



## Yolanda Pagan Marquez

October 4, 1955 - March 29, 2026

Our beloved mother, wife, daughter, sister, aunt, and cousin passed peacefully on the morning of March 29, 2026, surrounded by her cherished loved ones. Her life was a shining testament to faith, love, courage, joy, laughter, and unwavering devotion.

Born on October 4, 1955, in Patillas, Puerto Rico, to Angel Luis Pagan and Celia Marquez, she carried her roots, her heritage, and her faith with deep pride. Today, she is reunited with her parents and her sister, Ursula Pagan, while her brother, Jose Pagan, continues to carry her love and light in his heart.

For 22 years, she was the devoted wife of Hector Santana, sharing a steady and genuine love filled with laughter and joy.

As a mother, she nurtured and raised Elliot, Ursula, Yolanda Yasmin, Yolimar, and Joseph with patience, guidance, and faith. She taught them the true meaning of love, strength, and the courage to never give up.

Her grandchildren—Elizabeth, Alexandra, Elliot Jr., Melanie, Christopher, Derrick Jr., Dexter, Antoine, Darious, Adrian, and Jasmine—brought her endless joy and pride. Her great-grandchildren, Ella, Gabriella, and Samantha, were treasures she held close to her heart.

She gave selflessly, loved without limits, and touched countless lives with her kindness and compassion. Her legacy of love, faith, and joy lives on in each of us.

Today, we honor her by carrying her love in our hearts, extending kindness to others, and living as she taught us.

Though she may no longer walk beside us, she lives on in her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. We are her legacy. Her story did not end with her last breath—it continues, vibrant and everlasting, through all of us.

“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.” —  
2 Timothy 4:7

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 18. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Grace Funeral Chapels  
5980 West Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313  
(954) 484-1833  
info@gracefuneralchapels.com  
<https://www.gracefuneralchapels.com>

## Funeral Service

APR 18. 10:00 AM (ET)

Grace Funeral Chapels  
5980 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

## Burial

APR 18. 12:30 PM (ET)

Lauderdale Memorial Park  
2001 S.W. 4th Avenue  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33315

## Repast

APR 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

Tropical Paradise Banquet  
2440 W State Rd 84  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312



# Tribute Wall

YY

“ Hi Mom,

*I miss you so much. I wish I could have you back. Some days I'm okay because I stay busy and keep my mind occupied, but then reality hits me and the pain comes all over again. There are moments when it still doesn't feel real, and I find myself wanting to call you, talk to you, or hear your voice one more time.*

*I miss your presence, your love, and the comfort of knowing you were always there. Not a day goes by that I don't think about you. I love you, Mom, and I carry you with me in my heart every day.*



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**Yolanda Yasmin** - June 08 at 10:25 PM

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“ Yolanda Yasmin lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez



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**Yolanda Yasmin** - June 08 at 10:18 PM

LH

“ Linda H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.

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**Linda H.** - April 18 at 07:40 AM

DM

“ Daphne Veru Vanessa mom purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.



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**Daphne Veru Vanessa mom** - April 16 at 08:42 AM

CF

“ Casamor & Montes Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.

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**Casamor & Montes Family** - April 15 at 09:30 PM

CF

“ Casamor & Montes Family purchased the Treasure red Lilies Spray for the family of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.



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**Casamor & Montes Family** - April 15 at 09:30 PM

NS

“ Norman And Sheila lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez



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**Norman and Sheila** - April 14 at 10:49 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.*



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April 14 at 01:13 PM



“ *Mark & Lynn Taudien purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.*



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**Mark & Lynn Taudien** - April 13 at 09:46 PM



“ *Dean & Nicki Taudien purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.*



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**Dean & Nicki Taudien** - April 13 at 09:36 PM

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“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Yolanda Rivera Ortiz - April 11 at 12:18 PM

UC

“ Ursula C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Yolanda Pagan Marquez.

Ursula C. - April 10 at 12:55 PM

UC

“ 62 files added to the album FAMILY



URSULA CO-WART - April 10 at 11:23 AM

UC

“ 14 files added to the tribute wall



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**URSULA CO-WART** - April 10 at 11:20 AM

CL

“ Calvin Laster lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez



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**Calvin laster** - April 09 at 06:19 PM

YR

“ Yolimar Rivera lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez



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**yolimar rivera** - April 09 at 05:47 PM

UR

“ *URSULA lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez*



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**URSULA** - April 08 at 11:45 AM

DO

“ *DONNA lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez*



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**DONNA** - April 08 at 11:12 AM

DO

*SIP TITI YOLANDA ! YOUR BEAUTIFUL SMILE AND KIDNESS WILL ALWAYS BE REMEMBERED ! LOVE YOU*

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**DONNA** - April 08 at 11:13 AM

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“ *Yolanda Rivera Ortiz lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Pagan Marquez*



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**Yolanda Rivera Ortiz** - April 07 at 09:54 AM

DE

“ *Bendicion Titi Yolanda!! Que la Luz siempre te alumbre....fuieste un tesoro, siempre con amor conmigo y mami!! Una gran Dama y más grande Ángel! Con mucho recuerdos de amor. Carmen y Debbie* ❤️  
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**Debbie** - April 03 at 11:33 AM