



## Maria Elena Diaz Alejandro Garcia

December 11, 1933 - February 17, 2021

Maria Elena Diaz Alejandro Garcia passed away on Wednesday, February 17, 2021 at the age of 87. She was a native of Havana, Cuba and a resident of LaPlace, LA.

Beloved wife of the late Alvaro Gaspar de la Santisima Trinidad Garcia Pinera. Loving mother of Alvaro Aquilino Garcia (Helen M. Z. Harwood), Maria Melania Garcia Clement, Elena Celerina Garcia Labat (Layne Michael Labat, Sr.) and Maria Victoria Garcia Coy (Bernie Dean Coy). Daughter of the late Jose Ramon Diaz de la Fuente and Pilar Alejandro y Fernandez. Sister of Maria del Pilar Diaz Alejandro Matos (Victor Enrique Matos Urjelles), Jose Ramon Diaz Alejandro and the late Regina Pilar Diaz Alejandro Buxton and Carlos Federico Diaz Alejandro. Sister-in-law of the late Luisa Celestina Garcia Pinera de Tabe and Aquilino Garcia (Dionis Garcia). Grandmother of Maria Elena del Pilar Rodriguez Uribe (Ronald Uribe), Cristina Maria Isabel Rodriguez Dornan (Sean Dornan), Diego Alvaro Rodriguez (Victoria Grace Carney Rodriguez), Alejandro Francisco Rodriguez and August Alexander Matzko Sangster. Great grandmother of Maria Isabel Uribe, Katalina Grace Rodriguez, Dylan Jude Dornan, Callum James Dornan and Iliana Graciela Dornan. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 529 W. 5th St., LaPlace on Tuesday, February 23, 2021 from 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. with a Rosary beginning at 10:45 a.m. followed by a Mass at 11:00 a.m. Interment in St. John Memorial Gardens Cemetery. In lieu

of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Scholarship Fund of UNBOUND to keep Maria Elena's spirit alive at UNBOUND-Scholarship Program Fund, 1 Elmwood Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66103, (800)875-6564, [www.unbound.org](http://www.unbound.org)

Arrangements by Millet-Guidry Funeral Home. Please consider sharing your thoughts, favorite memory or condolences at [www.milletguidry.com](http://www.milletguidry.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. John Memorial Gardens Cemetery

2205 W. Airline Hwy.  
LaPlace, LA 70068

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **23**. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church  
529 W. 5th St.  
LaPlace, LA 70068

## Rosary

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## Mass

FEB **23**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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529 W 5th St  
Laplace, LA 70068-3941  
(985) 652-9100



# Tribute Wall



“ *Maria Elena Diaz Alejandro Garcia*

October 05, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ *Mel, so sorry to learn of your mother's passing. Such a sweet, pleasant lady. Always enjoyed conversation with her. We recalled the time she bought a new Hummer and came to your house. Todd was really impressed with it. He said one day he'd like to drive one. She promptly gave him the keys and said go drive it around. He couldn't believe it! He sure enjoyed driving around the neighborhood that day. Such a kindness. Treasure your memories. Our love and sympathy to you and your family.*

*Fred & Phyllis Boudreaux*

**Phyllis Boudreaux** - February 24, 2021 at 06:27 PM



“ *Maria Victoria, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I am so sorry for the passing of your Beautiful Mother. During our precious time at St. Peter's School, she was truly an inspiration to me and I'll never forget her unconditional loving Spirit to everyone who knew her. May she rest in heaven's peace Amen*



**Lisa Tregre-Wilder** - February 22, 2021 at 11:51 PM

KE

*Dear, Maria Victoria Garcia Coy  
Rick and I are holding you and your family prayerfully in our hearts. Your mother was a beautiful and loving soul she touched me with her loving spirit as a young teen which I have carried with me always. And now with her passing forever in my heart. She is back home and watching over us all. The love and care you provided for your mother with the support of Mr. Coy and Cindy was truly the most incredible form of love and respect for your mother, that a daughter can share with her mother. I am proud to be your friend. If I can help in any way please ask We pray for peace in your family knowing MOM is at PEACE 🙏*

**Kelly Edwards** - February 23, 2021 at 02:20 AM

KS

*“ Maria Victoria and Family, Please accept our condolences for the passing of your sweet mama. How blessed and lucky she was to had the love, care, and compassion she had for you as your mom returned to her in her time. A great gift of love.*

**Korrie Sabbagh** - February 22, 2021 at 10:27 PM

FH

*“ Dear Al, Melania, Maria, and especially my classmate Elena, my deep condolences to you on this occasion of the death of your dear mother Maria. I have fond memories of her and will pray for her and you and your families at this bittersweet time. Your mother now enjoys the peace and indescribable joy of heaven and is free from whatever suffering she endured these past years. I will celebrate Masses for her and your beloved father in the coming months. I am sorry I cannot be with you this Tuesday at St. Joan of Arc church due to a parish commitment of my own here at St. Gertrude's in Des Allemands where I am Pastor, but know that I would be there if I could. Santa Maria, Madre de Dios, ruega por nosotros. Amen.  
Father Ray Hymel*

**Father Ray Hymel** - February 20, 2021 at 08:19 AM

TB

“ *Victoria & Family,  
I am so sorry to hear of your mothers passing.  
She was a fun and loving woman.*

*Tina Scioneaux Bourgeois*



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**Tina Bourgeois** - February 19, 2021 at 02:50 PM