

Rosa Padilla

Rosa S. Padilla, 66, a lifetime resident of Barstow, died Tuesday, Feb. 24, 2004 in Victorville. She was born June 18, 1937 in Barstow. She was an instructional assistant at Barstow Unified School District for 23 years. She enjoyed photography, crafts and gardening. She graduated from Barstow High School and also from Barstow Community College with an A.A. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and Mt. St. Joseph prayer group. In addition, she was a part of Barstow Senior Circle, the On the Go Travel Club, and Our Lady of Perpetual Help. She was preceded in by her son, Tobias "Louie" Padilla. Survivors include her husband, Tobias E. Padilla of Barstow; daughters, Henrietta Miranda and Monica Padilla-Guardado of Barstow, Cynthia Padilla of Victorville, Gloryann Padilla of San Jose, and Bernadette Boenker of Ladera Ranch, Calif.; son, David Padilla of Phoenix, Ariz.; sisters, Concha Chavez of Barstow and Ruth Garcia of Apple Valley; grandsons, Matthew Miranda, Gilbert Guzman, Christopher Guardado, and Eric Guardado, Marcello Martinez, Louis Martinez of Barstow, Nick Arias of Victorville, Isaiah Padilla of Phoenix, Ariz., and Travis Boenker of Ladera Ranch; granddaughters, Lydia Miranda of Barstow, Leah Padilla of Phoenix, Ariz., Louann Pino of San Jose, Gina Arias of San Fernando Valley, great-grandsons, Lucky and Chance Martinez of Barstow; nieces, Erin Garcia of Apple Valley and Terri Roehm of San Luis Obispo; nephews, Juan Garcia of Apple Valley, Jay Chavez of Lemoore, Calif., and Richard Chavez of Barstow and special friend, Kiyoe Smith of Barstow. Visitation will be Sunday, Feb. 29, 2004 at 5 to 7 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 505 E. Mt. View. Rosary will follow at 7 p.m. also at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Funeral Mass will be Monday, March 1, 2004 at 11:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Memorial donations may be made to the Senior Citizen Center of Barstow.

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