



Rachel Provencio Aguilar

September 20, 1946 - December 8, 2025

Rachael Provencio Aguilar, 79, of Visalia, California, entered eternal rest on December 8, 2025, surrounded by her loving family. Born on September 20, 1946, in Santa Rita, New Mexico, Rachel was the 2nd youngest daughter of 10 children, born to Brijido and Cecelia Provencio.

She was preceded in death by her parents, 4 eldest brothers, sister Sarah, husband, Mike Aguilar, her daughter, Sandra Martinez, and her granddaughter Celeste Martinez, great-grandsons; Paul and Aaron.

Rachel dedicated her life to caring for others. A devoted mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, she showed her love through her cooking and baking-her delicious pies, tamales and homemade tortillas will be fondly remembered by all who tasted them. Rachel embraced simple joys: daily prayers, her Bible, Hallmark movies, and coloring. Her faith anchored every part of her life. She remained deeply connected to family, never missing her regular phone calls with her sister, daughters, and dear friends.

Her home was always tidy and inviting, filled with warmth and the aroma of her latest creation. With her polished nails and beautifully styled hair, Rachel embodied grace and care in all she did. She found peace in feeding hummingbirds, reading scripture, and taking long drives through the Sequoias. Rachel enjoyed camping-though she preferred comfort to hiking-and

treasured fish fries, shopping trips, and spontaneous weekend getaways.

Guided by her faith, Rachel devoted much time to her Pentecostal church community. She embarked on mission trips to Chile and Mexico and contributed to creating a biblical garden alongside her husband. Rachel lovingly prepared meals for her congregation, offering her hands, heart, and resources.

Heavenly Father, we thank You for our beloved mother, Rachael. Grant her eternal rest and peace in Your loving arms. Comfort our hearts as we mourn her loss, and help us find strength in the beautiful memories she gave us. Amen.

Funeral services will be held 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM Monday, December 22nd, 2025 at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E. Caldwell Ave., Visalia. Graveside services will be held 1:00 PM Monday, December 22nd, 2025 at Visalia District Cemetery, 1300 W Goshen Ave, Visalia. Reception to follow

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Funeral

DEC **22**. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave.
Visalia, CA 93277

Graveside

DEC **22**. 1:00 PM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Tribute Wall



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Rachel Provencio Aguilar*



Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel - December 22, 2025 at 10:12 AM



“ *Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Rachel Provencio Aguilar*



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“ *Jose B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rachel Provencio Aguilar.*

Jose B. - December 20, 2025 at 06:42 PM

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“ *Belen Nunes and family purchased the Beautiful i
n Blue for the family of Rachel Provencio Aguilar.*



Belen Nunes and family - December 17, 2025 at 05:10 PM