



## Erlinda Gomez

March 30, 1931 - April 9, 2024

Erlinda Gomez died peacefully surrounded by her children on April 9, 2024 due to heart failure. She was born March 30, 1931 in San Antonio, Texas. She lived there with her parents and many siblings until the age of 5. Her family then moved to Michigan until she was 8. They then moved to beautiful Santa Barbara, Ca. Erlinda met her husband, Hugo, at Santa Barbara High School and they later married. They resided in Santa Barbara for many years raising their 5 children. She was married for 59 years to her devoted husband before his death in 2011. She is survived by her sister Aurora Cervantes, her children Yvonne Gomez, David Gomez (Cheryl), Lisa Szymovicz (Ed), and Robert Gomez. She is also survived by her Grandchildren Lindsey and Brett Szymovicz, Marina Gomez, several step-grandchildren and several step great-grandchildren. Erlinda is preceded in death by her grandparents Rudolfo and Julia Gonzalez, her parents Marjil and Consuelo Casso, her daughter Claudine Gomez, her brothers Jesse, Marjil, Rudy, Raymond and Phillip Casso, and sister Vera Goena. We would like to thank the staff at Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital for caring for our mother. A very special thank you to Dr. Gul and Dr. Ross for their love, support and care.