



Consuelo Acosta

May 9, 1938 - March 4, 2026

Consuelo Acosta (nee Orta), age 87, of Schererville, Indiana formerly of East Chicago, Indiana passed away on Wednesday, March 4, 2026. She was born on May 9, 1938 in San Luis Potosi, Mexico to Fortunato and Martina Orta.

“Chelo” was devoted to her children and grandchildren. Familia was very important to Chelo, cooking was her passion, providing family and friends with a home cooked meal. She cooked with lots of love.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Roberto P. Acosta, son Roberto O. Acosta, and son-in-law Oscar G. Pulido.

Chelo is survived by children- Juan (Laura) Acosta, Jose (Maria Elena) Acosta, Alice Pulido, and Mary (Tom) Miksich. She is also survived by grandchildren- Araceli, Eric, Robert III, Arturo II, Selena, Michael, Jessica (Balam) Mendez, Dr. Suzanna, Mark Anthony (Yvette), Oscar Luis, and Jose Antonio. Also surviving are great grandchildren, and cousins- Francisco and Yolanda Orta.

Family always came first to her. She will be missed tremendously by all of her family and close friends.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, March 8, 2026 from 3pm-7pm at Burns Funeral Home and Crematory, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, Indiana 46307.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, March 9, 2026 at 10 am at Burns Funeral Home & Crematory. Rev. Thomas E. Mischler officiating. Burial will follow at Ridgelawn Cemetery, 4401 W. Ridge Road, Gary, Indiana 46408.

Please visit Consuelo’s online obituary and guestbook at www.burnsfuneral.co

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Cemetery Details

Ridgelawn Cemetery

4401 W Ridge Road
Gary, IN 46408

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 8. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point
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Crown Point, IN 46307
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Funeral Service

MAR 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

MAR 9 (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ My aunt was a very beautiful woman; she had a lovely smile, and her eyes sparkled when she laughed. I remember being so excited as a child when I knew I was going to San Luis Potosí to visit family because my cousin Araceli Acosta would send me letters and little gifts with her. I remember once she slaughtered a turkey to cook for Christmas dinner; it was amazing. To all our family gathered here in her honor, I send my deepest condolences. Please pray for her, as we will.

Martha Soriano - March 06 at 11:45 AM