



Margaret Montello

June 2, 1923 - September 12, 2019

Margaret Josephine Lundquist Montello, 96, of Madisonville, passed away September 12, 2019. She was born on June 2, 1923 in Garwood to the late David and Hulda Olson Lundquist. Margaret was a Lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps and served in WWII as a nurse.

She is survived by her daughter, Lisa Starns and husband Kenneth of Midway; sons, Gregory Montello and wife Patti of El Campo and Rodney Montello and wife Nancy of Pollok and grandchildren, Morgan Wright and husband Jimmy and their children Rylee and Ranie Wright, Monte Jack Starns and Zach Montello and wife Jess.

Margaret was preceded in death by her parents and husband Victor E. Montello.

Visitation begins 9 a.m. Monday, September 16 at Triska Funeral Home with services following at 10 a.m. Burial with military honors under the auspices of the American Legion Post 251 will follow at Oaklawn Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Monte Starns, Zach Montello, Jimmy Wright, Keith Treybig, Derrick Treybig and Walter Rutherford.

Memorial donations in memory of Margaret may be made to El Campo

Memorial Hospital.

Triska Funeral Home, El Campo, 979-543-3681

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Memorial Park

4609 State Hwy 71
El Campo, TX 77437

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **16**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

TJ

“ Tommy Morton Jr lit a candle in memory of Margaret Montello



Tommy Morton Jr - October 16, 2019 at 09:01 AM

PT

“ Pam Turner lit a candle in memory of Margaret Montello



Pam Turner - September 24, 2019 at 07:04 AM

RM

“ So sorry to hear of Mrs. Motello. She was my nurse for many years and when I think of her I think of strength. She was enormously helpful to me and will always be thankful she was able to work for me. She adored Zach and Morgan and was as proud as a grandparent can be of them. I am sorry I was unable to make the services. Ronald J Cochran M D

Ronald J Cochran MD - September 20, 2019 at 09:31 PM

CR

“ *Cindy Riha lit a candle in memory of Margaret Montello*



Cindy Riha - September 18, 2019 at 10:56 PM

MS

“ *I believe Mrs. Montello was my school nurse almost all the way through school! She was a very nice person and my deepest condolences to the family.*

Martin Strarup - September 17, 2019 at 12:25 PM

VH

“ *Deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Montello. She was a sweet lady and always had a smile when she saw you and never met a stranger. A true Texas lady.,*

Vickie Holub & Debbie Krenek

Vickie Holub - September 16, 2019 at 12:57 PM

JM

“ Dear Gregory, Rodney, Lisa and all the Montello Family, while it has been decades since the Burrows and Montellos were neighbors, Mrs. Montello's passing is very dear to our hearts. I am sorry that Mom and I (Joycelyn) can't be with you today, but the circumstances here just didn't allow for that. We honor Margaret/Mrs. Montello for her sparkling personality. Mom and Mrs. Montello had many life discussions in the alley between our houses. And, I personally know what a wonderful, caring school nurse she was. I will never forget her crisp uniform, cap and CAPE! She's been there for Barclay, Leonard, and Eric on more than one occasion. What a lady. I am so truly sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful woman. May God's grace bless you all during your time of grief. Sincerely, Joycelyn Morris and Gertrude Burrow

Joycelyn Morris - September 16, 2019 at 11:57 AM

KT

“ I will always remember getting a running start in Great Aunt Margaret's and Great Uncle Monte's kitchen and leaping off the steps from her kitchen to a giant bean bag on the floor in her den and hearing Aunt Margaret laughing and reminding my sister and I to not miss the bean bag...she treated Mauri and I like her own grandchildren with such love and affection as did our cousins Greg, Rodney, and Lisa...I will remember the joy she brought me as a kid and the kindness and support she shared with me throughout my adult life!! I love you Aunt Margaret and I will look forward to seeing your smiling face and twinkling eyes again ❤️

Keith Treybig - September 16, 2019 at 07:45 AM

MB

“ Margaret was a wonderful woman. I really enjoyed quilting and sewing with her & my Mom (Catherine Drapela). I should be a better quilter than I am because I learned from 2 of the best. May she rest in peace. Although she & Mom may be quilting up in heaven.
Mary Kay Beard

Mary Kay Beard - September 15, 2019 at 11:01 PM

TB

“ I just loved having Margaret as a friend at GV. She was truly a character and spoke her mind. A life well lived and much loved. Waking up in Heaven is her reward.
Thinking of her family. Toodie Brady

toodie brady - September 14, 2019 at 09:44 PM

KC

“ My Deepest Sympathy to the Margaret Montello Family. She was such a lovely and sweet Lady. I enjoyed visiting with her at Garden Villa and hearing her stories of her earlier life and adventures. She had a charming and witty way about her. May all the Memories comfort all the Family and May she now rest in Peace.
Kate Corgey

Kate Corgey - September 14, 2019 at 02:26 PM

VB

Rest In Peace Mrs Montello. She was a beautiful lady inside and out.

Vicki Berndt - September 14, 2019 at 05:28 PM

SP

“ Love to you all. What a special lady she was. May she now rest in peace.
Love,
Scooter and Sherry

Sherry Pietsch - September 14, 2019 at 10:40 AM

FK

“ My sympathy to Mrs. Montello's family. We will be thinking of you during your loss.
Fran Kyle

Frances A Kyle - September 14, 2019 at 09:56 AM

MM

“ Sorry for my misspell. My prayers and condolences to the Margaret Montello family.



Melissa Mayo - September 13, 2019 at 06:07 PM

SS

“ Sherry Salinas lit a candle in memory of Margaret Montello



Sherry Salinas - September 13, 2019 at 05:51 PM

MM

“ *My prayers and condolences to the Margaret Montpellier family.*



Melissa Mayo - September 13, 2019 at 05:26 PM

TT

“ *The Texas Trans Ova Genetics Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Margaret Montello.*



The Texas Trans Ova Genetics Team - September 13, 2019 at 05:00 PM

WR

“ *So many memories of this lady! I worked under her at Nightingale Hospital, was neighbor for 14 years! Loved our visits and always thought of part of family! Nonna, Mom M, Mrs. Montello affectionately known by many will be sorely missed! RIP sweet lady! Thank you for your service in WW II and as Nurse for ECISD and local hospitals!*

Lisa, Kenneth, Monte Jack, Rodney, Nancy, Mo, Friday, Rylee, Rainee, Greg, Pattie, Zach and Jess lifting y'all up in our prayers and sending our love! ❤️❤️ Walt and Terry

Walt and Terry Rutherford - September 13, 2019 at 04:33 PM



She was a wonderful person and a great nurse . May she rest in peace . My deepest condolences to her family. 🙏🙏

Esther Ansink - September 13, 2019 at 05:03 PM

IF

“ *My Condolences to the Family, she will be greatly missed. Mrs Montello was so kind to us one of the best neighbors we could ever have had. She would make sure when my kids were little, that she would bring them candy early on Halloween because she was going to be watching the game ❤️ Mr Montello always made sure we had fresh vegetables from his garden. He would ride his lawnmower over and toss a bag on the back porch. May they rest easy together.*

Irene Flores - September 13, 2019 at 04:19 PM