



## Carmen R. Plata

June 17, 1920 - August 12, 2023

Carmen R. Plata, 103, entered eternal rest on Saturday, August 12, 2023. She was born June 17, 1920, in Graytown, Texas. One of 9 children, Carmen was born to her parents Donaciano and Josefa Rios.

She leaves behind a century of family, friends, and memories. She is survived by her children; Mary Gaona, Jacob R. Gaona (Francis), Richard R. Gaona (Yolanda), grandchildren; John Jacob Gaona, Carolyn Pena (Greg), Anna Cruz (John), Brenda Casiano, Richard S. Gaona Jr. (EvaLee), Natalie R. Gaona, 14 great-grandchildren, 5 great-great grandchildren, and numerous nieces, nephews, and other family members.

She is reunited in Heaven with her beloved husband of 45 years, Felipe Plata, her daughter; Carolina Gaona, granddaughter Rebecca A. Cadena, and siblings; Anestacio Rios, Victoria R. Casanova, Cruz R. Anthony, Gregorio R. Rios, Blasita R. Pena, Chano R. Rios, Maximilliano R. Rios, and Juanita R. Guerrero.

Carmen will be missed deeply by those who were lucky enough to know her.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Anthony Cemetery

16505 Kilowatt Road  
Elmendorf, TX 78112

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 21. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 924-4242  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Rosary

AUG 21. 6:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
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## Funeral Mass

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AUG **22**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Anthony Catholic Church  
16505 Kilowatt Road  
Elmendorf, TX 78112

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our deepest condolences to Jacob, Richard, and Mary. To all her other family love and peace. Carmen was a very nice lady, her and my mother would always have pleasant conversations when she would visit Jacob. Her family was fortunate to have her for so long. Her memory will live on . May she Rest in Peace. 🙏🙏

Betty Castro - August 21, 2023 at 07:59 PM

DP

“ Jacob and Frances, Diana and I were saddened to learn of Jake's Mother, Carmen Plata's passing. You were blessed to have her with you for so many years. Now she has gone home to be with the Lord after being Blessed with a wonderful life and family. David and Diana Padden

David T and Diana M Padden - August 21, 2023 at 10:30 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Carmen R. Plata.



August 21, 2023 at 06:13 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carmen R. Plata.



August 21, 2023 at 12:14 AM

JL

“ My deepest condolences to Carmen’s family. Carmen was a long time friend of my family. She was my babysitter from the time I was born till I was 5 Years old, I have fond memories of those days. She would make the best tortillas and beans for me. May she rest in peace. (Joseph Liedecke)



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**Joseph Liedecke** - August 16, 2023 at 05:09 PM