



## Maria Montemayor

September 20, 1912 - January 15, 2009

GALLATIN, TN - Maria Rocha Montemayor 96 years old, formerly of Adrian, departed this life peacefully on January 15, 2009, at the Gallatin, TN residence of her daughter Trinidad Montemayor. At her side were her two devoted daughters Trinidad Montemayor and Viola Jontz.

She was born in Waco, TX on September 20, 1912 and moved to Adrian in 1946. Mrs. Montemayor was a devoted and loving wife mother and grandmother. When she was 75 years old the mother of her grandchildren Anthony and Destiny Montemayor passed away. She then dedicated herself to helping her son Ernest raise them. She and Destiny moved to Hendersonville, TN, June 2002 where they lived in their own home until September 2008. Mrs. Montemayor worked various jobs throughout her life and retired from Tuttle of Tecumseh.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 40 years Martin Montemayor, Sr., her parents, all of her siblings and her granddaughter Kelley Jontz Maxey, She is survived by sons, Martin (Diane) Montemayor of Ann Arbor, MI: Melecio (Elvira) Montemayor of Milwaukee, WI: and Ernest Montemayor of Adrian, MI: daughters, Trinidad Montemayor of Gallatin, TN and Viola (William) Jontz, Jr. of Hendersonville, TN. Also, surviving are 12 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The Funeral Mass for Maria will be conducted at St. Mary's Catholic Church on Monday, January 19, 2009 at 10:00 A.M. with Father Robert Schramm presiding. Burial will follow at Lenawee Hills Memorial Park in Adrian. Friends may visit Maria's family on Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home where there will be a prayer service at 7:00 p.m. You may sign the register book or send condolences to the family at [www.wagleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.wagleyfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 18. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home and Cremation Service  
1501 W. Maumee St.  
Adrian, MI

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JAN 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

JAN 19. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary's Catholic Church  
305 Division Street  
Adrian, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *Maria Montemayor*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Hi People  
How are you doing?##imported-begin##Mypeincitte##imported-end##*

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October 10, 2009 at 01:21 AM



“ *God Bless you in your return home to His beautiful Kingdom.*

*With love,  
John-David(grandson of Eloise Reyes), Vicki, Sophia, and Olivia  
Rocha - Lakewood, CO##imported-begin##Family of Dr. & Mrs.  
John-David Rocha##imported-end##*

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January 19, 2009 at 05:08 PM



“ *May she rest in peace. To the family my deepest sympathy for a  
mother & grandmothers love is like no other love. Cherish the many  
many years of memories for she will live on in your hearts forever.  
Love to all of you.*

*Grace Leal (Eloisa's daughter)##imported-begin##Grace  
Leal##imported-end##*

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January 18, 2009 at 09:49 PM



“ *She will live on in the hearts of everyone who loved her. My condolences to the Montemayor family.##imported-begin##Stephanie Leal##imported-end##*

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January 18, 2009 at 09:37 PM



“ *Aunt Mary you will be missed.  
To the family she leaves behind, may it help to know that so many share in your sorrow.  
Warmest thoughts & memories.*

*Veronica(daughter of Eloisa Reyes, grand-daughter of Lucille Gonzales)##imported-begin##Veronica & John Denning##imported-end##*

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January 18, 2009 at 07:21 PM



“ *I will miss you dearly.*

*Love Your Niece,*

*Eloisa Reyes##imported-begin##Eloisa T. Reyes##imported-end##*

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January 18, 2009 at 05:05 PM



“ *Our sincerest condolences go out to the Montemayor family.  
Thinking of you. - Richard Kristian Rocha (oldest son of Veronica and grandson of Eloise Reyes) and Family.##imported-begin##Richard Rocha##imported-end##*

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January 17, 2009 at 11:59 PM



“ we love you grandma and youll be greatly missed!!!!##imported-begin##justine, kyra, and justin hampton##imported-end##

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January 17, 2009 at 11:16 PM



“ I am very sorry to learn of Mrs. Montemayor passing. She was a good woman. I went to school with Trinidad and Melecio. Remember those 'good ole days' at Garfield School? Jean Obenour Onsted##imported-begin##jean onsted##imported-end##

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January 17, 2009 at 10:43 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy to the entire Montemayor family.##imported-begin##Chris & Phyllis Shelton and family##imported-end##

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January 17, 2009 at 10:41 AM