



Margie Orona Villa

June 2, 1955 - April 15, 2025

Margie Orona Villa, a woman whose heart was as big as her faith, passed away peacefully, surrounded by her daughters, in her hometown of Visalia, California. She was 69 years old.

Born on June 2, 1955, in Visalia to Selia Orona and Ynes Villa, Margie was the youngest of six children and grew up surrounded by family.

Though she faced her own physical and health challenges in life...first with crutches, then a wheelchair, Margie never let them dim her spirit. She was known for her kindness, her boundless love, and her unshakable faith in God, She had a heart of gold and a presence that made everyone feel loved.

Margie worked as a benefits specialist for several years, helping people with disabilities navigate their needs with care and compassion. Her empathy made her exceptional at her work and unforgettable to everyone who knew her. When her health forced her to step away from work, she remained devoted to her most cherished role as a loving mother, grandmother and wife. Her home was always filled with warmth, hugs and love.

She is survived by her husband, Natividad Rodriguez; her daughters Rebecca Flores (Jason), Victoria Montes (Adrian), and Jessica Gutierrez (Armando) and 15 grandchildren who were her pride and joy: John, Rena, Alex, Rosie,

Evalyn, Jason, Evan, Nathan, Aaron, Eli, Kaylee, Jacob, Austin, Gracyn, and Kayla.

Margie was preceded in death by her beloved son, Andrew Martinez; her parents, Selia and Ynes, and her siblings Tirso, John, Lupe, and Virginia, she is survived by her brother Al Villa.

To know Margie was to be embraced by her warmth, her positivity and her affectionate nature. She gave hugs that lasted, words that encouraged, and love that never wavered.

She will be deeply missed but never forgotten.

Memorial services will be held 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday, May 3rd, 2025 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Memorial

MAY 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Margie Orona Villa*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - May 01, 2025 at 12:11 PM

RF

“ *Regina Freitas and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Margie Orona Villa.*



Regina Freitas and Family - April 28, 2025 at 03:53 PM

RF

“ *So sorry to hear of your passing all thou we were far away from each other in different city's I know our hearts were always together I will miss you cousin till we see each other again in heaven. I Love you 💕*



Regina Fierro - April 25, 2025 at 07:13 PM

JG

“ *I love you mommy💕 I'll miss you everyday for the rest of my life💕*

Jessica Rodriguez Gutierrez - April 24, 2025 at 11:07 PM

IS

“ Where do I even start, Aunt Margie first I want to thank you for always being there for me , my memories go way way back to San Jose ,, you helped my mom raise me you helped and showed me how to be a mom , you taught me how to drive , you gave me (and Jerry) our first wine cooler and introduced us to cruising , I love you so so much and I will forever miss you 🌹❤️😭

irene Villa Soza - April 24, 2025 at 10:29 PM