



Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza

December 30, 1925 - December 30, 2015

Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza 1925-2015

Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza, 90, passed away at Orchard Park Rehab in Orem, Utah, on Wednesday, December 30, 2015 at 1:39 p.m. She was born on August 31, 1925 in Santiago, Chile to Manuel Ramírez Contreras and María Raquel Diaz Morales. On December 24, 1943 she married Vicente Espinoza Cordova.

She spent most of her childhood in Santiago where she lived with her mother and her grandmother, Elvira Luisa Morales Farías. After attending grammar school, she attended a vocational school where she learned hairstylist and cosmetology skills and other trades. She enjoyed working on looms, knitting machines, sewing and creating clothing, apparel and various crafts and projects for family, friends and part of her work. She was a skilled and avid gardener all of her adult life. Her vast garden was a wonderful hobby and a great solace to her, especially later in life.

In 1962, she joined The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served with great enthusiasm as Chilean Mission Relief Society President, among other callings. In 1968, she immigrated to the United States, along with her husband and mother, making Provo, Utah her home. During the time she lived in Utah, she was employed by the Provo LDS Temple, Brigham Young

University-Housing Department, and after retirement, she joined Mountainland Association of Governments, Latino Senior Citizens Group, where she served as the Community Coordinator. She always enjoyed providing service to her community, church, family and friends.

She is survived by her son, Luis V. Espinoza, daughters, Cecilia E. (Glenn) Marston, and Nelly Zamorano Espinoza; grandchildren: Luis (A. Susana) Espinoza, Kerina Elizabeth Espinoza, Glenn (Michelle) Marston, Jr., Ryan Luis Marston, Berta Zamorano, Gloria Zamorano, Nancy Zamorano, Sandra Zamorano, Fernanda Zamorano and extended family; great-grandchildren: Luis Genaro Espinoza, Jessica Bianca Espinoza, Vincent Cameron (Haley) Espinoza, Cristian Kimball Espinoza, Brisa Tatiana Espinoza, Alejandra (Taylor) Cowley, Galina Espinoza, Fiona Marston, Phoebe Marston. Cousin: Enrique O. Corrales (Cristina).

She was preceded in death by her father, Manuel Ramírez; mother, María Raquel Díaz; brother, Jorge Ramírez; daughter-in-law, Cleria A. Espinoza.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, January 7, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. at the Grandview East Stake, 1081 West 1060 North, Provo, Utah. Family visitation will be held at 11:30 a.m.

The family would like to express their gratitude to all the members of the Grandview 20th Ward, especially the Sisters of the Relief Society, who took special care of Eliana prior to her surgery. A heartfelt thank you to Dr. Christopher Pelt, Dr. Adam Bergeson, Dr. Dr. Lawrence Nobuhara, Cory Miller, and team for their medical care; to the management, staff, Dr. Jolley, nurses and CNAs of Orchard Park Rehab; and to Dr. Lore and his team at Horizon Hospice of Orem, Utah.

Cemetery Details

Provo City Cemetery

610 Sout State Street
Provo, UT

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 11:30 AM (MT)

Grandview 20th Ward
1081 West 1060 North
Provo, UT 84604

Funeral Service

JAN 7. 12:00 PM (MT)

Grandview 20th Ward
1081 West 1060 North
Provo, UT 84604

Tribute Wall



“ *Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *Eliana was one of my favorite people to visit with. She was little and petite and full of energy, love and concern for those around her. Whenever we met I always got a big hug and told her she reminded me of my own grandmother. Rest in peace special lady. My thoughts and prayers go out to her family.*

Lois C Kelson - January 10, 2016 at 11:32 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza.*



January 07, 2016 at 10:48 AM



“ *My sincerest condolences to the Espinoza family. I was blessed to know Eliana, and it was always a delight to visit her. She shared her love of family and her homeland of Chile. She also told of her love for serving others. She sewed beautiful large dolls, one of which she gave to my daughter. She will be missed.*

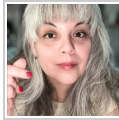
Deborah Herrera - January 06, 2016 at 06:59 PM

WC

“ I'm going to miss my sweet friend & abue who always made me laugh and cheered me up even when she was down, it was an honor to be able to laugh, cry & share memories together! Our family will love & remember her :) ❤️ Til we meet again 🥺



wendy castellanos - January 06, 2016 at 06:45 PM



Thank you. ❤️💕🥺

Kerina Espinoza - January 08, 2016 at 05:50 PM

BW

“ Brizida Woodbury purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza.



Brizida Woodbury - January 05, 2016 at 09:57 PM

BW

“ When I was called as a language missionary to 20th East Grandview Ward, I had the opportunity to meet and enjoy Eliana e sus histories about her time in Chile her conversion. She was such a pleasant person with a beautiful smile. I love Eliana and thanks for the opportunity to serve you.

Brizida Woodbury

brizida woodbury - January 05, 2016 at 08:43 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eliana Elizabeth Espinoza.* ”



January 05, 2016 at 05:39 PM