



Natividad Martinez Melendez

August 7, 1949 - October 4, 2025

It is with heartfelt sorrow that we announce the passing of Natividad Martinez Melendez, born on August 7, 1949, and peacefully departed on October 4, 2025. Natividad was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather whose warmth and kindness touched the lives of all who knew him. He was the cherished son of Tuarino Melendez and Santos Martinez. Natividad is survived by his devoted wife, Adela Melendez; his children, Nora Elia Gonzalez (David Gonzalez), Noelia Melendez (Rolando Ybarra), Veronica Melendez (Pedro Dominguez), Omar Melendez, Beatrice, Melendez Zamorano (Guadalupe Zamorano), and Arturo Melendez (Claudia, Chavez). Also leaving behind are his 21 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. His loving presence will be deeply missed by his family and friends. A visitation will be held on Wednesday, October 8, from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., with a prayer service at 7:00 p.m., at Lord and I Funeral Home in Penitas, Texas. A second visitation will be held on Thursday, October 9, as well from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., with a eulogy at 7:00 p.m., at Lord and I Funeral Home in Penitas, Texas. First chapel service will take place on Friday, October 10, at 10:00 a.m. and the second chapel service will take place as well on Friday, October 10, at 10:15 a.m. at the Lord and I Funeral Home in Penitas, Texas. Followed by a burial at the Lord and I Cemetery at 11:00 a.m. in Palmview, Texas. Natividad leaves behind a legacy of kindness and devotion that will be remembered forever. Rest in peace, Natividad Martinez Melendez. You will be missed but never forgotten. Funeral Services are under the care of Virgil

Wilson Mortuary -Mission, Texas.

Cemetery Details

The Lord and I Cemetery- Palmview, TX

1204 E. Goodwin Road.
Palmview, TX 78572
(956) 424-1280

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 8. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

The Lord and I Funeral Home - Peñitas, TX
1005 W. Expressway 83
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Prayer Service

OCT 8. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Eulogy

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Chapel Service

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OCT **10**. 10:15 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

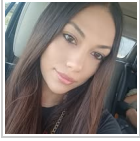
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Burial

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Tribute Wall



“ *Love you forever and always grandpa* ”



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