



## Angela Marie Lopez/Flores

September 23, 1948 - March 20, 2015

Angela M Lopez

“Angie” “Gramma Angie”

09/23/1948 In Visalia ,CA

Mother Carmen Valdivia Flores and Romualdo Flores- Father

Preceded in death: Amada V Flores: her sister

She traveled through many countries while she was married to her first husband Gary Hinchey while he was in the Air Force and after he Came home from service she resided in Visalia til the present time.

Passed in her sleep on march 20, 2015 in her home in Visalia , CA

She was called Home by God to rest with her son whom she lived for while he was on this earth for what it seemed to be a precious moment of our lives. We know she is finally at peace because she can be with Christopher once again. She was previously married to Gary Hinchey and divorced in th early 70’s and had one child together; Christopher Lee Hinchey.

A few years She later Met Alfonso Lopez and they had conceived two children together. They parted ways in 1991 and she remained single until her passing  
Surviving family includes

Alfonso “Stephen” Lopez her youngest son

Melissa Lopez Erne Her middle child

Her oldest son is Christopher Lee Hinchey who preceded her in death at the age of 16 in 1993.

Grandchildren: Christopher Lopez, Anna Lopez, Aliya Lopez, Benjamin Lopez, Jasmine Deniz, Julie Deniz, and Daphne “our angel” Erne

She also was a Gramma to her fur Grand babies: Neon, Sgt. Pickles, Princess Cookie, Sparky. She loved and adored them as her children and spoiled them as much just like her grandchildren.

Her fur angels who preceded her in death were: Dutch, Milo the duck, and Scooby.

Her grandchildren were her everything and she lived and loved them with all her being. There was no greater joy brought to Angie than the time she had them around her.

Schooling

Elbow Creek Elementary School

Green Acres Junior High

Redwood Highschool where she was active in FFA AG and Band as well as being a straight A student.

Angies first job was at California Pretzel Company and worked at Good Shepherd Lutheran Home.

For 30 years she worked as an Instructional Aide for Severely Handicapped Students for the Tulare County Office of Education. She retired from that position in 2007. She respected many of her bosses and spoke highly of her students she taught at various schools around the Tulare County area. She loved the work she did and respected the staff she worked with throughout her career. While retired she worked during the election seasons at various polling places as she was very interested in politics and loved the chance to meet new people that had the same political views as she did. She also volunteered at Kaweah Delta District Hospital at the Guild making baby blankets and working the gift shop.

Angie was extremely artistic and could make anything and everything look beautiful with a little glue, glitter, and a lot of imagination. She had befriended many children and teenagers during her career that were not always in the best homes and environments. She left a positive impact on all of them to

make more out of themselves than what your environment left you to pursue. She had no hesitation in telling you the honest truth because sometimes, that is exactly the “kick in the rear” they needed to succeed. And Many of them did exactly that.

Her greatest artistic masterpieces were her children and grandchildren. She was strong willed and very no holds barred as to her immense compassion for them. She lived and breathed for each and every one of her children and grandchildren. Family was a vital part of her life and was truly her legacy to the world.

# Previous Events

## Memorial

MAY 2. 12:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel  
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