



## Librada Hernandez

July 20, 1910 - September 30, 2009

Librada Juarez Hernandez Librada Juarez Hernandez passed away at the age of 99 years on September 28, 2009 in Huntsville, Texas. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, September 30, 2009, at 2:00 p.m. at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas. Mrs. Hernandez was born in Monterrey, Mexico on July 20, 1910 to Enrique and Maria Guzman Juarez. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Juan Hernandez, and a son, Francisco Hernandez. She is survived by daughters Elizabeth Garcia, Lidia Shadle, and Consuelo Roussett; sons Ruben, Benjamin and Roberto Hernandez; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She moved to Texas in the aftermath of the Mexican Revolution with other members of the Martinez extended family. By the mid-1920s, most of that family was working at a sawmill owned by Edward Boettcher, Sr. in Westfield, Texas. When Mr. Boettcher moved his mill to the Huntsville area in the late 1920s, many of his workers moved with him, thus establishing the first sizable Mexican-American community in Walker County. Mrs. Hernandez lived in Boettcher's Mill, where her husband was employed, for over three decades, and her children were born and raised there. She was a member of Faith Memorial Baptist Church for many years and was one of the last survivors of that original group of Mexican families who moved to this area to help open Boettcher's Mill. The family wishes to thank all of the caregivers that have cared for our mother over the last several years of her life, especially Mae Bookman. All who knew her will miss her and will cherish their memories of

her. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Librada Hernandez*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Lidia, my condolences to you and yours. What wonderful memories your mother had and gave to her children. I would have loved to have heard some of her stories*

**Dalia Harrelson** - October 03, 2009 at 09:26 PM



“ *my thoughts and Prayers are with you in the loss of your Mother;thank you for letting me in your home and caring for you wonderful mother Nnancy Lara*

**NANCY LARA** - October 01, 2009 at 10:08 AM



“ *Libby - Don and I offer you our deepest sympathy and condolences. Our prayers are with you in your hour of grief.*

**Don & Eleanor McWilliams** - September 30, 2009 at 03:26 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

**Mardi Hair Taylor** - September 30, 2009 at 12:12 PM

PK

“ Libby and Lydia, So sorry to hear about your mom. May God bless you through this tough time. Our thoughts and prayers are with your families. Love, Peggy (Hightower) and Milton Kroesche

Peggy Kroesche - September 30, 2009 at 11:11 AM

RH

“ I have the fondest memories of my Tia Lala from my earliest childhood. Her firm hand introduced me to responsibility and also coaxed my long hair into ponytails so tight that I looked perfectly Asian by the time she was finished. She had a most profound influence on my early upbringing. She will be greatly missed, but her memory will live on in our hearts.

Rosemary (Martinez) & Donnie Heinsohn - September 30, 2009 at 10:23 AM

MG

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you in the loss of your mother.

Marina Garcia - September 30, 2009 at 08:38 AM

EW

“ my thoughts and Prayers are with you in the loss of your Mother;  
With Love, Ellie

Eloise Wells - September 29, 2009 at 03:35 PM

LR

“ Girls.I would like to tell you how sorry I am for the loss of your wonderful Mother!. Thank you for allowing us the pleasure of meeting her and caring for her.Oh Bless You All For The Care You Gave Her!!!!.She is with her LORD now! Oh what a happy time she is having!!! Linda Rutledge

Linda Rutledge - September 29, 2009 at 09:41 AM