

Maria Juana Fernandez | 1943-2015

Published Saturday, April 11, 2015

Tags: Decatur



Maria Juana Fernandez

Maria Juana Fernandez, 71, of Decatur died Tuesday, April 7, 2015, at her home in Decatur.

Mass of Christian burial was April 10 at the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church with burial at Oaklawn Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Librado Fernandez, Octavio Fernandez, Gumaro Fernandez, Aurelio Fernandez Jr., Jake Fernandez and Jesse Fernandez.

Juana was born June 24, 1943, in Palmas Altas, Heres, Zacatecas, Mexico, to Francisco and Juana (Rodriguez) Chavez. She married Aurelio Fernandez Dec. 10, 1957, in Heres, Zacatecas, Mexico.

She was preceded in death by her parents; daughter Rosio Fernandez; and brother Pedro Chavez.

Juana is survived by her husband of 57 years, Aurelio Fernandez of Decatur; daughters Yolanda Gomez and husband, Joe, of Saginaw and Imelda Fernandez and husband, Brandon, of Haslet; sons Librado Fernandez and wife, Andrea, of Decatur, Octavio Fernandez and wife, Norma, of Fort Worth, Gumaro Fernandez and wife, Adriana, of Fort Worth, Aurelio Fernandez Jr. of Decatur, Jose Fernandez of Mexico and Jesse Fernandez and wife, Cindy, of Decatur; 26 grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren.

She is also survived by sister Gabriella Hernandez; brothers Marcelino, Juan, Victor, and Alberto Chavez; and numerous nieces, nephews and friends.