



## Jaqueline "Jackie" Cerna-Espinoza

August 5, 1998 - November 3, 2021

Jaqueline "Jackie" Cerna-Espinoza, 23 of Bluffton, joined her loving Father and Savior on Wednesday, November 3, 2021.

Jackie was born on October 5, 1998, in Rio Bravo, Tamaulipas, Mexico to Roy Cerna & Mayra Espinoza. She graduated from Bluffton High School in 2017 and was working for both Resource Maintenance in Bluffton and for Cleaning One in Ossian.

Jackie had a caring heart with a sincere desire to help others! She wanted to serve her country in the military like her older brother but was not able to. She enjoyed weightlifting, working out and had quite a talent for welding. Jackie enjoyed helping others with make-up and her dream was to be able to attend cosmetology school. Jackie was a parishioner of St. Joseph Catholic Church and was part of the Foundations of Truth in Bluffton, for many years.

Survivors include her parents, Roy & Mayra of Bluffton and her siblings; Roy Cerna Jr. of San Francisco, Kevin Cerna, Julian Cerna, Brittany Cerna and Maya Cerna, all of Bluffton along with her grandparents; Rufino Cerna of Mexico, Rosa Delia Avina of Mexico, Blas Espinoza of McAllen, Texas and Raquel Ramirez of Hart, MI. Juan Martinez, her significant other of 9 years along with many extended family.

A Rosary will be said for Jackie at 10:30 A.M. on Saturday (Nov. 6, 2021) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Visitation will follow the rosary service from 11 A.M. to 1:30 P.M. at the funeral home. Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 2 P.M. on Saturday (Nov. 6, 2021) at St.

Joseph Catholic Church in Bluffton with Father David Violi and Father Zachary Barry officiating. Mass will be celebrated in both English and Spanish. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com).

# Previous Events

## Rosary Service

NOV 6. 10:30 AM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
<http://www.thomarich.com>

## Visitation

NOV 6. 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
<http://www.thomarich.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
1300 North Main Street  
Bluffton  
Bluffton, IN 46714

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jaqueline "Jackie" Cerna-Espinoza*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - November 05, 2021 at 09:09 PM



“ *Jaqueline "Jackie" Cerna-Espinoza*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *5 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - November 06, 2021 at 08:37 AM

JU

“ *My beautiful sister, though we can no longer make memories I'll forever cherish the beautiful ones we made throughout our life. I will forever love you Jackie til we see again I wait.*

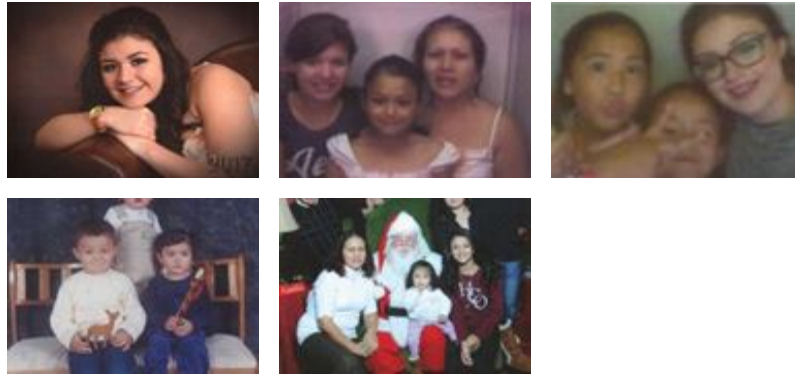


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**Julian** - November 06, 2021 at 02:23 AM



“ *83 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home** - November 05, 2021 at 07:03 PM

BG

“ *Sending all my love and Prayers to the Cerna Family. Brittany, Skyler, & Hunter Gaunt*



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**Brittany Gaunt** - November 05, 2021 at 12:58 PM

CB

“ I remember when Jackie first moved to Bluffton. She was one of my only friends back then, and she sat by me on the field trip to the Renaissance Fair. We weren't close after that, but I always thought she was funny and such a nice person. We were in the same grade at Bluffton, and graduated together. My condolences go out to her family and friends, I know she is dearly missed.



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**Candyce B.** - November 05, 2021 at 09:32 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jaqueline "Jackie" Cerna-Espinoza.



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November 05, 2021 at 08:44 AM

EL

“ This is not goodbye, but see you later. I'm going to miss your good morning texts. I will never forget you. ❤️



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**Edna Lopez** - November 04, 2021 at 09:58 PM