



## Josephine Martinez

May 10, 1935 - April 26, 2015

Josephine "Josie" Martinez

On the morning of Sunday April 26th, 2015. Josephine passed away peacefully comforted by her daughter Cathy at Buena Vista Convalescent home in Goleta, CA as a result of complications from Congestive Heart Failure. She was 79 years old.

Josie was born in Santa Barbara CA. Daughter of Josephina Medina and Julio Lopez.

Josie is survived by her ex-husband Edward Martinez, her 5 daughters, Frances Lobaugh, Anna Walsh, Cathy Leyva, Mary Bennett, Alice Martinez. 2 grandchildren, Jennifer Dorwin & Nikki Schipper. 2 great-grand children, James & William Dorwin. 7 sisters, Teresa, Mercy, Mary, Carmen, Annie, Angie, Jennie, and brother Manuel.

The services will be held at Our Lady of Sorrows church on Friday May 1st at 10am. Burial to follow at Calvary Cemetery, N. Hope Ave. With reception to follow at Dolores Hall/Martin Brewer Center, by Our Lady of Sorrows. If you would like to send flowers for the service, send them to Welch-Ryce-Haider, 15 E. Sola St, SB, CA 93101.

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

199 North Hope Ave  
Santa Barbara, CA 93110  
(805) 687-8811  
[http://www.archdiocese.la/directories/cemeteries/info.php?cemetery\\_id=3](http://www.archdiocese.la/directories/cemeteries/info.php?cemetery_id=3)

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

APR **30**. 10:00 AM (PT)

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church  
21 E Sola Street  
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

# Tribute Wall

TS

“ *My condolence to your family and friends for such a difficult time.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

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**TSperry** - May 11, 2015 at 01:51 PM

KR

“ *Frances, Anna and family,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.  
Your high school friend,  
Karen Purcell Rodriguez, Goleta CA*

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**Karen Purcell Rodriguez** - May 04, 2015 at 11:26 PM

AF

“ *My dear Nieces, With my deepest sympathy in the loss of your  
mother! I remember when we were growing up at the farm in Downy  
Ca. my sister Jpsie would give me a ride on Dickie(our horse)  
bareback. I was so happy enjoying the ride with her.. I have many  
happy memories of her. My dear sister may you rest in peace for i  
know you are in heaven with mom, dad and your brothers.*

*Love you, Aunt Angie*

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**Angie Lopez Franco** - April 30, 2015 at 04:44 PM

SG

“ To My Dear Cousins, I remember many of the get togethers at your house , and of course at many of the parks in Santa Barbara, and of course at other family members houses. Those are the good ole Memories, and may they be cherished for many many years. I Hope that we all become closer with family through this most difficult time and afterward. Family will Always be Family in my Book. Unfortunately, sometimes the passing of our loved ones, causes us to reflect about those times. Though they were pleasant, it doesn't mean that they have to stop. I have faith as I have said before, That we will See Your Mom again, along with all our loved ones that have left us for now, but remain in our hearts for eternity. Always remember the soul lives on, as her soul is very Much Alive and Well. God Bless All Of You, We Miss You Tia!! Love and Hugs Always, Steve

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**Steve Garcia** - April 30, 2015 at 01:57 AM