



Maria Rita Flores

January 31, 1928 - November 29, 2008

On November 29, 2008 the Lord chose Maria Rita Flores to be with her beloved husband, Fernando, S. Flores, whom she so dearly missed and loved very much to be together for eternity. Maria was born January 31, 1928 in Villagran, Tamaulipas, Mexico. She had the pleasure not once, not twice, but three times to exchange vows with the man she loved for more than 50 years. Although she never had to do very much labor work, Maria had plenty of work being the loving wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, great grandmother, great-great grandmother and true friend to all who had the honor to know her. She leaves her loving and caring family of thirteen wonderful children:

Frances (Dean) Lale, Spokane, Ramon (Carmen) Fuentes Flores, Warden, Raul (Mary) Flores, Arlington, Blanca (Guillermo) Perez, Warden, Elvira Mora (Javier Ojeda), Warden, Fernando Flores, Jr. (Fernanda Romero), Warden, Jose Luis (Marylou) Flores, Burlington, Alfredo (Sandra) Flores, Warden, Norma Flores, Warden, Victor (Becky) Flores, Warden, Armando Flores, Warden, Mary Flores (Ignacio Deleon), Warden, Elizabeth (Kevin) Waner, Warden; 51 grandchildren; 40 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren; two sisters, Elena Velasquez, Mexico and Guadalupe Rodriquez, Brownsville, TX; two brothers, Antonio Perales and Gilberto Perales, both of Mexico and numerous extended family members in the Brownsville, Texas area.

Mom, although you are physically gone, we know that one day you and dad will embrace us all with open arms and loving hearts as we each arrive at the

gates of heaven to be together once again as the joyful, caring, united family you enjoyed. We thank you for being our mother and we hope you are as proud of us as we are of you. Give dad a hug and kiss from us and remember —WE WILL ALWAYS LOVE AND MISS YOU BOTH!!

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, December 3, 2008 at Queen of All Saints Catholic Church in Warden. Viewing will take place at the church on Tuesday afternoon from 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. and on Wednesday at the church from 9:00 a.m. until service time.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (PT)

Queen of All Saints Catholic Church (Rosary)
1100 S. Pine
Warden, WA

Visitation

DEC 3. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (PT)

Queen of All Saints Catholic Church (Rosary)
1100 S. Pine
Warden, WA

Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (PT)

Queen of All Saints Catholic Church (Rosary)
1100 S. Pine
Warden, WA

Tribute Wall

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“ Almost 13yrs have gone by Grandma and not one day I don't think of you. I miss you so much, my heart isn't the same without you and Apa . I hope I've made you proud Ama, I haven't forgotten what you've taught me. Please hug Apa for me I love you



Krystal Lopez - April 24, 2021 at 11:28 AM



“ Ahma we miss you and grandpa alot we missed the laughter and get togethers with you both present. But our family is strong and for you both we will keep the get togethers going. With you watching above I hope we all make you proud. I love the family I was brought into. FLORES is the best name anyone can hold, and to the family I love you all and hope we can all stay close and happy. God bless##imported-begin##Samantha, Alyson, Jeremiah, Dylan, Calob##imported-end##

December 27, 2008 at 03:38 PM



“ GRANDMA YOU WILL BE GREATLY MISSED. WE ALL GATHERED TOGETHER TO SHOW HOW MUCH YOU WERE AND HAVE BEEN LOVED. OUR SADNESS WILL ONLY MAKE US STRONGER. YOU WILL BE REMEMBERED FOR YOUR LOVING HEART, YOUR SWEET LAUGHTER, AND YOUR GUIDANCE. YOU WERE NOT ONLY OUR GRANDMA BUT ALSO OUR FRIEND. YOU TOOK THE TIME TO LISTEN WHEN WE NEEDED TO BE HEARD. IN YOUR OWN LITTLE WAY, YOU MADE A BIT OF OUR TROUBLES DISAPPEAR. YOU TOOK A PIECE OF OUR HEART WHEN YOU LEFT, BUT YOUR HEART WILL ALWAYS REMAIN WITH US.
GRANDMA & GRANDMA~ WE LOVE AND MISS YOU!##imported-begin##PEREZ FAMILY##imported-end##

December 04, 2008 at 07:28 PM



“ it was a great ceremony, we love and will miss her very much. cant wait till the next time we can all get together and celebrate what a wonderful family she raised and cared for. love you all very much, your family in spokane!##imported-begin##brianne , robert & the kids##imported-end##

December 03, 2008 at 11:55 PM



“ *this message is to my family I want to tell you all that im glad everyone that could showed up to pay their last respect to my mom.I was glad to meet everyone and see everyone please dont let this be the last time we see each other because we never know when our time is over here on earth. As i said in the service I love you all and hope we can always keep in touch. Thank you for being here for eachother and much love to you and your families, from the family of victor flores.##imported-begin##victor flores##imported-end##*

December 03, 2008 at 10:33 PM



“ A Grandparent's Love!

*It seems like only yesterday
Our lives were just beginning.
Your love for us never failed,
Our hearts continually mending.*

*It is strange to watch the time fly
Before our very eyes,
Which reminds me of the blessing,
That we have you in our lives.*

*To have yet to feel the touch
That's as gentle as your hand
The closeness of our family
One could never understand.*

*As each of our lives
Continue to change,
Reflections of your love
In each of us remains.*

*You have pointed out the path
And led us along the way;
The wisdom you have planted,
We each still hold today.*

*You sheltered us through childhood
And saw us through today,
Taught us of the Lord above,
About faith, and how to pray.*

*One day we'll all be in heaven
Dancing on the throne,
Praising God for giving us
A family like we've never known.*

*No matter where our lives may go,
We will trust the Lord above
And through it all always thank him for our grandparents love.*

Grandma, I love & miss you very much. There is not going to be one day that goes by that I am not going to think about you or grandpa. U both are always going to be in my heart forever & ever. You both will be missed and wont be forgotten. I LOVE YOU!##imported-begin##Sonya, Noel, & Boys##imported-end##

December 03, 2008 at 09:35 PM



“ Grandma, you will be must dearly we all love you so much and miss you. Your memories will remain with us for the rest of our lifes. Love Buddie.##imported-begin##Buddie Flores##imported-end##

December 03, 2008 at 01:57 AM



“ Grandma we will remember u always as a strong respectful kind and sometimes strict loving person. We wouldnt want u any other way cause that is what a Flores is!!! Thank you grandma for giving us our grandma and all our aunts and uncles.. "THE FLORES FAMILY"..with all love and respect. Rollie and Austin Give grandpa a big hug and kiss..##imported-begin##AUSTIN AND ROLLIE RIVAS##imported-end##

December 02, 2008 at 02:05 PM



“ *My memories of your mother are warm and comfortable. Your family has truly been blessed to have her as such a major life force for all these years.*

Thinking of her re-uniting with Fernando brings a smile and spirit lifter to me.

I wish you all well in this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Jim Kelly##imported-end##

December 02, 2008 at 01:19 PM



“ *senora flores,
You have all the love from family and friends and now you are with your husband and happy, thats all anyone wanted, may you rest in peace now. Although you will be missed dearly it wont be long until we all join you*

*,my deepest sincer
Angelica Gonzales##imported-begin##angelica gonzales##imported-end##*

December 02, 2008 at 01:15 AM



“ *Dear Norma, Elvira & Flores Family*

We are sorry for your loss of you mother Maria. Im glad that she is in a better place now with your dad in heaven. At least now she is not hurting and is a peace. Remember that we are here for you guys when you need something. We are only a call away. Take care and God bless.##imported-begin##Cristina, Ramiro & Ramirito Perez##imported-end##

December 02, 2008 at 12:26 AM



“ To the Flores Family, I've been a friend for a long time, and I'm your friend through the tough time as well. sorry for your lost of your loving mother Maria she is at a better place. God Bless You All.##imported-begin##Benito Reyes Jr.##imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 09:32 PM



“ The pain of a loss will hurt a while..but the memories you have built as a family with your beloved mother and father will be with you for eternity..with all my graditude to the flores family during this time Sincerely with love from Angel Gonzales##imported-begin##Angel Gonzales##imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 09:17 PM



“ My dear and loving grandma Maria until this moment i never knew how hard it is to lose the one we love, I will miss you for ever grandma, things will never be the same some day we will be together, so until then rest in peace because your in a better place. love you always, Andrea Jermie and Lilianna##imported-begin##Andrea Jermie And LiLianna##imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 12:34 PM



“ They say there is a reason they say time will heal but neither time nor reason will change the way we feel, for no one know's the heartaches that lies behind our smiles, no one know's how many times we have broken down and cried your so wonderful to think of, but so hard to be without. you were a loving friend, a grandma a bigger part of us. may you rest in peace and be happy know.###imported-begin##Virginia Gonzales ##imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 11:35 AM



“ Grandma (Ama)I'll miss you and I'll always remember the good times we had. I Love you and I'll see You later Dezarai Says Hi and that she misses you tell grandpa (Apa) that we miss him and give him kisses.

Love you always will be thinking of you Both.

Love Krystal Gonzalez & Family###imported-begin##Krystal Gonzalez & Family##imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 11:28 AM



“ Ma, yo se que esta en un lugar mas mejor. Yo te extraño mucho como extraño a mi pa. Nunca los voy a dejar de amar y seimpre van estar en mi corazon. Se cuidan mucho en el ceilo y cuidanos tambien. Los dos descansen en paz. I Love you, always and forever.###imported-begin##Marilynn Mora Robledo##imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 10:58 AM



“mom i miss you so much i wish you and dad were here with us my heart is so empty without you ive loved you all my life and it hurts so bad that you arent here. it seems like forever but its only been a while. i know in time my pain will heal but my love for you will never go away i love you###imported-begin###victor flores###imported-end##

December 01, 2008 at 01:48 AM