



Carmen Avalos Sanchez

April 1, 1930 - February 16, 2023

Turlock, California – It is with great sadness that we share the passing of our mother, Carmen Avalos Sanchez, on February 15, 2023. Carmen was born on April 1, 1930 in Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, Mexico. Daughter to Nicanor and Benita Avalos, she was the second oldest in a family of seven girls. She met the love of her life, Balberto, at a neighborhood fiesta which led to a short courtship and were married 1954. Balberto and Carmen were married for 60 years before our father’s passing in 2017. Our parents immigrated to the US in 1963 and set roots in Tracy, CA., later moving to Ballico, CA. in 1975 and finally settled in Turlock in 1984. Carmen was a stay at home mom who loved gardening and hosting friends, but her joy was her family and the preparation of a great meal. We will always miss her loving smile; warm embrace and her parting saying “Que Dios Te Bendiga”. Love you Mom and Abuelita!

Carmen is survived by her children, Balberto Sanchez Jr (Natalie) of Turlock; Hector Sanchez (Karen) of Riverbank; George Sanchez of Turlock, Mary Sanchez of Laguna Beach. Grandchildren include; Balberto J. Sanchez (Samantha), Jonathan C. Sanchez, Bianca M. Shields (Eric), Eryk J. Sanchez (Lisa), Ethan Sanchez, Ashlyn Sanchez, Mindy Sanchez, Yvette Sanchez, Dominic Vallarine. Carmen is also survived by her great-grandchildren; Kaylenne, Ezra, Jonathan, Micha, Thomas.

Visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. followed by the Rosary at 6 p.m.

on Monday, February 27, 2023 at Turlock Funeral Home, 425 N. Soderquist Rd., Turlock. The funeral will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 28, 2023, at Our Lady Of The Assumption Catholic Church, Carmen will be interred following the Mass at Turlock Memorial Park.

Cemetery Details

Turlock Memorial Park

575 N. Soderquist Rd.
Turlock, CA 95380
(209) 632-9111
<http://turlockmemorialpark.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
(209) 632-9111
<https://turlockfuneralhome.com>

Recitation of the Rosary

FEB 27. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Turlock Funeral Home
425 North Soderquist Road
Turlock, CA 95381
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Funeral Mass

FEB **28**. 10:00 AM (PT)

Our Lady of Assumption Catholic Church
2602 South Walnut Road
Turlock, CA

Interment Following Funeral Mass

FEB **28**. 11:30 AM (PT)

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