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It is with love and profound sadness, we announce the passing of Carmen Cervantes Pardo Marquez, who passed away peacefully at her home on Thursday, February 6, 2025, at the age of 91.

Born and raised in Madera, California, Carmen was the beloved daughter of Felix and Catalina Cervantes. She is survived by her devoted husband of 39 years, Andres Marquez, and her three cherished children: Chris Pardo and his wife Josie, Phillip Pardo and his wife Shelly, and Cindy Faulkner and her husband, Randey, whom Carmen affectionately called "my other son."

A proud grandmother, Carmen adored her nine grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren, including Daniel Pardo, whom she lovingly raised from infancy. She also embraced Andy's children—Rick, Laura, Becky, Jeff, and Randy—as her own. Carmen was a devoted sister to Johnny, Lupe, Rose, Maggie, Annie, Ruth, Mary, Joe, Terri, and Richard.

A talented entrepreneur, Carmen built a successful career as the owner of two thriving hair salons, one in Santa Clara and the other in Los Altos. She worked alongside her sisters—Rose, Maggie, Ruth, Terry, Mary, Annie and Lupe—

creating not just a business, but a welcoming community of loyal clients who became dear friends over the decades. With her warm nature, dedication to her craft, and unwavering commitment to excellence, Carmen became a sought-after stylist and a trusted confidante.

Her legacy lives on in the wisdom she shared, the love she gave, and the considerate way she made everyone around her feel heard and valued. A storyteller, a mentor, and a woman of grace, Carmen embraced life with an easygoing spirit and an open heart. Carmen will be deeply missed and forever remembered in the hearts of those who loved her.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, February 20, at 2:00 PM at Chapel of the Light, 1620 W Belmont Ave, Fresno, CA 93728. Family and friends are invited to come together to celebrate her life, share cherished memories, and honor the incredible woman she was.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB **20**. 2:00 PM (PT)

Chapel of the Light
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Fresno, CA 93728
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Tribute Wall



“ *Chapel Of The Light created a Tribute Video in memory of Carmen Pardo Marquez*



Chapel Of The Light Funeral Home and Mausoleum - February 20, 2025 at 06:00 PM

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A beautiful Dedication to a Life fully lived. RIP Carmen.

Beate Konduris - March 30, 2025 at 10:06 PM

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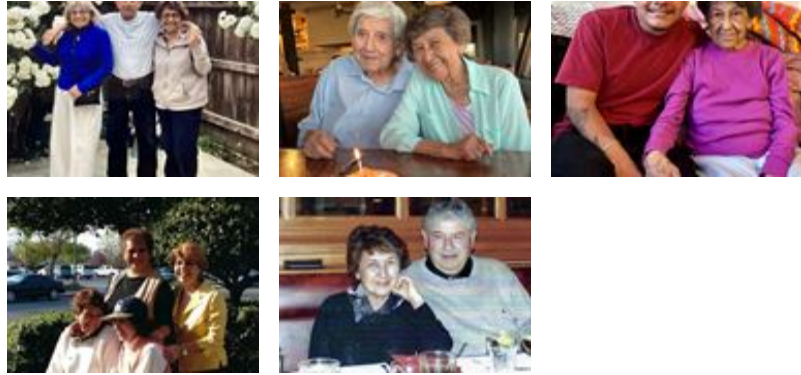
“ *Cindyrae Faulkner lit a candle in memory of Carmen Marquez*



Cindyrae Faulkner - March 28, 2025 at 03:25 AM



“ 147 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Chapel Of The Light Funeral Home and Mausoleum - February 20, 2025 at 12:13 PM



“ *George & Beate purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Carmen Pardo Marquez.*



George & Beate - February 18, 2025 at 03:29 PM



“ *George & Beate planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carmen Pardo Marquez.*

George & Beate - February 18, 2025 at 03:29 PM

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“ Auntie Bennie purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Carmen Pardo Marquez.



Auntie Bennie - February 18, 2025 at 11:35 AM

MN

“ Myra Arvizo, Niece lit a candle in memory of Carmen Marquez



Myra Arvizo, Niece - February 17, 2025 at 04:50 PM