

# **ALBERTO J. SANCHEZ**

**1917-1992**

Alberto J. Sanchez, age 75 of Elkton, passed away Monday, March 30 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon following a short illness.

He was born March 17, 1917 in New Brownfield, Texas, son of the late Efaristo and Anita Sanchez. He was united in marriage to Guadalupe Roderiguez on May 18, 1940 in Carrico Springs, Texas.

Mr. Sanchez moved to Elkton in 1944. He worked at the Wallace and Morley Elevator, now Agri Sales, in Elkton from 1956 until 1963 when he took a position at the Co-operative Elevator Co. in Pigeon, retiring in 1982.

He was a member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon.

Surviving are his wife, Lupe; two daughters, Alma (Jerry) Atkinson and Bella Atkinson both of Elkton; his son, Albert Sanchez Jr. of Caro; eight grandchildren, Darrin, Wendi, Tonya, Tammi, Tom, Michelle, Sherry, Josh and also three great-grandchildren, Geraldo, Miguel and Amanda.

He was preceded in death by a son, Mariano Sanchez and a daughter, Virginia Schumacher.

A funeral mass was conducted on Thursday, April 2 at 11 a.m. from St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. Rev. Fr. Barney Janowicz, pastor officiated with burial in the church cemetery. A Rosary service was held Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Arrangements were handled by Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton.