



Evangelina Storer

December 16, 2025

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Evangelina Storer, who departed this life on Tuesday, December 16th, 2025, in Edinburg, Texas. She was 83 years old.

Born on June 9th, 1942, in Santa Monica, California. Evangelina was the beloved child of

Francisco Meza and Angela Guerrero Meza. She was the youngest of five children. She grew up in Santa Monica, California, where she attended Saint Monica High School.

Throughout her life, Evangelina was known for her hard work and compassion for those

with special needs. After moving from California to Texas in 1973, she worked for McAllen

ISD, followed by Mission ISD special education department for over 30 years.

She was

respected by colleagues and made a lasting impact on her students and their parents.

Evangelina “Vangie” “Cookie” will be remembered for her sense of humor, finding the silver

lining on the most difficult scenarios and for the incredible love for her children and

grandchildren.

Evangelina is survived by her sister Anna Marie Arellano (Manuel), children Yvette Garza,

Anthony Rolando Garza (Anna), Sylvia Ann Nino (Fernando) and Anna Marie Gonzalez

(Mark); grandchildren Michael Garza (Heather Franco), Matthew Garza, Derek Fuentes

(Mariah Acosta), Jacob Fuentes, Aiden Massie, Kaleb Nino, Ashlynn Massie ,Addison

Massie and Mateo Gonzalez; her great grandchildren Ezekiel Garza and Ezra Garza; first

husband Robert Rolando Garza and several nieces and nephews in both California and Texas.

Evangelina is preceded in death by her parents Franciso and Angela Meza; her husband

Stanley Storer, stepsons Doug Storer and Steve Storer; grandchildren Julia Rose Garza and

Ashton Dylan Massie; her brothers Guillermo Meza, Jaime "Jimmy" Meza and sister-in-law

Eva Meza, sister Socorro Meza Venegas and brother-in-law James Vinegas.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday December 27th at Kreidler Funeral Home

beginning at 10:00 am. All are welcome to attend and celebrate the life of Evangelina.

The family of Evangelina would like to extend our sincere thanks to her provider Rafaela

Martinez, the nurses with San Jose Hospice and Dr. Ivan Melendez for their compassionate

care over the last several months.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 27. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ My Auntie Cookie has a huge heart for her family. When I could no longer go to my mom for advice, Auntie Cookie stepped in.. without asking, she knew in her heart and reached out to me monthly, just to check in.

She never held back her opinions and offered support, I will forever be grateful for all those phone calls! I am so thankful I got to spend some time with her, Sylvia and Fern when they came for a visit to see my mom. And she always asked how each member of my family was doing, every one of my kid's name.... every time! and she always called me "Cindy windy". Rest easy in heaven...I love and miss you!



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