



## Elena Carter

September 17, 1940 - June 6, 2017

September 17, 1940 – June 6, 2017 of Fremont California, passed away at home in the presence of her husband and daughters. She was born in Veracruz, Veracruz, Mexico. She studied and worked at the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México before moving to the United States of America in the early 1960's. She became a naturalized citizen of the United States. She was a great patriot unflinchingly sharing her love for this country with all. She lived most recently in Fremont, CA for the last 32 years. She was an office administrator for over 30 years. She had a deep love of music, had a beautiful soprano voice and played the piano. She was also a devout member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints providing countless hours of service to the Church and its members.

She goes to join her parents Rodolfo Cabrera, Maria Sanchez Cabrera, her brother Elias Cabrera, and two grandchildren, Alexandra Nicole Olympia Fey and Johnathan Theodore Abena who preceded her in death.

She is survived by two sisters, Linda Ruiz and Ninel Hoffman, and two brothers Abelardo Cabrera and Fallo Cabrera. She is also survived by her husband of 32 years, Staff Sergeant Elton Leon Carter, her son Bruce Russell Fey of Fort Wayne, IN; Her daughter Indy Carter of Fremont, CA; and her daughter Tanya Carter Schofield of Citrus Heights, CA. She has eleven grandchildren: Alexandra, Jessica, Spencer, Nathan, Sofia, Jennifer, Danielle, Johnathan, Benjamin, Renee, and Joy.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **12**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

Fremont Chapel of the Roses  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ Right before she died, when we knew she was about to leave this Earth, she asked to brush my hair. It was short, and I reminded her of this, but she insisted she'd do it. We sat there, together, on the ground, right in front of the tv watching the movie *The Good Witch* on the Hallmark channel. She said she wanted to do one hundred strokes, fifty on each side. I counted in English the first time, and the second time she wanted me to count in Spanish for her. I was rusty, but she helped me with every little mistake, brushing and complimenting my tangled, greasy hair. I'm glad she insisted on brushing my hair that day. I wish we had done it more often. I miss her so much. Grandma, if you're reading this in heaven, if there is a heaven, I miss you. I miss you so, so, so, so, terribly much. I love you.



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“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Elena Carter.



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