



## Virginia B. Alaniz

January 23, 1945 - January 26, 2025

A life well lived tragically ended for Virginia B. Alaniz on Sunday, January 26, 2025, at the precious age of 80. Virginia was born in San Antonio, Texas on January 23, 1945. She is preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, Richard R. Alaniz Sr., her parents, Apolonio F. & Manuela R. Bara, her sister, Carolina Bara Villalobos, her brother, Apolonio "Paul" Bara Jr., and nephews, Cipriano Mireles Jr., Christopher Paul Garza & Brian Jeremy Bara.

Virginia is survived by her 6 children, Cynthia (Jesse) Arguello, Richard (Kimberly) Alaniz Jr., Carlos Alaniz (Karen), Eric (Monica) Alaniz, Jason (Melissa) Alaniz, Jennifer (Ruben) Yañez; 20 grandchildren, Matthew (Kelly), Stacey (Alex), Ashley (Isaac), Hailee (Nathan), Tatiana, Caleb, Billy, Arianna, Diego, Luka, Kianna, Zach, Ryan, Erin, Brandon (Shelby), Juliana, Avery, Chlöe, Ruben Jr. & Bryan; 9 great-grandchildren, Aubrey, Logan, Reagan, Ariya, Jace, Isla, Myles, Graceyn, & Sylvie; Niece's, Cathy (Johnny) Salazar, Caryn Chantel Bara & Maria Mireles; and many loving family members.

Virginia was a woman of many names. You would see her respond to the resounding voice of her husband as he called out, "Virge". She was blessed to be called Mom, Mommy, Momma, Ma, and Tía. Her life was complete when the titles of Grandma & Mamo were given. Many of her children's friends knew her best as Mrs. A. You could always count on her to be at her children's sporting events sitting front and center. She was the loudest, most cheerful,

supportive fan at all of their sporting competitions. She later became an overjoyed, vocal proponent cheering on her grandchildren and great grandchildren at their sporting events.

She was a breast cancer survivor and a very passionate crafter. She enjoyed creating wreaths, jewelry making, sewing, homecoming mums, garters, corsages, boutonnieres, bows & designing shirts. She loved anything and everything to do with crafting. You could always find Virginia at a variety of her local craft stores. She enjoyed being taken out to multiple eateries with her family & absolutely loved to go shopping.

Virginia's life will leave an unforgettable mark on all who knew her, and her memory will forever be etched in our hearts.

Visitation will begin on Monday, February 17, 2025, at 5:00 p.m., with a Rosary to begin at 6:30 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral liturgy will be Tuesday, February 18, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Interment will follow at First Memorial Park Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## First Memorial Park Cemetery

20567 TX-16  
Von Ormy, TX 78073

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 5:00 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

FEB 17. 6:30 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

FEB 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Liturgy

FEB 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Moncivais/Maldonado Families -Laredo purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



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**Moncivais/Maldonado Families -Laredo** - February 17, 2025 at 05:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



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February 17, 2025 at 03:42 PM

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“ *The Harrison family-Mike and Michelle purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



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**The Harrison family-Mike and Michelle** - February 17, 2025 at 03:01 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



February 17, 2025 at 01:53 AM



“ *Bakudan Ramen Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



**Bakudan Ramen Family** - February 13, 2025 at 09:51 PM



“ *Julie D, Roxie C, and Melissa T purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



**Julie D, Roxie C, and Melissa T** - February 13, 2025 at 05:19 PM



“ *From the Bernal family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



**From the Bernal family** - February 12, 2025 at 07:20 PM

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“ *A/C shift MOF's and MSC's purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Virginia B. Alaniz.*



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**A/C shift MOF's and MSC's** - February 12, 2025 at 01:55 PM