



Maria L. Monge

February 28, 1936 - May 19, 2022

Maria Monge went to be with the Lord on Thursday, May 19th, 2022. We trust that our beautiful mother heard the Lord say "Well done my good and faithful servant" as she peacefully slipped into eternity to be with Jesus. She was an incredible woman of God; a woman of faith, love and joy. She was born 86 years ago, in Carolina, Puerto Rico on February 28th, 1936 and was one of 11 children. She went on to marry Miguel Monge on January 16th, 1961. They moved to New York and raised their five children in the Bronx. They celebrated their 50th anniversary, just 2 months before Miguel went to be with the Lord in May of 2011. She persevered through much in her life and selflessly loved her family. She was a caring, dedicated, wise, fun-loving and nurturing wife and mother. She taught her children with her words and her actions and lived out her faith in such a way that it overflowed and as it says in Proverbs, her children truly rise up and call her "Blessed".

She was a strong, hard-working woman who always put God first. She was a leader and teacher in the church for most of her life, first in New York, then Ohio and later in Florida. By God's grace, she was able to impact the lives of countless brothers and sisters in Christ who lovingly knew her as "Hermana Monge. She loved well and was well loved. Her amazing laughter and giggle and twinkle in her sweet eyes will always be in our hearts and memories. She was the center of family celebrations and always brought fun and laughter to them. She loved God with great passion and loved worshipping, teaching, and learning. She also loved being with her family, sharing stories, playing games, traveling, eating out, cooking a great meal, watching a good movie, and listening to music. She also loved flowers and the great outdoors. She was an amazing and supportive grandma and was so proud of each of her grandchildren who range in age from 8 to 25. Her legacy of faith, love, laughter, and living a full life that honors God, is a gift and a blessing. All five of her children are each living a life of faith and service in ministry because of her. It was the greatest inheritance she could have ever left.

She will be greatly missed by her older sister, Tita, and her loving children, and their spouses, Wanda and Luis Torres, Mike and Elena Monge, Mary and Ruben Tavarez, Ruth

and Modesto Talavera and Lissette and Nelson Telemaco and her precious grandchildren, Tiffany, Mariah, Nelson, Ruben, Eliana, Emilio and Karina.

In lieu of flowers, donations be made on her behalf to World Missions of the Assemblies of God. A cause, near and dear to her heart. She always supported and prayed for missionaries whenever possible.

Friends and Family can give to missions using the following link: [HTTPS://GIVING.AG.ORG/DONATE/681001-311587](https://giving.ag.org/donate/681001-311587)
AGWM GENERAL EMERGENCY

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Burial Park

4620 US Highway 98 S
Lakeland, FL 33812

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - Serenity Gardens Chapel
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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Maria L. Monge*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - May 25 at 10:15 AM



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Maria L. Monge*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - May 24 at 01:16 PM

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“ *Woman of God, Faithful to her husband, children and friends. Mom was always giving ... even when she did not have enough for herself. I remember giving her a bouquet of Roses for valentines day- I returned the next day to see her again and not find the roses by her bed stand- I asked her about it and she told me she handed each of the roses out to the staff or resident for valentines day - always giving !*

All staff members at Scott Lake would comment on her infectious smile. We miss our mom! I can hear her words of advice like it was just yesterday. When she gave advice it was always Biblically based - she knew where the best guidance came from - The word of God. - Thank you mom for honoring God as you trained up your children.

Ruth Talavera - July 12 at 02:15 PM



“ *A Fond Farewell Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Maria L. Monge.*



May 23 at 05:26 PM