



## Carmel Cardenas

February 20, 1932 - October 7, 2008

Funeral Mass for Carmel Estrada Cardenas, 76, loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother and sister, will be held at 10:00 A.M., Friday, October 10, 2008 at St. John Fisher Catholic Church in Richmond with interment following at Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg. Father Manuel La Rosa-Lopez will officiate the services.

Pallbearers will be Rudy Estrada, Robert Cortez, Mike Danielson, Javier Juarez, Robert Estrada and Alfredo Cortez. Calvin Wayne Grant will be an honorary pallbearer.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 P.M. until 9:00 P.M., with a Rosary to be recited at 7:30 P.M., Thursday, October 9, 2008 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will also be held from 8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M., Friday, October 10, 2008 in the chapel. The funeral procession will depart at 9:30 A.M. Friday from Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home en route to the church.

Carmel was born February 20, 1932 in Holman, Texas to Rufus Isaac and Inez Cruz Estrada. She went to be with the Lord on October 7, 2008 with her loving family by her side at her residence.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Crespín Cardenas;

parents, Rufus Isaac and Inez Estrada; siblings, Rafaela Bravo, Lionicio Estrada, Julio Estrada, Rodolfo Estrada, Macario Estrada, Antonia Estrada and Isaac Estrada.

Carmel is survived by her children, Crespín Cardenas, Jr. of Carrabelle, Fla., Julie Cardenas and husband, Calvin Wayne Grant of Houston, TX, Manuel Cardenas of McKinney, TX; her grandchildren, Crespín III, Michelle, Billy Jo, Venus, Thomas and Angel; Robert and Christopher Wayne and Shirley, Victoria and Todd; her brothers and sisters, Felicia Cardenas, Cresencia Santos, Martina Gonzales, Jose Estrada, Janie Schrubb, Rodolfo Estrada, Roberto Estrada, Teresa Gonzales and Jesus Estrada; numerous great-grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

For those wishing, tributes and words of condolence may be left for the Cardenas Family at [www.davisgreenlawnfh.com](http://www.davisgreenlawnfh.com).

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“ *Mr. & Mrs. Cardenas were our neighbors for many years. We miss Mr. Cardenas and we will truly miss Mrs. Cardenas. She was a very nice neighbor. She had a kind and gentle spirit. She is now with Mr. Cardenas in heaven. We always remember seeing them together. We know that they loved one another very much. To the Estrada & Cardenas: "Look to hills which cometh your help, Your help comes from our Lord and Savior." You have our condolences. Alma & Sharon Tate*

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**Alma & Sharon Tate** - October 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM