



Rosita Tan Villamil

August 24, 1932 - May 24, 2025

Rosita Tan Villamil passed away peacefully on May 24, 2025, at the age of 92. She was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, auntie and friend, remembered for her unwavering kindness, strength, and deep love for family.

Born in Dagupan City, Philippines, Rosita was the ninth of ten children of Tan San Giok and Kang Geh, who immigrated from China. Growing up in a large and close-knit family, she carried those values into her own life, always putting others before herself.

Rosita was best known for her generosity and warmth. Her home was a place of comfort, laughter, and incredible food. Her world-famous Lumpia—always made from scratch—was a centerpiece at every family gathering, from birthdays to holidays and every celebration in between. Feeding others was her love language, and through it, she created lasting memories that will live on in generations to come.

She was deeply involved in her community and loved volunteering at St. Basil's School, where her grandchildren attended. Known for her quick wit and warm sense of humor, she could always be counted on to lighten a moment with a perfectly timed joke. Rosita was also strong-willed and passionate, never afraid to stand for what she believed in.

Above all, she was a devoted wife to her late husband, Nicasio Villamil, whom she cared for lovingly until his passing. She followed him just weeks later, a true testament to their enduring bond. She was also preceded in death by her two sons, Peter Villamil and Henry Villamil. She is survived by Flora (William) Cua and Gina (Steven) Desrosiers.

Rosita is survived by her loving family, including 14 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren, all of whom carry forward her legacy of compassion, resilience, and joy.

She will be deeply missed by all who knew her and lovingly remembered always.

Cemetery Details

All Souls Cemetery

550 Glen Cove Road
Vallejo, CA 94591
(707) 644-5209

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 9:00 AM - 11:15 AM (PT)

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Funeral Mass

JUN 3. 11:30 AM (PT)

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Tribute Wall

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“*Sharl and I used to share a room with our grandparents when they were still in the Philippines. I remember Anmah as the “fashionista” — she would try on outfits before bed just to make sure she looked her best the next day. She loved to cook, always serving hot, freshly made meals with so much care. Even as they grew older, she never stopped looking after Papa. They were each other’s home. It brings us peace to know that the two lovebirds are together again — inseparable, just as they’ve always been.*

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“*My grandma Rosita is now with my grandpa Nick.
I call her Mama.
I learned to haggle for best prices because of her
The shopping trips with Mama to the public market was a welcome weekend
adventure
Cooking tips from her were the best.
She would indulge me with calesa rides from Divisoria to Binondo just because...
Our tag team to call Papa's majhong game venue was the best!
Her dishes were always delactable-all cooked with love.
Dare I reply in any other language aside from Fookien? She will stare at me and
in less than 5 seconds I reply in Fookien.
Rest in eternal love with Papa Nick in God's heavenly kingdom
I will miss you.
I love you Mama Rosita.*

Ann Cua - June 03, 2025 at 08:55 AM