



Annie Jedlicka Kaluza

May 15, 1929 - March 11, 2024

Annie Jedlicka Kaluza was born in Fayetteville, TX on May 15, 1929 to the late Anton and Julie Jedlicka.

She was a Boling High School graduate earned her nursing degree at Wharton County Junior College.

She and husband Alfons Kaluza were married November 8, 1949 together, they had two children, Sandra and Ronald.

Annie was a nurse for many years, starting her career as an aide in the early 1950s. Once licensed, she started working at Nightingale Hospital, then moved to El Campo Memorial Hospital when it opened.

She was a caregiver of all things botanical both beautiful and edible. She spent many long hours in her vegetable garden and loved to can and cook what she raised.

Annie made sure her family was taken care of. Her prowess as a baker and cook was well known. From the strudels, dessert rolls and kolaches to the homemade giblet cornbread dressing.

She was never confined to the house, but made sure her husband had plenty of help by driving the tractor, taking care of the farm animals and picking cotton by hand.

Annie was somewhat of a jig saw puzzle master and loved spending that time with her family assembling hundreds of puzzles over the years.

She is survived by her daughter, Sandra Kaluza, Deer Park; grandson, Bradley Kaluza and wife Kristie, El Campo and great-grandchildren, Lily and Abigail Kaluza.

Annie was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Alfons Kaluza; son, Ronald Kaluza; grandson, Justin Kaluza; great-grandson, Donovan Blaylock; brothers, Frank, Anton, Joe, Henry, Johnnie Jedlicka and sister, Lillie Jedlicka Janis.

Visitation begins at 6 p.m. on Monday, March 18 at Triska Funeral Home with a Rosary recited at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass begins at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 19 at St. Philip Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Cody Vacek, Eddie Drabek, Duane Lutringer, Jeremy Vidales, Roy Smaistrila and Ryan Lavanway. Honorary pallbearers are her long-time caregivers, Dorothy Clark and Adrian Baylor.

Triska Funeral Home, El Campo, 979-543-3681

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Memorial Park

US Hwy 59 and Mechanic St.
El Campo, TX 77437

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home
612 Merchant Street
El Campo, TX 77437-3440
(979) 543-3681
triskafh@sbcglobal.net

Rosary

MAR 18. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Mass

MAR 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Philip Catholic Church
304 W. Church Street
El Campo, TX 77437
<http://stphilipapostle.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Annie Jedlicka Kaluza.*



March 17, 2024 at 09:47 PM



“ *Chuck and Lanie Jedlicka and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Annie Jedlicka Kaluza.*

Chuck and Lanie Jedlicka and Family - March 17, 2024 at 09:47 PM



“ *Vicky Quijas lit a candle in memory of Annie Jedlicka Kaluza*



Vicky Quijas - March 16, 2024 at 10:42 AM



“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you all that God will Comfort you in your loss! God bless you & your loved ones! RIP Annie! She will be dearly missed by everyone who knew & loved her!
Vicky Blair Ustynik Quijas*



Vicky Quijas - March 16, 2024 at 10:41 AM

SS

“ *Sandra Stary lit a candle in memory of Annie Jedlicka Kaluza*



Sandra Stary - March 16, 2024 at 08:58 AM

CR

“ *Cindy Riha lit a candle in memory of Annie Jedlicka Kaluza*



Cindy Riha - March 15, 2024 at 03:50 PM

VA

“ *Please accept our sincere condolences.*

Visiting Angels - March 15, 2024 at 01:23 PM

PD

“ *Patricia DYBALA lit a candle in memory of Annie Jedlicka Kaluza*



Patricia DYBALA - March 14, 2024 at 01:34 PM

KL

“ *Karen Lopez lit a candle in memory of Annie
Jedlicka Kaluza*



Karen Lopez - March 14, 2024 at 01:18 PM