



Mary Ellen Olivas

June 22, 1944 - September 12, 2023

Mary Ellen Olivas, 79, of Visalia, California entered into eternal rest on September 12, 2023 surrounded by her family.

She was born on June 22, 1944 in Artesia, New Mexico to Roman Sanchez and Petra Bernardo Sanchez.

She is preceded in death by both her parents, daughter Sharon Aliman, her brothers Samuel and Ernest Sanchez and her sister Christina Martinez. Mary worked for the State of California for 32 years as a supervisor and retired after. She then went on to working for Dannell Bros as a weighmaster, but fully retired after several years.

Mary is survived by her husband Jesus Olivas and daughters Denise Lucio (Abel) and Stephanie Mejia. Her grandson (son) Steven who she raised for the last 14 years as the son she always wanted. She has 40 great grandchildren and 1 great great granddaughter.

Mary was known by all that knew her for the love that she gave unconditionally. She loved to spend time with family and friends, whether it was at a family party or at her home, where she loved to cook and feed you her delicious homemade food.

Mary will be deeply missed by all her family and friends.

Visitation will be held 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Wednesday, October 4th, 2023 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia. Funeral services will follow from 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM. A Celebration of Life will follow at Veterans Memorial Building, 609 W. Center 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

Visitation

OCT 4. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (PT)

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

Funeral

OCT 4. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (PT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Mary Ellen Olivas*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - October 03, 2023 at 05:57 PM



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Ellen Olivas*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - October 03, 2023 at 05:38 PM