



## Carmelita Nellie Franco

January 5, 1955 - October 11, 2021

Carmelita Nellie Franco, 66 of Visalia, California, was called to heaven on Monday, October 11, 2021. Carmen was born to Frances Sandavol and Vincent Robles on January 5, 1955 in Visalia, California. She attended Redwood High school, and graduated in 1973. Carmen got married to James Galaz Sr. on January 19, 1973 and together they had three children: James Jr., Frances and Angel. Carmen became a widow and later on got married to John Franco in December of 1997.

Carmen worked thirty years in health care as a CNA nurse. She loved taking care of people, and she loved her family. She was a strong Christian woman who loved to worship god and to be involved in church as much as she could. She loved to knit, to go thrifting, and to spend time with her grandchildren. She will be remembered by family and friends for her spirit, her smile, her faith, and her strength.

In addition to her husband, and three children, Carmen is survived by nine grandchildren, Jasmine, Jazzell, Jeremy, Nicole, Nabor Jr, Aiyana, Madison, Caitlyn, and Chance; two great grandchildren; and three siblings out of seven Robert, Maria, and Frank.

Carmen will truly be missed always.

Viewing will be held 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Friday, November 12th, 2021 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia. Prayer Service will be held 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Friday, November 12th, 2021 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Graveside services will be held 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Friday, November 12th, 2021 at Exeter District Cemetery, 719 E. Marinette Ave., Exeter.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto [www.salseranddillard.com](http://www.salseranddillard.com).

# Previous Events

## Viewing

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Visalia, CA 93277

## Prayer Service

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## Graveside

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Exeter District Cemetery  
719 E. Marinette Ave.  
Exeter, CA 93221

# Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Carmelita Nellie Franco*



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**Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel** - November 11, 2021 at 01:51 PM