



Viviem Emilia Diaz

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It is with profound sadness and deep love that we share the passing of Viviem Emilia Díaz Caragol, who left this world peacefully on July 21, 2025, in Miami, Florida.

Born on August 9, 1941, in Güines, Cuba, Viviem's heart never left the place where her story began. She carried the spirit of her hometown with her throughout her life and often spoke of her longing to one day return to the Cuba she loved so dearly.

A graduate of the University of Florida, Viviem found her calling in education. She believed passionately in the power of learning to open doors and transform lives, dedicating her career to helping students find their path to opportunity. She especially championed women, encouraging them to lead boldly, to build their own independence, and to pursue their passions without compromise.

Viviem lived generously—sharing her love, her time, her energy, and her resources freely. She treated every person she met with dignity and respect, leaving a lasting impression of warmth and grace. Though an only child, her cousins were like siblings, and her friends became a chosen family with whom she shared a lifetime of laughter, adventures, and unforgettable moments.

She is survived by her devoted husband of more than 50 years, José “Pepe” Caragol, her beloved daughter Viviem Caragol Perez, cherished son-in-law Alex Perez, and her adored grandson AJ Perez, who brought her immeasurable joy and was truly the light of her life.

Viviem's legacy is one of love, courage, and connection. She built a life around nurturing others, and her memory will continue to live on in the countless lives she touched.

In honor of Viviem's generous spirit, the family asks you simply create a joyful memory with someone you love. Take your mother, father, grandmother, grandfather, cousin, neighbor or



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friend out for a drink, enjoy a day at the beach, and think of her the next time you visit Disney!
Keep her memory alive in those special moments, sharing a love for life and one another.



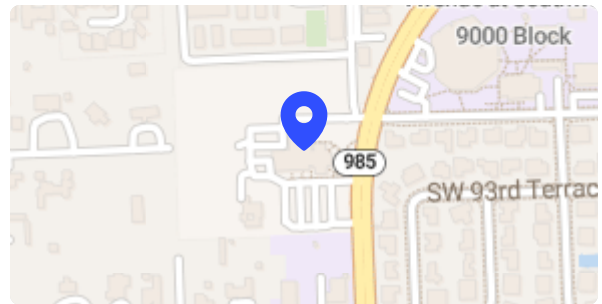
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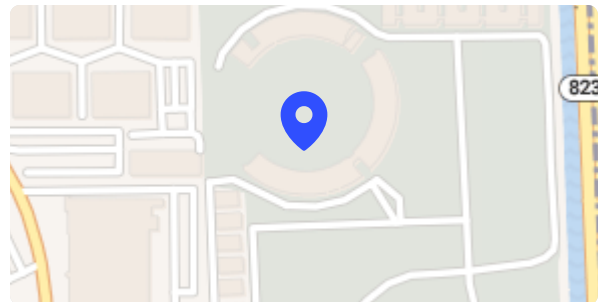
Funeral Mass

- Tuesday**, July 29, 2025
- 11:30 AM ET
- St. Catherine of Siena**
9200 SW 107 Ave., Miami FL 33176



Graveside Service

- Tuesday**, July 29, 2025
- 1:30 PM ET
- Vista Memorial Gardens**
14200 N.W. 57 Avenue, Hialeah FL





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Thomas Y posted:

It's heartbreaking to hear about Mrs. Carajol's passing. She was such a remarkable woman, and I'll always cherish the memories of her incredible generosity and kindness whenever I visited your home. I can still picture her warm, welcoming smile and feel her comforting hugs – they always made me feel so special and truly a part of your family. Mrs. Carajol also had a wonderful way of sharing her wisdom; every conversation came with insightful advice. Even though I wasn't one of her students, I benefited so much from her caring and nurturing teaching style. She touched so many lives with her beautiful spirit. Sending all my love and deepest condolences to you and your family during this time.

July 31 at 12:52 AM



The Palmer Family. sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Diaz family.



July 28 at 9:26 AM



Marti A. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Viviem.



July 28 at 8:42 AM



Van Orsdel Funeral & Cremation Services shared an album called **LifeTributes.**



July 24 at 2:49 PM



Maylin And Family sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Diaz family.



July 27 at 6:51 PM



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MF

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MD

Mr. & Mrs. Pedro Delgado sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Diaz family.

July 27 at 1:15 PM



DF

Danilo Gomez Y Familia sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Diaz family.

July 26 at 3:34 PM



DC

Dulce Castro sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Diaz family.

July 24 at 2:49 PM





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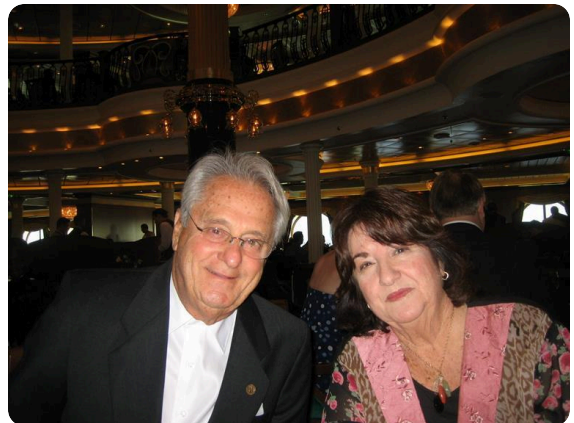
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Van Orsdel Funeral & Cremation Services shared 30 photos to the LifeTributes album.

July 28 at 5:01 AM





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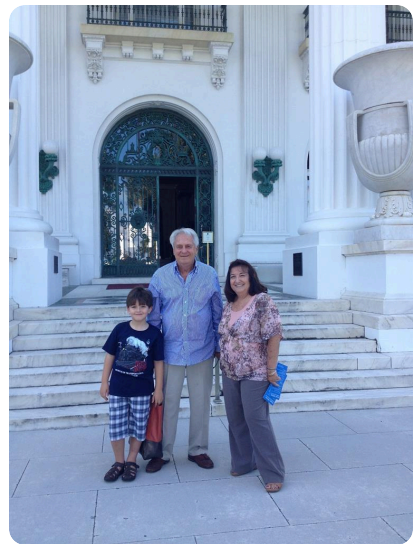
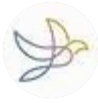




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Join us in honoring Viviem by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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