



Catalina R. Gonzales

February 13, 1931 - April 24, 2026

Catalina Ramirez Gonzales, 95, entered into eternal rest on April 24, 2026, in Richmond, Texas, surrounded by the love of her family.

Catalina was a woman full of life, known for her wonderful sense of humor and vibrant personality. She was truly the life of every gathering and had a gift for conversation that brought joy to those around her. She loved music and dancing, and she found great happiness in preserving memories through scrapbooking. With great care and love, she created more than 20 albums filled with cherished photographs and moments that will continue to be treasured by her family for generations.

She enjoyed traveling, sightseeing, and cooking for her loved ones, always finding ways to bring her family together. Above all, Catalina's greatest joy was her family. She loved her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren deeply, and her legacy of love will live on through each of them.

She is lovingly survived by her children, Robert Gonzales of Weslaco, Rene Gonzales (Maggie) of Katy, Texas, Rick Gonzales (Jeannie) of Pasadena, Texas, and Linda Evans (Todd) of Richmond, Texas. She is also survived by 13 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, and 7 great-great-grandchildren. Catalina is further survived by her sister, Pepa Rodriguez of Colorado; her brother, Pepe Ramirez; and numerous extended family members.

She is preceded in death by her beloved husband, Juan Gonzales, Jr.; her son, Rudy Gonzales; and several brothers and sisters.

Visitation will be held on Friday, May 1, 2026, from 12:00 PM to 9:00 PM, with a rosary to be prayed at 7:00 PM at the Rudy Garza Chapel of Peace in Harlingen, Texas. A chapel service will take place on Saturday, May 2, 2026, at 10:00 AM at the Rudy Garza Chapel of Peace, with Brother Hoss Alvarez officiating. Interment will follow at Restlawn Memorial Park Cemetery in La Feria, Texas.

Serving as pallbearers will be Rudy Gonzales, Jr., John Gonzales, Michael Gonzales, Jay Gonzales, Eric Gonzales, and Gavin Gonzales.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Rudy Garza Funeral Home in Harlingen, Texas.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 1. 12:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Rudy Garza Funeral Home - Harlingen
1702 E Harrison Ave
Harlingen, TX 78550
(956) 425-8200
rgfhtx@aol.com
<https://www.rudygarzafunerals.com>

Rosary

MAY 1. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Chapel Service

MAY 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Departure

MAY 2. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Burial

MAY 2 (CT)

Restlawn Memorial Park
14166 U.S. 83 Business
La Feria, TX 78559
(956) 797-2322

Tribute Wall

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“ *Melissa, Joselito, Diego and meisha purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Catalina R. Gonzales.* ”



Melissa, Joselito, Diego and meisha - May 01 at 09:42 AM

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“ *Epifanio T Ramirez & Familia purchased the Angel's Embrace Bouquet for the family of Catalina R. Gonzales.* ”



Epifanio T Ramirez & Familia - April 30 at 08:19 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Catalina R. Gonzales.* ”



April 30 at 05:39 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Catalina R. Gonzales.* ”

April 30 at 05:39 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Catalina R. Gonzales.



April 30 at 03:13 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Catalina R. Gonzales.

April 30 at 03:13 PM



“ Ester Botsford purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Catalina R. Gonzales.



Ester Botsford - April 30 at 01:41 PM



“ Nelda Revolorio purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Catalina R. Gonzales.



Nelda Revolorio - April 30 at 01:32 PM

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“ Nelda Revolorio planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Catalina R. Gonzales.

Nelda Revolorio - April 30 at 01:32 PM