



Thomas Salazar, Jr.

April 5, 1939 - January 5, 2011

Thomas Salazar Jr., 71, of Danevang, passed away Jan. 5, 2011. He was born April 5, 1939 in El Campo to Thomas and Elvira Montez Salazar. He was retired and had been employed at Greenleaf Nursery.

He is survived by his wife, Betty Salazar of Danevang; daughters, Rachel Salazar of Rosenberg, Kristie Gibson of Rockport, Linda Escamilla of El Campo, Lisa Garza of El Campo and Theresa Cordero of Danevang; sons, Thomas Salazar III of Port Lavaca and Raymond Gonzalez of El Campo; 27 grandchildren, 37 great-grandchildren; sister, Belia McGlone of Rockport and brothers, Robert and Arthur Salazar, both of Rockport.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Alex Salazar Jr. and Richard Salazar.

Visitation will be from noon until 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 7 at Triska Funeral Home with a parish rosary recited at 6 p.m. Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 8 at St. Robert's Catholic Church. Burial will follow at the La Colonial del Campo Cemetery. Pallbearers are Zachary Thomas Salazar, James Gibson, Eric Escamilla, Mick Escamilla, Ruben Lee Garza, Jerry Garza, John Cordero and Joseph Gonzalez.

Memorials in memory of Thomas Salazar Jr. may be made to assist the family

with funeral expenses.