



Clara Luz Alvarez

April 1, 1935 - March 16, 2018

Clara Luz Alvarez, 83, of Charlotte, died March 16, 2018, at her home.

Clara was born in Puerto Rico, on April 1, 1935, the daughter of Santiago and Carmen Cajiga Vasquez. As a teenager, she came to the United States where she initially lived in New York and then New Jersey before coming to Charlotte where she has lived for the past 20 years. While in Charlotte, Clara worked for the Charlotte Mecklenburg School System in the cafeteria, proud to be part of caring for and feeding the many students in her school. When not working, she enjoyed crocheting and an occasional cigarette. Most of all, she loved the time spent with others. Whether it was talking to her elderly neighbors or driving her daughter crazy, Clara was a people person who loved all.

She is survived by her daughter, Linda of Charlotte; Joseph (Lisa) Nalbach of Waxhaw, NC, and Joseph's son Joseph Jr; and Kristen Lehmann of Charlotte and son Grayson Brooks. She was very close with her brothers: Oscar (who predeceased her) and his wife Olga Moroe of Mint Hill; and Antonio Lopez of Clover, South Carolina. Finally, she is survived by numerous other relatives and friends. Clara was preceded in death by her siblings and in 1992 by her husband, Manuel Alvarez, whom she married on December 31, 1968, in Jersey City.

Clara's family has given the family of Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home the privilege

of caring for her and for them. There are no formal services scheduled at this time. Please take a moment to share a favorite memory, photo, video or to share a condolence on her Tribute Wall. Thank you for keeping the family in thoughts and prayers at this time.

Tribute Wall



“ *Clara Luz Alvarez*

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