



## Juanita Ruth Marple

April 5, 1947 - January 28, 2019

Juanita Ruth Marple, 71, of Pilot Point, TX, passed away Monday, January 28, 2019. She was born April 5, 1947 in Cameron, NC to Emil and Stella Geneva (Coe) Rice. Juanita and her husband, Ruben "Shorty" Garcia, have been together since the summer of 1994. She is a member of Local Union 745.

Juanita is survived by her husband, Shorty of Pilot Point, TX; two daughters, Cindy Carpenter and husband Cody McManigal of Pilot Point, TX and Missy Gilliland of Pilot Point, TX; three grandchildren, Cody Daniel Carpenter, Caedon Reese York, and Ryleigh Morgan York; two brothers, Terry and Charles Rice both of Pilot Point, TX; and two sisters, Joyce Gilliland of Sanger, TX and Donna Jones of Haslet, TX.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Emil and Stella; and two brothers, Marvin David Rice and Steve Coe.

Visitation will be held 6:30PM-7:30PM, Wednesday, January 30, 2019 at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX. A funeral service will be held 10:00AM, Thursday, January 31, 2019 at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX with Ronny Allen officiating. Interment will follow at Belew Cemetery in Aubrey, TX. Online condolences may be shared at [www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com](http://www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com). Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

# Tribute Wall

RL

“ *In loving memory of a wonderful person. I will love you and miss you always "One Pocket"*

Robin Leflore - April 04, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *My condolences to the friend and family. My you find comfort in your treasured memories and gods promise to return your loved ones who pass away in death. Thessalonians 4 : 13,14*

January 31, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ *Special memories through out our life will always keep you in my heart. We fought we cried we laughed and we were very mischievous at times. At lot of times. Will miss you dearly sister but I know you are walking with our Lord.*

Donna Jones - January 30, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ *Our special memories help us to always hold you in our hearts Remembering you today and always. Love you Sister*

Donna Jones - January 30, 2019 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *Donna, Thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family at this difficult time. I will always remember the stories you shared with me regarding your sister. Take care of yourself!*

Alicia Ward - January 30, 2019 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Truly a character. Juanita often tried to play the "tough card" but her heart was gold. Laughed often even at herself. I will cherish my memories always. Humble yet caring, backed down to no one yet gave everyone respect and a hand up no questions asked. Blessed that my life brought me back in time to tell you I love you. I know, you would tell me to hush. But it's true. You were loved and will always be my friend.

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**Karen Lehmann** - January 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ A unique individual for certain. Acted and talked tough as nails but had a great heart. Would go to the limits to help you out. Always did more than her share at work. A great friend that I enjoyed several years knowing and working with. Prayers for the family. Bob Irby

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January 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ So sorry for your loss. Wish we could have met you before you gained your wings. But for sure we will see you in Heaven one day. Our prayers are with you all at this difficult time. Your cousins Johnny J. and Mary Rice.

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**Johnny J. & Mary Rice** - January 28, 2019 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ Heaven gained a true angel. She tried not to be but she couldnt help it. You will be truly missed, love you

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**Bertha Groom** - January 28, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Praying for my brother Cody and the rest of Jaunitas family during this time. Heaven just got a lot funnier. Rest In Paradise.* ”

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**Dustin Carpenter** - January 28, 2019 at 12:00 AM