



Esther Moreno Muñoz

May 14, 1927 - March 21, 2026

Esther Moreno Muñoz age 98 of San Antonio, Texas passed away peacefully on March 21, 2026 at her home. Born on May 14, 1927 in Oilton Texas, she was the first child of Ernesto and Guadalupe [Gonzalez] Moreno.

In 1951, Esther earned her registered nursing degree from Seton School of Nursing in Austin under the Sisters of Charity of St Vincent DePaul and trained at Charity Hospital in New Orleans. She worked for more than 50 years in San Antonio beginning at the Nix Hospital and spending the 20+ years of her career as Director of the Good Samaritan Center Clinic on Saltillo St. She dedicated her life to her advocacy for quality healthcare for underserved populations in west San Antonio. Her work at Good Sam and her dedication to the neighborhood around the clinic touched countless families. Even before she retired from Good Sam in 1994, Esther was doing mission work. Beginning in 1979, she traveled semi-annually to the Mexican interior and the Texas-Mexico border with various medical groups to support patients and doctors during dental, medical, and eye procedures. She continued her mission work well into her 70s.

She is survived by her sisters: Enedina Villarreal, Genoveva Moreno, Elizabeth Moreno-Whitehurst, and Sandra Haire [Steve]; her brother: Rosendo Moreno [Sara]; her former husband, Arthur Muñoz, Sr. and five of their children: Annette, Carmen, Patricia, Aida [Robert], and Linda [Kevin]; 12

grandchildren: Justin, Chelsea, Brianna, Esther, Ernesto, Kristopher, Olias, Jennifer, James, Christine, Adam, and Alexander, 22 great grandchildren, three great, great grandchildren, and many beloved nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her son, Arthur Muñoz, Jr., her brothers Adam, Ernesto, and Eleazar Moreno and her sister Elena Boleware.

Esther always had a listening ear and a warm hug for her family, her friends, and those she served in the community. She was a loving soul to all who knew her. She will be deeply missed by her family and friends. Esther's celebration of life service will be held at Mission Park Funeral Chapel at Cherry Ridge in San Antonio on May 14, 2026 at 10:00AM.

Previous Events

Memorial Celebration

MAY 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ As a young medical student I was lucky enough to work with Esther at The Good Sam Clinic in the early 80s. Together with her, Gloria, Drs. Hilliard, Sanchez, and Schneberger we started a maternity clinic that provided care for hundreds of women and their babies, I have to say I witnessed firsthand true goodness and dedication in Esther during those years and she became an inspiration to me in my career. After we moved away from San Antonio we stayed long distance friends through calls, cards, and all to infrequent visits, in fact when our daughter was born in North Carolina, when she was a few weeks or so old Esther was her first babysitter so we could get out of the house. I have such good memories of her, especially her smile and her sage advice. Though I will miss her not being here she will continue to live through her family, friends, and all the people whose lives she touched including mine. God has blessed her as well as all of us who were fortunate enough to know her. (A few photos from our time with Esther at the Good Sam)



John W Schmitt - May 14 at 10:17 AM

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Mary Alice Ortiz - April 05 at 05:45 PM

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Annette Munoz - April 03 at 04:54 PM

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Carmen Munoz - April 03 at 04:35 PM

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“ I miss you Aunt Esther...you meant so much to so many. I will love you forever.

Xandy Rocha - April 01 at 02:13 AM

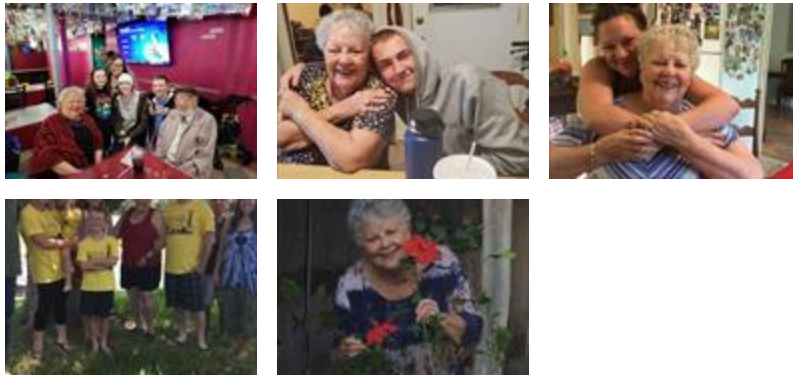
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Esther holds a dear place in my heart. We met while working at Family Hospice. She was a wonderful nurse, mentor and friend. She will be greatly missed with love Charlene valdes

charlene valdes - April 01 at 12:28 PM

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Chelsea - April 01 at 12:38 AM

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“ I remember coming to san antonio one summer with opa and spending some time with you and hearing some of your stories and you telling me goodnight before you'd go to sleep<3. I will always hold you and opa so so dear in my heart



Victoria - March 31 at 11:42 PM

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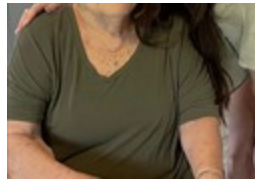
“ The absolute most amazing, kind hearted and loving woman<3 We love you dearly grandma💕💕



Victoria - March 31 at 11:39 PM

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Esther - March 31 at 11:07 PM

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Linda - March 30 at 01:40 PM

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Linda - March 30 at 12:33 PM

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Alma - March 29 at 10:17 PM

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“ *Alma lit a candle in memory of Esther Moreno Muñoz*



Alma - March 29 at 10:15 PM

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“ *Esther was our neighbor for almost 30 years. She has seen my boys grow. Then also saw my grandson grow up as well. We have two younger granddaughters that she last saw in person this past Halloween. The girls enjoyed visiting with her and Annette. She was always there for a welcome hug and a listening ear. She was sweet to us and a caring soul. She is with our God and Savior at peace after serving Him in this world as His child. I thank God that she is at rest after being all that He asked of her and more. May God bless her loved ones and bring them peace and comfort in losing her but knowing she is alive and well in heaven.*

Alma - March 29 at 10:12 PM