

Martinez, Cirilo

Cirilo B. Martinez, 77, of Saginaw and formerly of Caro, passed away Sunday, May 13, 2001, at Tendercare in Saginaw. He was born Feb. 9, 1924, in Castroville, Texas. Cirilo married Pauline Sturgis, and she preceded him in death on July 13, 1973. They returned to Texas and then moved to Michigan 50 years ago. He had worked in the automotive industry in the Pontiac area and then moved to Tuscola County. He was a volunteer for social services and had received an award from the organization for his services. He is survived by eight children, Jesse Martinez and Carol Catt of Caro, Andrew Martinez and Linda Leahey of Caro, Gloria Aguilera of Austin, Texas, Jonathon Martinez of Watertown, S.D., Michael Martinez of Caro, Cecil and Penny Martinez of Watertown, S.D., Carol and Douglas Mills of Cass City, and Sarah and Leroy Ocker of Lake Orion; 18 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; two brothers, Pete Martinez and Amelio Martinez of San Antonio, Texas; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Pauline Sturgis; one son, Danny; two grandchildren; and six brothers and sisters. A memorial service will be conducted at the Caro Assembly of God Church at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 16, 2001, with Pastor Arnold Burger officiating. Burial will be at the Indianfields Township Cemetery. Visitation will be from noon until the time of service at the church on Wednesday. Memorials may be made to the Martinez family discretionary fund. Arrangements were made by the Collon Funeral Home in Caro.