

JOHN G. CORTEZ

1934-2012

BRIDGEPORT: John G. Cortez, 78, of Bridgeport, died Saturday, December 1, 2012, at home.

John was born on March 20, 1934, in Winters, Texas to Carlotta Govea and Juan Villanueva Cortez. He married Juanita Martinez from Ballinger, on July 11, 1954. He was a retired contractor. When he and his family moved to Bridgeport in 1969 from Plainview, he brought seven other families with him to help with his construction business.

He is survived by his wife of fifty eight years; son John K. Cortez and Amberly, of Bridgeport; daughters, Margaret G. Cortez, of Dallas, Sandra Burson and husband, James, of Bridgeport, and Christina Zielinski and husband, Henry, of Prosper; grandchildren Jonathan Clay Cortez and wife, Michelle, Kandace Lee Cortez, Olivia Nicole Burson, Nathan Todd Burson, Madison Nicole Cortez, Mackenzie Ryan Cortez, Alexa Brynn Zielinski, Kevin Jeyton Cortez, and Maxim John Zielinski; and one great-grandchild Kaiden Sean Cortez.

He is preceded in death by his parents and brother Macario.

Mass of Christian burial was held at 10 a.m. December 3, 2012, at St. John's Catholic Church in Bridgeport. Father Jacob Alvares officiated. Burial: East Bridgeport Cemetery.

*Jones Family Funeral Home
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