



Hermangilda "Mary" Vela

April 13, 1923 - October 30, 2011

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RACINE- Mary Vela, 88, passed away on October 30, 2011 at Wheaton Franciscan Health Care-All Saints with her son by her side. Mary was born in New Mexico on April 13, 1923, the daughter of the late Abundio and Maria (nee: Barrasa) Yanez. She was united in marriage to Raul Vela on February 17, 1941 in Chandler, Arizona. Mary found enjoyment in playing Bingo, gardening, and tending to her flowers. Her greatest joy was spending time with her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

Mary is survived by her children, Gloria Aguilar of Racine, Raynaldo (Linda) Vela of Eau Claire, David (Sue) Vela of Racine, Angeline Garcia-Vela of Milwaukee and Adeline (David) Hollis of West Virginia. She is further survived by 18 grandchildren, 37 great grandchildren, nine great-great grandchildren, and one sister, Maria "Bucha" Gonzalez of California, in addition to nieces, nephews, other relatives and dear friends.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Raul in December of 2004, daughters, Lusía Rodriguez in April of 2011, Maria Elena and Genevieve, son-in-law, Miguel Aguilar Sr. one brother, Sammy Yanez and one sister, Josefita.

Funeral services will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Thursday November 3, 2011 at 10:30 a.m. She will be laid to rest at Calvary Cemetery following services. Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Wednesday November 2, 2011 from 5 until 7 p.m. and on Thursday from 10 a.m. until service time.

The Vela family would like to extend a very special thank you to the nurses

and staff at Wheaton Franciscan Health Care for the fine care and compassion Mary received during her illness.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

Racine, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 2. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
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Visitation

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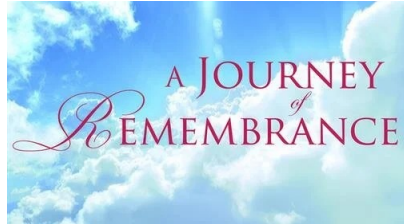
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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Hermangilda "Mary" Vela*



Sturino Funeral Home - October 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM