



Celeste Feno Drumonde

October 1, 1950 - June 24, 2025

Celeste Feno Drumonde (née Estacio), age 74, passed away surrounded by family on June 24, 2025. Born on October 1, 1950, in Ponta Delgada, Flores in the Azores Islands of Portugal. Celeste's life was a testament to devotion, devotion to her family, her faith, and her community.

Celeste immigrated to the United States in 1956 with her parents and settled in the Central Valley of California, where she graduated from Turlock High School in 1968 before pursuing her passion for beauty and care at Adrian's Beauty College. Her education laid the foundation for a life centered around nurturing others, whether through her professional work or her personal relationships.

She was a devoted wife to her husband, Manuel, for 49 years and a loving mother to their children: Manuel Jr. (Sandra), Chrissy, Marcus (Hollie), and Carleen (Robbie). Her legacy continues through her cherished grandchildren: Sara, Mason, Mathis, Carina, Marcus Jr., Drake, and a grandson expected in September. Celeste also held a special place in the hearts of many nieces, nephews and great-nieces and nephews, whom she helped raise with loving affection.

Family was central to Celeste's life. She shared deep bonds with her siblings Mary Swanson (Don), John Estacio (Angela), Carlos Estacio III (Bernadette),

Jimmy Estacio (Lori), Julie Teran (Gerald), Bobby Estacio (Belina), Tony Estacio (Gabby), sister-in-law Mary Estacio and brother in laws, Oscar Drumonde (Luisiana) and Tony Drumonde (Cidalia). She was preceded in death by her parents, Carlos and Maria Estacio; her brother, Joe Estacio; and an infant brother.

Celeste found great joy in gardening and traveling, activities that reflected both her love of nature and her adventurous spirit. But perhaps most dear to her heart was caring for the younger generations of her family. Whether tending to grandchildren or supporting nieces and nephews, she offered unwavering love and guidance.

Her faith was a cornerstone of her life. She honored the Blessed Virgin Mary with steadfast devotion, often turning to her in prayer and reflection. A devout parishioner of All Saints University Parish as well as Sacred Heart Catholic Church and Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Celeste actively participated in religious communities throughout Turlock and beyond. She was a past president alongside her husband in 2000 for Our Lady of the Rosary Festa (Hilmar). She was a dedicated member of several organizations such as the Young Ladies Institute (Hilmar), Portuguese Fraternal Society of America (PFSA), Cabrillo Club (Hilmar), Our Lady of Fatima Turlock, and Our Lady of Miracles Gustine.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the All Saints University Parish Building Fund (4040 McKenna Dr, Turlock, Ca 95382) in Celeste's name, a fitting tribute to a life that was built upon compassion, generosity, and spiritual devotion or a charity of your choice.

May Celeste's memory bring comfort to all who knew and loved her.

Visitation will be held on Monday, July 7, 2025, from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm at

Turlock Memorial Park & Funeral Home (425 N Soderquist Rd, Turlock, Ca) with a Rosary to follow at 6:00 pm.

A Mass of Catholic Burial will be held at Sacred Heart Church (1200 Lyons Ave, Turlock, Ca) on Tuesday, July 8th, 2025, at 10:00 am. The service will honor Celeste's enduring faith and the profound impact she had on those around her.

Cemetery Details

Turlock Memorial Park

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

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 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

JUL 7. 6:00 PM (PT)

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

Funeral Mass

JUL 8. 10:00 AM (PT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
1200 Lyons Ave
Turlock, CA 95380
(209) 634-8578

Interment Following Funeral Mass

JUL 8. 11:00 AM (PT)

Turlock Memorial Park
575 N Soderquist Rd
Turlock, CA 95380-3749
(209) 632-9111

Tribute Wall



“ QEPD 🕊️🕊️ Celeste.



Alejandro Schmitt 070725M - July 08, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Celeste Feno Drumonde.*



July 07, 2025 at 08:12 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Celeste Feno Drumonde.*

July 07, 2025 at 08:12 PM

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“ Rest In Paradise 🙏🙏 Beautiful Celeste. God's Mantle envelop you, your Dear Husband Manuel, & your entire Family - especially at this time. Many warm memories of you all at the YMI Conventions over the last several decades - absolutely will miss your Presence. Lit a candle 🕯️ in your name at Mass last Saturday, @ St. Paschal Baylon/ Divine Mercy Parish, Oakland.

~Alejandro Schmitt Alvarez,
PGD, District Deputy Grand President, ExCmte
YMI Oakland American Council #8.



Alejandro Schmitt 070725M - July 07, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Celeste Feno Drumonde.



July 07, 2025 at 02:11 PM



“ Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Celeste Feno Drumonde.



July 07, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Celeste Feno Drumonde.*



July 07, 2025 at 12:21 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Celeste Feno Drumonde.

July 07, 2025 at 12:21 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Celeste Feno Drumonde.*



July 06, 2025 at 06:38 PM



“ *Victor & Lauralee Cunha purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Celeste Feno Drumonde.*



Victor & Lauralee Cunha - July 04, 2025 at 01:41 PM

VA

“ May God wrap His loving arms around each of you. Take comfort in your memories.



Vanessa - July 02, 2025 at 04:11 PM

AS

“ May God comfort you today and always as you cherish Celeste memories.
Please know our thoughts and prayers are with the Drumonde family during this difficult time.
May she rest in peace

Alan & Kathy Smith - June 30, 2025 at 05:21 PM

CO

My thoughts and prayers go out to Manuel and the family. May she be at peace God Bless

carol Olson - July 01, 2025 at 03:19 PM

LM

“ My very Deepest condolences for all the family Estacio, She very Beautiful special person sweetheart ☐ She in God hands 🙌 lots of Angels 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏 Around .Rest in peace 🙏 precious Friend 💕



Lucia Mendes Modesto
Eliseu Pacheco Turlock

Lucia Mendes - June 30, 2025 at 05:14 PM

LM

“ *Lucia Mendes lit a candle in memory of Celeste Feno Drumonde*



Lucia Mendes - June 30, 2025 at 04:57 PM