

SCHEAR

BERTHA ARCHER SCHEAR, 88, passed away Tuesday, June 17, 1997, a resident of El Paso for over 75 years. She retired as an elementary school teacher after 43 years and also taught at Aoy. Mrs. Schear received her masters degree at Texas Western College and was one of the early pioneers in Bi-lingual education in the EPISD and was very active with the A.A.U.W. and many other organizations. She was the step-daughter of Tom Lea, Sr. and was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Schear in 1985. She is survived by her step-brother, Tom Lea and nephew, Frank Vinz and many, many friends. Visitation will be Thursday from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Futrell Funeral Home Downtown Chapel where Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass will be said at 9 a.m. Friday at St. Patrick's Cathedral with MSGR David Fierro officiating. Interment in Evergreen (Alameda) Cemetery. Pallbearers will be James D. Lea, David G. McDonald, Humberto Bertolli and Al Smith. Honorary Pallbearers are Morris Galatzan, Maury Kemp, Jose Cisneros, Dr. Branch Craige and David Saenz.



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