



Refugia Mancha Aguilar

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Refugia Mancha Aguilar, 81, of Uvalde, Texas, passed away peacefully on October 16, 2025, surrounded by her loving family.

Born on September 17, 1944, in Uvalde, Texas, Refugia was the cherished daughter of Cleto Mancha and Genoveva Fuentes. A devoted homemaker, she found joy in the simple pleasures of life—solving crossword puzzles, spending time with her family, and living her Catholic faith with quiet strength and grace.

Refugia was a beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, and friend. She is survived by her two children, Jessica Ibarra and husband Alejandro, and Jesse Aguilar and wife Maria. Her legacy continues through her eight grandchildren: Kayla Ibarra, Amaya Ibarra, Ryan Ibarra, Jesse Aguilar, Jenisa Martinez, Julie Aguilar, Julian Aguilar, and Jesus Aguilar, as well as her two great-grandsons, Nicholas Emiliano Aguilar and Noah Domingo Aguilar.

She is also survived by her sister Josefa Cervantes and her brother Cleto Mancha Jr., along with numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family members who loved her dearly.

Refugia was preceded in death by her parents, Cleto and Genoveva; her loving husband of many years, Julian Aguilar; her brothers Evaristo Mancha, Juan Mancha, and Eduardo Mancha; and her sisters Maria Ruiz, Anastacia Mancha, and Ernestina Rangel.

Her warmth, strength, and unwavering love for her family will be deeply missed but fondly remembered by all who knew her.

A Visitation will be held Wednesday, October 22, 2025 from 2:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. at Hillcrest Memorial Funeral Home, Chapel of Serenity, a Rosary will take place at 7:00 P.M. A Mass of



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Christian Burial is set for 10:00 A.M, Thursday, October 23, 2025 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church., 408 Fort Clark Rd.

Interment to follow at Hillcrest Cemetery.






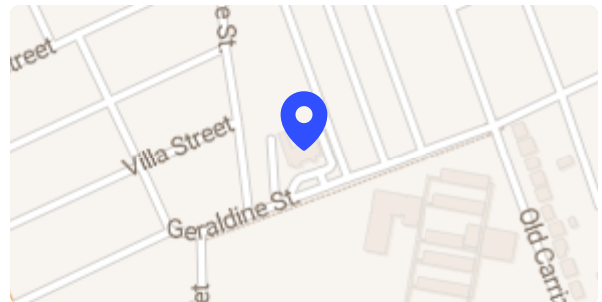
Visitation

-  **Wednesday**, October 22, 2025
-  2:00 PM - 9:00 PM CT
-  **Hillcrest Memorial Funeral Home**
424 Geraldine Street, Uvalde TX 78801






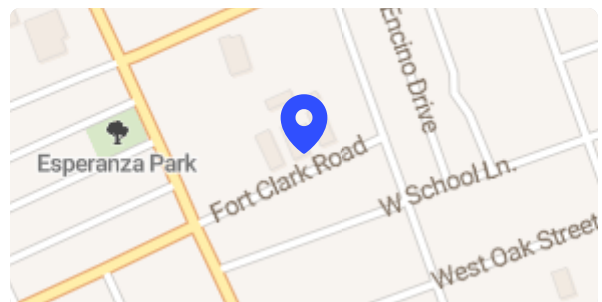
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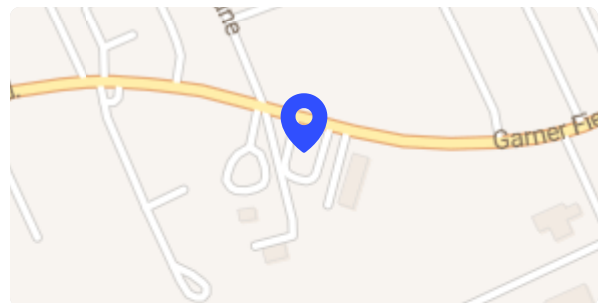
A Mass Of Christian Burial

-  **Thursday**, October 23, 2025
-  10:00 AM CT
-  **Sacred Heart Catholic Church**
408 Ft. Clark, Uvalde TX 78801



Cemetery Details

-  **HILLCREST CEMETERY**
Hwy 90 @ Alvarez St., Uvalde TX





Tribute Wall

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Jenisa Aguilar lit a candle in honor of Refugia.

My grandma leaves an enormous hole in all of our hearts with her departure. I am grateful for the 24 years that I had her in my life and wish to have had her with us for many more. I love you grandma, I miss you so much.



October 20 at 11:36 AM

MG **Maryalice Criollos Gamm** October 22 at 8:15 AM

Cuca was my next door cousin, we grew up together sharing our childhood in whatever we had or whatever we could get away with. I was a week older than her and was always willing to do whatever I wanted. We got into trouble and my parents always blamed me and said she would never do it on her own. She was a great friend, we use to go potty in my Tio Cleto's toilet house because he had three toilets and we could look at our toilet paper (newspaper). It was a great time to grow up, everyone around us was related to us, the Mancha family was huge. I am glad to see that she had a great loving blessed family. May God give you all the strength you need in this time of grief. Love your cousin Mary Alice Mancha Criollos Gamm 🤗❤️👤❤️

ME **Melvie** October 21 at 3:58 PM

May she Rip prayer for the family Jessica call me please 8304862238



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Join us in honoring Refugia by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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