



Marcella "Margie" Drastata

January 22, 1929 - August 9, 2018

Marcella (Margie) Kotlar Drastata, age 89, of Palacios, Texas died Aug 9, 2018. She was born on January 22, 1929 in Hillje, Texas to Frank J. and Agnes Koudela Kotlar.

Margie grew up in Hillje, worked in El Campo, then in Houston prior to marrying Joe F. Drastata in Hillje on November 18, 1947. Joe and Margie settled in Palacios where they raised their 3 children.

Margie's life centered around her family and her church, St. Anthony's Catholic Church. She kept a large vegetable garden and beautiful roses in her yard. She sewed, crocheted, and quilted. She was especially known for her homemade bread, kolaches, and lemon meringue pies. Margie played beautiful music on her keyboard and she painted wonderful landscapes, both self-taught talents.

After Joe's retirement, Margie and Joe were blessed to travel all over the U.S. by attending the annual reunions with Joe's World War II squadron.

Margie leaves behind her son Douglas Drastata of Dickinson, daughter Janet Drastata Bliss (husband Bill) of Bastrop, son-in-law Steven Morrison (wife Patt) of Clear Lake, and grandchildren Tammy Bolander (husband John) of Houston, Michele Morrison of Pasadena, Wayne Drastata (wife Debbie) of

League City, Ryan Bliss (wife Sarah) of Bastrop, Kevin Bliss (wife Becky) of The Woodlands, and Darin Bliss of Bastrop. She is also survived by her great grandchildren Mason Drastata, Tyler Davidson, Drew Davidson, T.C. Bliss (wife Shaylyn), Rivers Bliss, Maggie Bliss, Hayden Bliss, Noah Bliss, and Madeline Bliss.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Joe F. Drastata, her daughter Diana Drastata Morrison, her sisters Mary Popp, Betty Juranek, Cecilia Hoffmann, Bessie Juranek and her brothers Frank, Blasé, and Johnnie Kotlar.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. Monday, August 13 at Triska Funeral Home in El Campo followed by rosary service at 7 p.m. . The funeral mass and burial will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, August 14 at St. John's Catholic Church in Taiton, Texas.

Pallbearers are Wayne Drastata, Ryan Bliss, Kevin Bliss, Darin Bliss, T.C. Bliss, and Steven Morrison.

Memorial donations may be made to St. John's Catholic Church Building Fund, 1843 County Road 469, El Campo, TX 77437.

Condolences may be left for the family online at www.triskafuneralhome.com
Triska Funeral Home, El Campo, 979-543-3681

Cemetery Details

St. John Catholic Cemetery

1843 CR 469
El Campo, TX 77437

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 13. 4:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home
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Rosary

AUG 13. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Susan Rhame, River Valley Christian Fellowship purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Marcella "Margie" Drastata.*



Susan Rhame, River Valley Christian Fellowship - August 12, 2018 at 01:05 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marcella "Margie" Drastata.*



August 11, 2018 at 11:22 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Marcella "Margie" Drastata.*



August 11, 2018 at 10:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marcella "Margie" Drastata.*



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