



Catalina Cabral De Santiago

January 22, 1926 - May 10, 2023

It is with deep sorrow and heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Catalina Cabral De Santiago at the age of ninety-seven. She passed peacefully on May 10, 2023 at her home in Highway City, California surrounded by family.

Catalina was born on January 22, 1926, in Santa Paula, California on the Limoneira Ranch and will be buried next to her beloved husband, Manuel Valenzuela De Santiago. She met her husband in Mexico and were married in Valparaiso, Zacatecas, Mexico on August 8, 1942.

Catalina is preceded in death by her parents, Manuel and Teresa Sarmiento Cabral, her husband, and her son Ruben De Santiago. She is survived by her children Manuel De Santiago,

Paul De Santiago, Hector De Santiago, Laura Gomez, Teresa De Santiago Garcia, and Leticia De Santiago Saldivar; her grandchildren Manuel De Santiago III, Miguel De Santiago, Merisa De Santiago Delgado, Melinda Gonzales, Pauline Jaramillo, Mario Gomez, Aaron Gomez, Leigh Anteola, Sergio J. Garcia, Teresa Garcia Safford, Monica Siemens, Kathryn Saldivar, Michael Saldivar, Dillon Griffith, Taylor Griffith; and 18 great-grandchildren.

Catalina will be remembered for her infectious smile, sense of humor and loving personality. Her generosity and kindness blessed all those that knew

her. Catalina's love for her family and friends was immeasurable. She was more than a central figure in her home which was her sanctuary. She loved gardening, a great meal and yard sales. Catalina will always have a special place in our hearts and will painfully be missed by her family and friends.

A Rosary will be held 6pm at the Chapel of the Light, 1620 West Belmont, Fresno, CA 93728 on Thursday, May 25, 2023. A Mass will follow on May 26, 2023 at 10:30am at St. Mary's Queen of the Apostle, 4636 W Dakota Ave, Fresno, CA 93722, and the interment at St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery, 264 N Blythe Ave, Fresno, CA 93706. Reception to follow.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter's Cemetery

264 N. Blythe Avenue
Fresno, CA 93706

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **25**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

Chapel Of The Light
1620 W. Belmont Ave.
Fresno, CA 93728
(559) 233-6254
<https://www.chapelofthelight.com/>

Recitation of the Holy Rosary

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Funeral Mass

MAY **26**. 10:30 AM (PT)

St. Mary Queen Of Apostles
4636 West Dakota Ave.
Fresno, CA 93722

Tribute Wall

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Toward your ending life, you taught me the true meaning of compassion, kindness, and selflessness. Your love has shaped me in to the person I am today, and your influence will continue to shape me in the days to come. Though farewells are never easy, I take solace in the knowledge that this farewells is not forever. Our paths may cross in time, and until that day, I will carry your love in my heart.

Thank you for being my Mom. I am eternally grateful for your love, and I will strive to make you proud every step of the way. As I bid you farewell, please remember that you are cherished beyond measure. Your loving son, Manuel!

manuel - May 24, 2023 at 01:01 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Catalina Cabral De Santiago.



May 19, 2023 at 04:20 PM

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Manuel deSantiago Jr - May 19, 2023 at 03:36 PM

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Beautiful Manuel

Gloria Viramontes ❤️💎💎 - May 22, 2023 at 12:32 PM

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Manuel deSantiago Jr - May 19, 2023 at 03:28 PM