



Anne Cruz Flores

May 3, 1935 - December 25, 2018

Mass of Christian Burial

Saturday, December 29, 2018 10:00 a.m.

Cristo Rey Catholic Church

Beaumont, Texas

ENTRANCE PROCESSION

Processional

“Amazing Grace”

GREETING AND BLESSING OF THE BODY

As a reminder of Anne’s Baptism, her casket has been sprinkled with Baptismal water. Then, a pall, recalling the white garment of her Baptism, is placed on the casket.

“If we have died with Christ, we are also to live with Christ in glory.”

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Wisdom 3:1-9

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 27

“The Lord is my light and salvation.”

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN

John 14:1-6

HOMILY

Prayers of the Faithful

Response:

“Lord, hear our prayer”

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

“Ave Maria”

COMMUNION RITE

Holy, Holy, Holy + Mystery of Faith
Great Amen + Our Father + Lamb of God

Communion

“Prayer of St. Francis”

Prayer After Communion

FINAL COMMENDATION

PRESIDER: Saints of God, come to her aid. Hasten to meet her angels of the Lord.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HER SOUL AND PRESENT HER TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

PRESIDER: May Christ, who called you, take you to Himself, and may the angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HER SOUL AND PRESENT HER TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

PRESIDER: Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HER SOUL AND PRESENT HER TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

Recessional

“How Great Thou Art”



Anne Cruz Flores spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Morning of this year surrounded by her earthly family. On Christmas Day at 2:33 p.m., Anne joined her heavenly family.

Anne was 83 at the time of her death. She was born on May 3, 1935 to Catherine Ruiz Flores and Francisco Flores, in Beaumont.

Anne was a life-long resident of Beaumont

and a graduate of St. Anthony High School. She worked for over thirty years for Coburn Supply and had many special memories of her co-workers.

Anne loved to dance and spent many a weekend as a teen clearing the family living room floor of all furniture and hosting impromptu “sock hops” with her twin brother Roberto and all their friends from the Cristo Rey Church Catholic Youth Organization. That love of dancing continued into adulthood where she would join family and friends to dance the night away at the Harvest Club, the American Legion Hall, and the Knights of Columbus Hall all in Beaumont as well as the Port Arthur Pleasure Pier.

Anne loved her fast food take-out, especially Wendy’s and Dairy Queen. She also loved take-out Mexican food from Elena’s Restaurant and delivery from Taqueria Paraiso, both in the Avenues Neighborhood of Beaumont where she lived all her life. Anne also loved Christmas poinsettias and giant candy-stuffed Christmas stockings as well as Easter lilies and marshmallow Peeps.

Anne loved watching television and enjoyed watching the *CBS Evening News*, although she would often say there was never anything good to see on it except Scott Pelley the anchorman. She spent Sunday evenings watching *The Lawrence Welk Show*, Tuesday evenings watching the original *Hawaii 5-0* (she had a not-so-secret crush on Jack Lord the actor who played Detective Steve McGarrett) and weekdays watching the soap opera *The Young and the Restless*.

Anne was very proud of her Hispanic heritage and committed herself to improvement of her lifelong Avenues Neighborhood. She was a founding member of Cristo Rey Church Catholic Youth Organization, a founding member of The Hispanic Community for Progress Organization which hosted Beaumont's first official Cinco de Mayo Celebration, a founding member of the League of United Latin American Citizens Council 4410, and a founding member of The Avenues Neighborhood Association.

Anne is preceded in death by her parents, her older brother Louis Flores and his wife Bea, and her older sister Ramona Flores.

Survivors include her twin brother, Roberto Flores, Sr., and his wife, Ella, of Beaumont; nephew, Rob Flores, Jr., and his wife, Lisa, of Mauriceville; niece, Mary Flores Pacella, of Beaumont; nephew, Anthony Pacella, of Beaumont; niece, Jeanine Flores Howard, and her husband, Steve, of Vidor; many great nieces, nephews, and great-great nieces and nephews.























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Celebrant	Reverend Luis Urriza
Placing of the Pall	Jeanine Flores Howard, Mary Flores Pacella
Gift Bearers	Anna Pacella, Aften Naples Nauman
	Amanda Naples Reed, Thomas Reed
Lector	Rob Flores, Jr.
Vocalist	Denise Broussard
Musician	Darla Lawless
Pallbearers	Rob Flores, Jr., Anthony Pacella
	Steven Howard, Steve Naples
	John Wilson, Jared Wilson

Honorary Pallbearers	Anthony John Pacella, II, Dylan Howard, Cody Howard
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Interment
Magnolia Cemetery
Beaumont, Texas



Please sign Miss Flores' guestbook and share your memories at
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