcus Zamora, Carlos Abeita all of Barstow 3 granddaughters, Marissa Walker (her husband Sean) of Barstow, Melanie Burnau (husband Matthew) of Barstow, and Carmen Contreras (Mark) of San Bernardino, Ca. 3 brothers, David Hernandez (his wife Terry) of Victorville, CA., and Richard & Raymond Hernandez both of Barstow, 4 sisters Lydia Villafana (her husband David) of Barstow, Aurora Contreras of Banning, CA., Ophelia Moya (husband Fred) of Barstow and Betty Nevarez (husband Manuel) of Victorville, Ca. Carmen is also survived by 16 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her mother & father Carmen & Jose Hernandez, and brothers & sisters Louie Hernandez, Jenny Lara, Daniel Hernandez, Tony Hernandez, Johnny Hernandez, Henry Hernandez, David Hernandez and Mary Ellen Hernandez. A Celebration of Carmen's Life will be held at noon on Friday, January 13, 2012, at Mountain View Memorial Park, 37067 Irwin Road in Barstow Reception to follow at St. Joseph Noonan Hall. Arrangements entrusted to Horizon Memorial Services of Barstow.

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