



## Teresa Castillo Ricondo

October 3, 1929 - August 6, 2021

Teresa Castillo Ricondo entered her eternal rest on Friday, August 6, 2021 at the age of 91 in San Antonio, Texas. She was born to Jose Castillo and Manuela Chavarria Castillo on October 3, 1929 in San Antonio, Texas.

Teresa was a lifelong resident of San Antonio. She led an active and industrious life. In her younger years she worked as an egg candler for Handy Andy Grocery Company. As an egg candler she examined eggs to determine the condition of the inside of an egg. This work is done in a darkened room and where eggs are placed with a light under them so that any imperfections could be seen. She took pride in her work and she made sure that any egg in our home was perfect. She left this work to concentrate on raising her children. In her later years she became a caregiver to the elderly and she also became a flea market entrepreneur. She was a sought after caregiver because she was a conscientious worker and truly cared about her clients. As a flea market entrepreneur she ran a profitable business. She would frequent garage sales to grab items to resell at the flea market for a profit. She had a minivan that she filled to the top with items to resell at the flea market. On many weekends her grandsons or grandniece, Jenny Wenny, would go with her to the flea market to sell their toys. She would carefully watch over them that they received a fair price for their toys. She had many friends from her flea market days. Teresa enjoyed a close relationship with her sister Lupe, they went on frequent outings together to have lunches and visit friends and

relatives. Her older sister, Bertha, was her regular dance partner at various functions. She enjoyed keeping in touch with her many nieces and nephews. She wanted to keep up with everyone's accomplishments, seeing what everyone was up to and keep abreast of all the new babies being born.

She is predeceased by her husband, Joe Ricondo; her brothers Jose (Pepe) Castillo, Efren Castillo, Frank Castillo, Jesus Castillo, Froilan Castillo; and by her sister, Guadalupe Rainey. She is also predeceased by her beloved nephew, Leno Cano.

She is survived by her children, Angie Toscano, Roger and Joe Michael Ricondo; her grandchildren, Richard and Nicholas Toscano; Celeste and Stella Ricondo; her great granddaughters, Mercedes, Allayna and Savannah Toscano; and her sister, Bertha Briseno. She is also survived by her beloved niece, Laura (David) Everling.

Visitation will take place on Wednesday, August 18, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. with a Celebration of Life to begin at 6:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Interment will be on Thursday, August 19, 2021 at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. in shelter #1.

# Cemetery Details

## Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd.  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 18. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North  
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive  
San Antonio, TX 78230

## Celebration of Life

AUG 18. 6:00 PM (CT)

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

## Graveside Service

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AUG **19**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery  
1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd  
San Antonio, TX 78209  
(210) 820-3891

# Tribute Wall

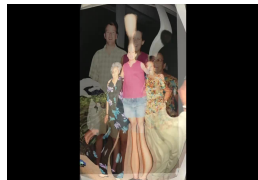
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“ *My favorite Aunt Teresa I loved you more than you ever knew. You were like my second mom. So many great memories. I’m glad you are not suffering any longer. I’m sure you were greeted by mom and all our other family members in heaven. RIP for now.* 💕🙏💕

**Laura Everling** - August 17, 2021 at 03:49 PM

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**Angie Toscano** - August 17, 2021 at 02:57 PM

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*Friends and Family, I have attached a short video documenting my mother’s long and beautiful life filled with pictures of all of us and some friends. These were all the people in her life that she loved and wanted to spend time with. Thank you for sending your prayers and condolences we sincerely appreciate all of the love everyone has sent our way. Best regards, Angie Toscano and family.*

**Angie Toscano** - August 17, 2021 at 03:00 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Teresa Castillo Ricondo.*



August 17, 2021 at 01:15 AM



“ *Rose Tribute was purchased for the family of Teresa Castillo Ricondo.*



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August 16, 2021 at 05:18 PM