



## Diana Escamilla

October 17, 1967 - June 4, 2025

Diana Escamilla, 57, entered into eternal rest on June 4, 2025, in Harlingen, Texas.

Diana was a devoted mother, grandmother, daughter, sister, and friend. Her unwavering love for her family and her strength in the face of life's challenges left a lasting impact on all who knew her.

She is survived by her father, Anselmo Escamilla, Jr. of Harlingen; her six beloved children: Diane Venegas (Cruz) of Brownsville, Randy Pastrana of Rio Hondo, Ruben Anselmo Pastrana of Harlingen, Rikki Pastrana (Monica) of Harlingen, Clemente Barajas (Andrea) of Florida, and Jorge Rito Barajas of Tennessee. Diana was also a proud grandmother to nineteen grandchildren—Alexis (Eduardo Hernandez, Jr.), Teresa (David Bravo), Francisca (Aaron Medina), and Blue Venegas; Riley, R.J., and Ryan Pastrana; Imani, Isaac, Isaiah, and Jax Pastrana; Divona, Rollie, and Erin Pastrana; Madelyn Grace, Azalea Kitana, and Kataleena Barajas—as well as three cherished great-grandchildren: Katalina Sofia Medina, Eduardo Javier Hernandez, and Valentina.

She is also survived by six siblings: Albin Escamilla of Colorado, Billy Escamilla (Monica) of Edinburg, Cindy Escamilla of Rio Hondo, Anselmo Escamilla, III of Austin, Connie Ybarra (Arnoldo Javier) of Harlingen, and

Elaine Escamilla-Salazar (Ralph) of Rio Hondo. Diana leaves behind many nieces, nephews, and cousins, all of whom held a special place in her heart.

Diana was preceded in death by her beloved mother, Concepcion Salinas Escamilla.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, June 8, 2025, from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., with a rosary at 7:00 p.m., at the Rudy Garza Chapel of Peace in Harlingen. Funeral services will conclude following the rosary.

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

# Tribute Wall

SF

“ *Sylvia Flores-Garcia lit a candle in memory of Diana Escamilla*



Sylvia Flores-Garcia - June 09, 2025 at 05:43 PM

SF

*I'm so sad to hear of the loss of a very dear friend that I will forever cherish in my heart. Diana, Thank you for the many great memories in and out of School. I'm glad we got to hang out a couple of times when we became "adults" I will miss your beautiful smile and your kind heart. Until we meet again may the good Lord wrap his loving arms around you and welcome you home!*

Sylvia Flores-Garcia - June 09, 2025 at 05:46 PM

LJ

“ *Very heartbreaking to hear of the loss of a very dear friend that I will forever cherish in my heart. Diana, Thank you for the many great memories. What happened in Vegas stayed in Vegas (2007)... lol 🤔. I will see you again one beautiful day, my sweet friend. Love you always. My sincere condolences to the entire Family.*



Leticia De Jesus - June 08, 2025 at 06:07 PM

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**Leticia De Jesus** - June 08, 2025 at 05:40 PM

AC

“ *Acara Health Care purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Diana Escamilla.*



**Acara Health Care** - June 08, 2025 at 08:54 AM

CS

“ *Cynthia Salinas lit a candle in memory of Diana Escamilla*



**Cynthia Salinas** - June 07, 2025 at 09:29 PM

CS

“ My deepest condolences to my family Escamilla. Diana was taken from us too soon. We shared good times growing up. She was a wonderful mother and cousin. Diana was always so happy and caring. Diana your in heaven with our loved ones rejoicing together. One day we will see each other again..May you rest in peace my beautiful cousin 🙏💔

Cynthia Salinas - June 07, 2025 at 09:28 PM

RJ

“ My deepest condolences to my uncle and family ( Escamilla Family ) she will be deeply missed by family, friends she was a kind hearted cousin back in the late 80' early 90's we use to hang out talked about family and good times. She lifted me up when I was feeling down with her passion and loving heart there was times we even shade a tear or two. I wish I could have spent more time with her but as we grow older we seem to dirft away from family not know that they are the only ones that will always be there. Diana now your in the hands and arms of the lord where there is no pain We will meet again to you and your Mom my Aunt Connie one of the most kind hearted and generous aunt.

Robert Salinas Jr.

Robert Salinas Jr - June 07, 2025 at 05:03 PM

FC

“ From Edgar, Rudy and Charles purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Diana Escamilla.



From Edgar, Rudy and Charles - June 07, 2025 at 08:37 AM

MM

“ *Maria Guerrero & Maribel Martinez planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Escamilla.*

Maria Guerrero & Maribel Martinez - June 06, 2025 at 11:20 AM

MM

“ *Maria Guerrero & Maribel Martinez purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Diana Escamilla.*



Maria Guerrero & Maribel Martinez - June 06, 2025 at 11:20 AM

LL

“ *Lupe y Alejandra Lara purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Diana Escamilla.*



Lupe y Alejandra Lara - June 06, 2025 at 11:05 AM

CM

“ *Diana was one of the kindest souls I've ever had the privilege of knowing. From the moment I met her, I felt her warmth and genuine heart. Her loving spirit left a lasting impression on everyone around her. She will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends as they mourn this tremendous loss.*

Charity Moss - June 06, 2025 at 10:01 AM

LZ

“ My dear friend. you are going to missed tremendously. I was remembering the times we would have our lunch breaks in your black Charger. Those were the days where we had not a care in the world. I'm glad we spoke not too long ago. Thank you for all that you did for me. Thank you for the memories. I will forever cherish them close to my heart. May God give your family the peace of mind that you are resting alongside of our maker. See ya later friend.

Laura Zuniga - June 06, 2025 at 09:26 AM

TG

“ Trisha Gonzalez lit a candle in memory of Diana Escamilla



Trisha Gonzalez - June 06, 2025 at 01:01 AM

VG

“ Valerie Garza lit a candle in memory of Diana Escamilla



Valerie Garza - June 06, 2025 at 12:23 AM

VG

“ I will miss you Dearly Dee. Dee was a very caring person. Dee always showed how much she loves her family. My condolences to the family. Memories will always be remembered. Thank yoU Dee for being the sister I never had and for always being there. Rest in Peace Dee. ❤️

Valerie Garza - June 06, 2025 at 12:21 AM

MM

“ Diana you will be missed. Our work trips to San Antonio and San Marcos for 5 to 6 yrs we spend a lot of time together. We worked hard and we learned a lot about each other. I learned how much you loved your family your Dad,Mom,sisters, brothers, all your 6 kids, your grandkids, great grandkids, nieces and nephews and you always put everything and everyone first. I will miss our talks.

Mary Medellin - June 05, 2025 at 11:14 PM

RF

“ Rosie Fernandez planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Escamilla.

Rosie Fernandez - June 05, 2025 at 10:50 PM

RF

“ Rosie Fernandez purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Diana Escamilla.



Rosie Fernandez - June 05, 2025 at 10:50 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Diana Escamilla.



June 05, 2025 at 08:06 PM

C(

“ The last I prima Diana was way back at shooters while we were still young... Didn't get to see you again since those times at the clubs. Crazy times cuz, may you rest in peace say hi to tia for. Your primo Cesar Zavala...

Cesar Zavala (cousin) - June 05, 2025 at 07:36 PM

AN

“ Diana was a loving and caring Suegra. I will cherish every moment spent with her during her visits, whether in Killeen or in Florida, she always brought warmth and joy. The girls, Clemente, and will truly miss you.



Andrea - June 05, 2025 at 07:10 PM

CE

“ I will miss you my sister. Growing up you taught me a lot gave me guidance and showed me unconditional love. Give a big hug to Mom. I will miss our "let's take a cruise" love you always your sis Cindy



Cindy Escamilla - June 05, 2025 at 06:04 PM



Cindy, I'm so sorry for your loss. My deepest condolences to you and your family. She was such a wonderful person with a big heart. One of the hardest working women I've ever met too. She's going to be missed by all who knew her. May she rest in peace. 🙏💔

Marivel Villegas - June 07, 2025 at 04:00 AM

IG

*My condolences to the Escamilla family. Diana and I worked together for many years and we partied together for many years all of those years are good memories. We shared alot with each other. I will never forget you my dear friend. Hope you see you one day again. Your friend always Irma Garcia*

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**Irma Garcia** - June 08, 2025 at 06:52 AM