



## Claudia Isela Guerra

April 1, 2025

I believe that God took His best angels and made them nurses. Today, we returned one of them to Him.

Claudia Isela Guerra was born on June 19, 1970. She was the youngest child of Guillermo and Irma Guerra, who, along with her siblings, Leticia and Guillermo Jr., welcomed her with open arms. Claudia was born with beauty, brains, and a deep desire to help others, which led her to become a nurse. Her hard work and dedication led her to be admitted to the Texas Christian University (TCU) nursing program, where she specialized in pediatrics. She graduated in 1994 and shortly thereafter passed her boards to become a registered nurse.

Upon graduation, she returned home to McAllen, where she dedicated herself to children's health. She was a registered nurse at McAllen Medical Center's Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and Neonatal Intermediate Care. She went on to become a school nurse at Victor Fields and Ben Milam Elementary. After her school nursing career, she worked at United Healthcare, assuring disabled, low-income children received the medical treatment they needed. Even after she became ill, she continued to work to ensure that their healthcare would not be affected.

Her greatest love and lasting legacy were her boys, Cristian and Carlo

Martinez, who cared for her and who now will always carry her with them in their hearts. She is preceded in death by her father, Guillermo D. Guerra. She is survived by her mother, Irma Guerra; sister, Leticia Guerra; and brother, Guillermo D. Guerra Jr. She is also survived by Enrique (Zeke) Grajales, the man she loved and who accompanied her until the end. They made each other happy, and he was there with her in the beautiful and most difficult moments.

Claudia died the way she lived, always thinking of others. She struggled to share the terrible fact that her cancer had returned because she did not want to be a burden. Her role was always that of the caregiver, and she would not have it any other way.

Our beloved Claudia was an avid TCU Horned Frog and lived up to their motto: "Excellence in our pursuit of the greater good."

Pallbearers are Rey Castro Jr., Jose (JG) Trevino, Alejandro Canales, Raul Rodriguez Jr., Guillermo Rodriguez, and Gerardo Rodriguez.

The family will be receiving visitors at Kreidler Funeral Home in McAllen on Thursday, April 10th, from 5 PM to 7 PM, with a rosary following at 7 PM. The funeral mass will be at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in McAllen on Friday, April 11th, at 10 AM, with burial to follow at Roselawn Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Cemetery

1201 S Main  
McAllen, TX 78501

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kreidler Funeral Home, Inc.  
314 N 10th St.  
McAllen, TX 78501  
(956) 686-0234  
kreidler@sbcglobal.net  
<http://www.kreidlerfuneralhome.com/index.html>

## Rosary

APR 10. 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Mass

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APR **11**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church(McAllen)  
306 S. 15th St.  
McAllen, TX

# Tribute Wall

AJ

“ Our deepest condolences, thoughts, and prayers are with Claudia and family. God bless.

Alan Jackson  
Laredo, Tx



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Alan G. Jackson - April 14, 2025 at 11:57 AM

JP

“ I have fond memories of her from middle school when I carpooled with her son Cristian and Zach. I know my parents were extremely grateful to her for being able to give me a ride home everyday. My prayers and condolences go out to her family in this difficult time.

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John Pardue - April 10, 2025 at 06:26 PM

RL

My sincere and most ❤️ heartfelt condolences goes out to her immediate and extended family and friends. Hi Claudia. I will never forget the times our dogs would drive us crazy. Steward and the yelling; Stewy he behaved and Stewartttt, come back. You're going to get run over, mense. I call Snoopy menso many times, lol. My sweet lady, all of your neighbor just found out of your passing. Like me, shocked and our filled with pain. You now reside in God's Kingdom. Say to my beloved husband Rod. RIP MY SWEET AND GENTLE SOUL.

Rosa De Leon  
Edinburg, Tx.

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Rosa De Leon - November 02, 2025 at 04:05 AM

LH

“ My deepest condolences to Claudia’s family and friends. I had the pleasure of working with Claudia at Victor Fields Elementary. She was a wonderful person—always kind, full of laughter, and a joy to be around. I was saddened to hear of her passing. May she rest in peace.

Liza Hutchins - April 09, 2025 at 06:39 PM

BS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Bobbie Salinas - April 08, 2025 at 09:19 AM

NC

“ Please accept my sincerest condolences during this very difficult time. My thoughts and prayers are with Claudia and her family. I hope you find the strength and comfort during these difficult times. Claudia will always be remembered as the loving, caring, sweet, and compassionate nurse she was.

Nallely Cerda, BSN, RN

Nallely Cerda - April 07, 2025 at 01:54 PM

CM

Lety amiga, sending you prayers and my condolences to the family. Claudia will be dearly missed by all who knew her. May the lord give you all some peace in this difficult time 🙏

Chano Martinez - April 07, 2025 at 04:31 PM

RR

*Claudia was such a kind and selfless soul that touched the hearts of everyone who had the privilege of knowing her. She was always willing to lend a helping hand. May her legacy of compassion live on in all of us. She will be deeply missed, but never forgotten. My Condolences to the family during this difficult time.*

*Renee Roker, RN*

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**Renee Roker** - April 08, 2025 at 09:40 AM

RG

*Claudia was an always happy and lovely person to be around. I am so sad to hear of her passing. My deepest condolences to Irma, Letty, and her entire family. Praying for peace.*

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**ric godinez** - April 10, 2025 at 01:49 AM