

"The life given us by nature is short; but the memory of a well-spent life is eternal"

"Cicero" (106-43 B.C.)



Cesario Lopez's Antique Horse Drawn McCormick Mowing Machine







Silverio, mil felicidades en tu retiro. Este humilde folleto es un recuerdo de tu hermana, Herlinda, en memoria de nuestros padres, abuelos, y todos nuestros antecedores que por ellos estamos aqui.

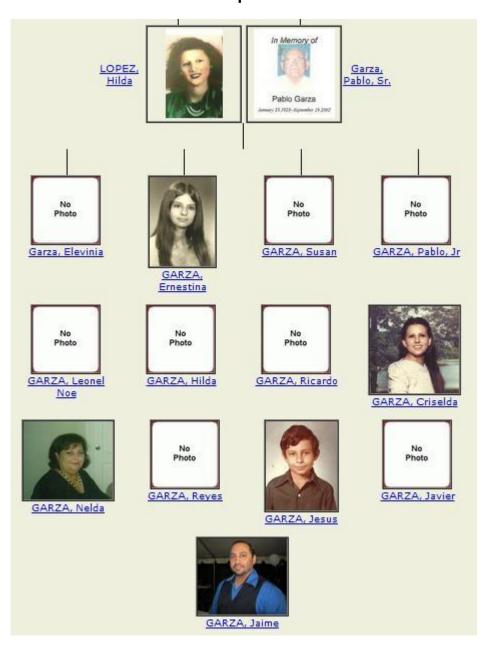
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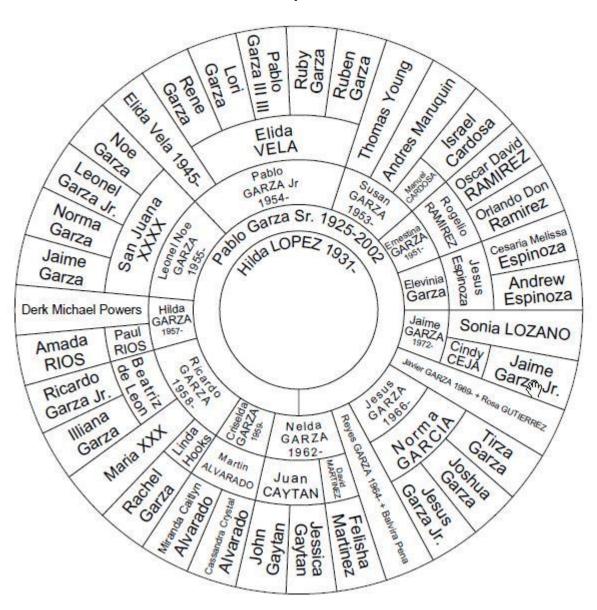
The lofty frontiers of Spain incorporate the foundations of the esteemed family name Lopez. The earliest frameworks of ancestral surnames in Spain were the patronymic surnames, which are extracted from the father's given name, and metronymic surnames, which are obtained from the mother's given name. Spanish patronymic names appeared as early as the mid-9th century. The name Lopez is composed of two elements: the given name Lope, which is itself originated from the Latin word "lopus," which means "wolf," and the Spanish patronymic suffix "-ez." The "-ez" ending in Spanish surnames is indicative of personal name origin, the meaning of the family name Lopez may be interpreted as "Son or descendant of

Lope"

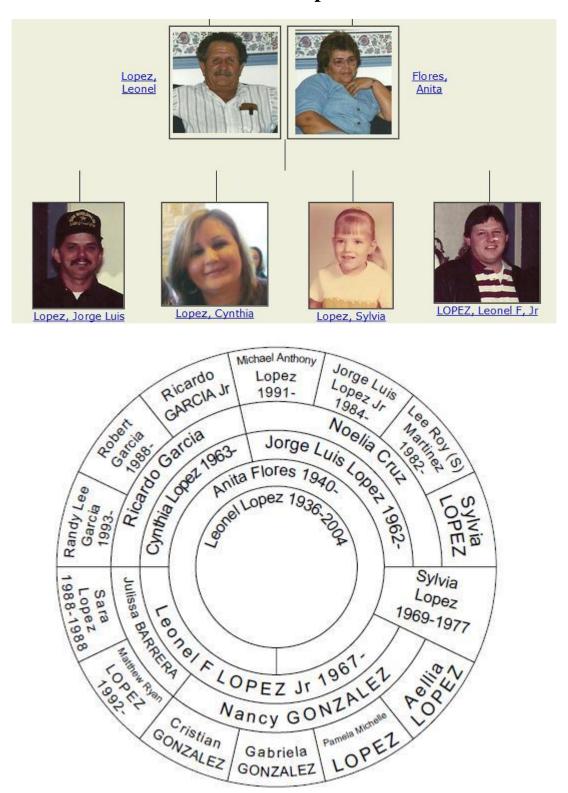
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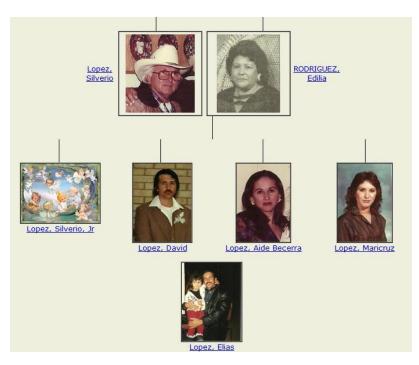
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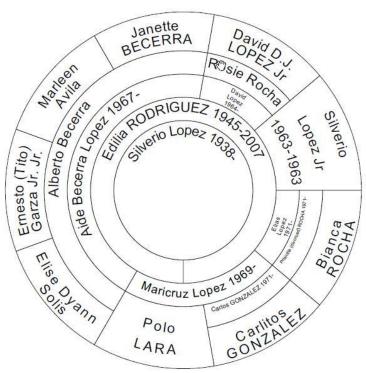


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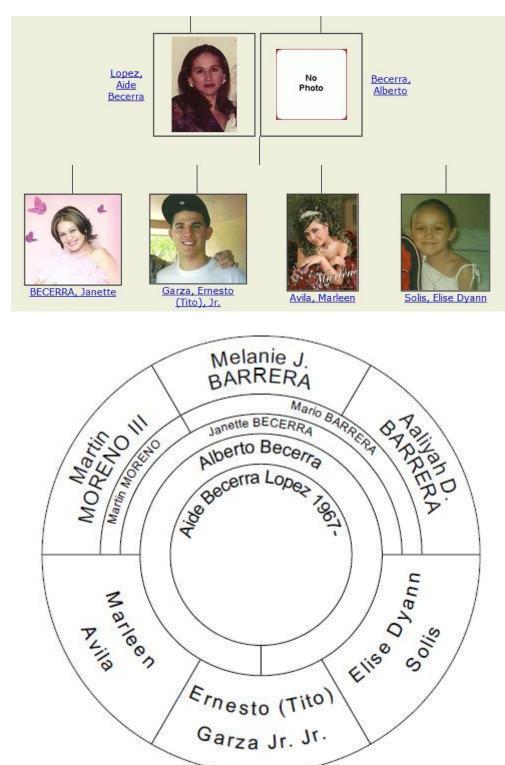


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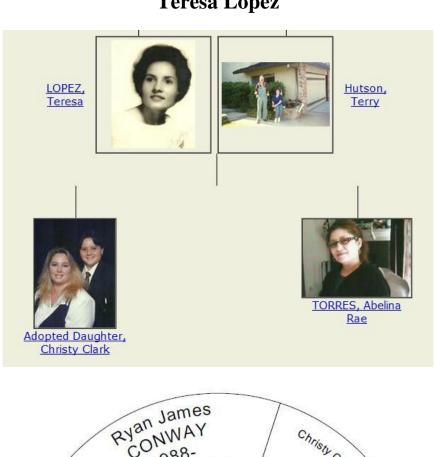


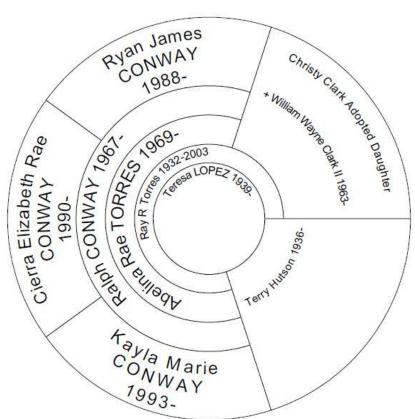


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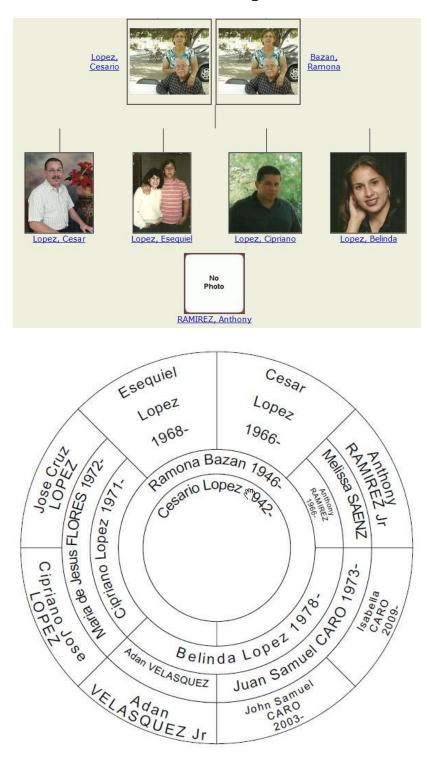


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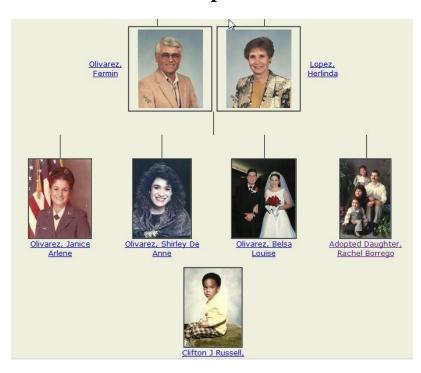


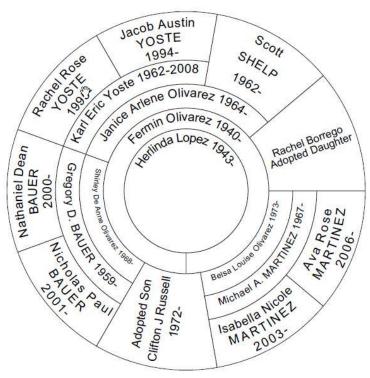


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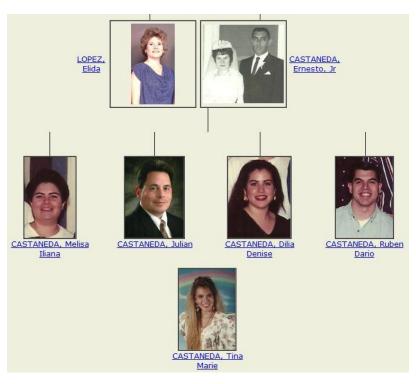


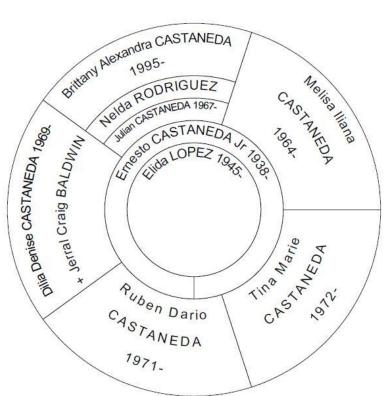
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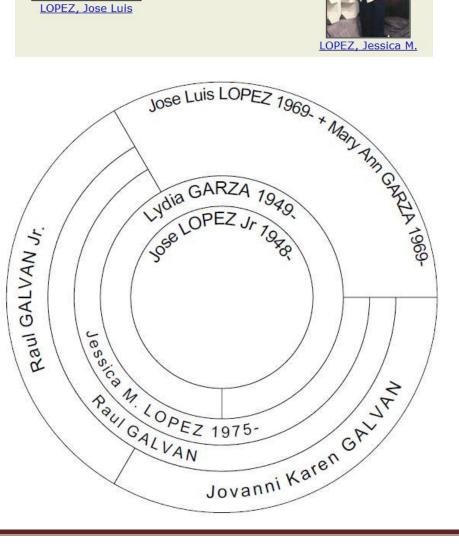
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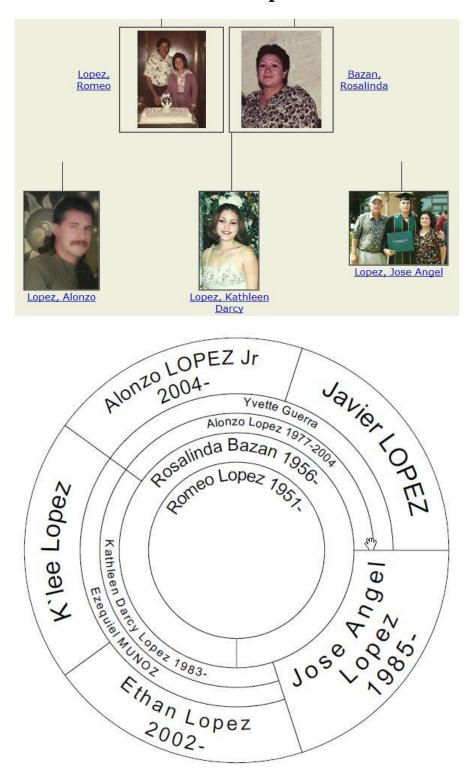


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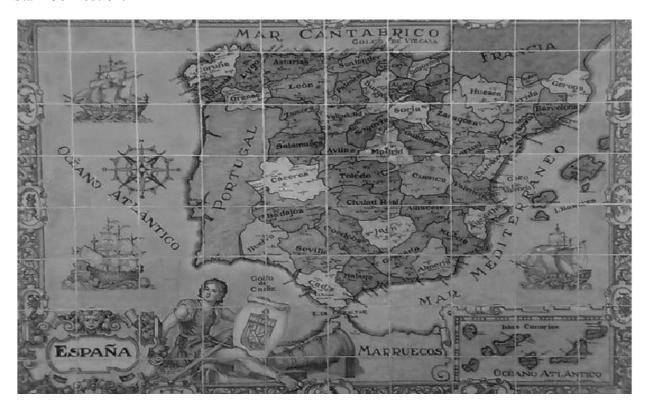
Romeo Lopez



Our History

Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon (son of Marcos Alonso and Constanza de la Garza) was born in Lepe, Huelva, Spain, and died 1635 in Nuevo Leon, Mexico. He married Juana Quintanilla Trevino, the daughter of Diego Alejo de Trevino, Capt. and Beatriz de Quintanilla 1580 in Mexico City, D. F., Mexico. The inquiry of the pedigree of our great great grandfather Jesus Lopez was begun with Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon, who arrived in Ciudad de Mexico about the year 1550 and whose blood line is traced through five of his offspring through eight lines. (Captain Francisco de la Garza, Pedro de la Garza, Blas de la Garza Falcon, Alonzo de Trevino, and Juana de Trevino) to Jesus Lopez over the course of a couple of centuries. NOTE: Francisco, Pedro de la Garza and Blas de la Garza Falcon each had two different branches that lead to Jesus Lopez. Francisco has one line through Sebastian and one through Elena. Pedro de la Garza had one line through Capt Pedro and one through his Elena. Blas de la Garza has one line through Sgt Mayor Francisco de la Garza Falcon and one branch through Lazaro de la Garza Falcon.

A <u>Royal Connection</u> comes to us through Juana Quintanilla Trevino, the daughter of Diego Alejo de Trevino, Capt. and Beatriz de Quintanilla. See Booklet "The Royal Connection to the Starr Connection."



Our Ancestral Heritage

By Linda Lopez Olivarez

Having searched for our roots, going back as far as the early 1500s, I have discovered that we have a tremendously rich heritage of which we can be extremely proud. Most of our ancestors came from the different parts of Spain, Honduras, and Mexico City.

One of our earliest ancestors was Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon. According to records available, he came from Lepe, a Providence of Huelva, Spain. The name de la Garza ("of the Herons") is rare in Spain, according to Julio Atienza, in his Dictionary of Names. Garza originated in Galicia, however, the original emigrant lists his birth place as Huelva, Spain. One of the first emigrants into Mexico, he was born about 1540 and died about 1610 in Nuevo Leon, Mexico. Another ancestor, (Ramon Guerra Canamar) came from Llanes Asturias, Spain. (Juan Bautista Schiapapria - Chapa) came from Villa Albisola, Italy. Others came from Cordova, Spain, Valverde, Estremadura and Madrid. I will attempt to integrate them into the

family tree as I go
migrated into
beginning as early
they made their way
Cerralvo, Mier,
Camargo, Mexico.
military people (the
Guerras) who took
colonization of
with Jose de
Sierra Gorda, Spain.
families already
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along. Most of them Mexico City, as 1540. From there to Monterrey, into Vallecillos, N.L., and Some of them were de la Garzas & part in the South Texas along Escandon, Count de Escandon brought in established in from the states of Coahuila who were terrain and its

dangers. This trek was known as the conquest of the last Spanish frontier. Some of the families that arrived in Camargo, with Escandon, in 1750 were given government aid. There were those who did not need any help, but they were all instrumental in establishing Mier, Camargo, Tamaulipas, Mx., Reynosa and other border towns.

Our ancestors forged the history of South Texas through their contributions in the field of religion, government, mining, surveying, ranching and farming. We come from very good stock and have a great heritage that we can be proud of as you will see under "Historical Roots". This part of our story begins with (1) Alonzo de la Garza y Arcon, born about 1540 in Lepe, Huelva Spain, Reino De Castilla (now Spain). He was a Spanish nobleman, native of Lepe, province of Huelva, Spain who arrived in Mexico City about 1560. There he courted and married 1st. Dona Juana de Trevino around 1565. She was the daughter of Diego de Trevino and Dona Beatriz de Quintanilla, a very prominent family in Mexico City. His second wife was Catalina Martinez Guajardo. Two girls were born to this union, Isabel and Juana.

Children of the first wife were:

- 1. Alonzo de Trevino, who married 1st. Anastacia González Hidalgo 2nd. Mayor de Renteria
- 2. Josef de Treviño, who married María Navarro Rojo
- 3. Blas de la Garza Falcón I, B: 1591 in Mapimi, married Beatriz González Hidalgo
- 4. Juana de Treviño, who married Juan Olivares
- 5. Pedro de la Garza, (born circa 1580 in Guadiana, now Durango) married Inez Rodríguez.
- 6. Francisco de la Garza

Note: They say that "all roads lead to Rome". The same can be said of our families; we all join with one or the other of the ancestors above, as they all weave and intertwine each other down through the years. We are descendants of five of the six children from the first marriage of Marcos Alonso and Juana de Trevino; Captain Francisco de la Garza, Pedro de la Garza, Blas de la Garza, Alonzo de Trevino, and Juana de Trevino. Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon was a miner by trade. He and his family arrived as settlers at Real de Mapimi, Nueva Galicia, a mining town in the province of Viscaya, (Durango). Their daughter, (2) Dona Juana de Trevino, and Blas de la Garza (the two younger ones from the first marriage) were born there. As was the custom of the time, the children could take on the mother's last name if it was a more prominent name. In this case three of them did (not all listed.)

In 1603 he moved his family to the Hacienda de San Francisco in the jurisdiction of Monterrey, Mexico. Two of his sons bought the Hacienda for him and moved them along with all their possessions extended family and servants.

Blas Maria de la Garza Falcon, great grandson of Marcos Alonzo de la Garza was very influential in colonizing South Texas. Blas Maria_and his sons served in the Spanish army and occupied many positions, some as soldiers, some as Sergeants others as Army captains; they also held governmental positions as Alcaldes, Justices, and Prosecutors in the province of Nuevo, Leon. Blas Maria was not only very influential in establishing South Texas, they also very quickly proliferated the area. The de la Garza coat of arms depicting the heron from which they took their name seemed truly to depict their dedication to family and country. Nearly all de la Garza's prospered, as did their Indians.



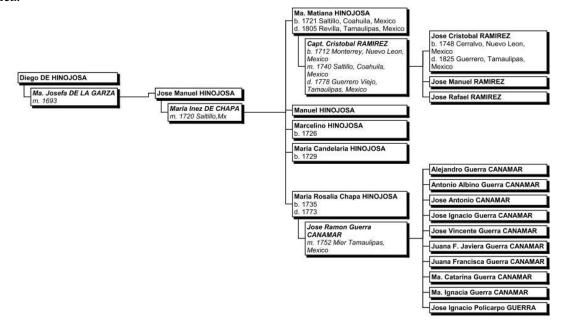
When the Porciones were granted along the Rio Grande, several generations after Don Blas, there were more grantees in this name than any other name.

- (2) Juana de Trevino, married Juan de Olivares about 1615 and gave birth, among other children, to Beatriz de Trevino about 1630.
- (3) Beatriz Treviño + (Juan Bautista Chapa) in 1653. (Monterrey, N.L. Mx)
 Children: Juan, (1660) Nicolas (1655) Gaspar, Jose Maria, Maria, Juana
 As noted earlier, Juan or Giovanni Schiapapria (Chapa) 1627-1695, was born in Villa Albisola on the coast of Genoa, Italy. He migrated in 1647 to Mexico. There he shortened the family name to Chapa. In 1651 he served as Secretary to the Governor and published a book on the history of the state of Nuevo, Leon. A very influential and well educated person, he served nine Governors during a span of forty years. Juan was the son of Bartolome Schiapapria and Batestina Badi from Italy. He was one of eight children.

He died April 20, 1695 in Nuevo Leon. For more information on J.B. Chapa, see "Historical Roots".

- (4) Nicolas Chapa + (Inez Benavides Flores) B: 1695 M: Children: Jose Florencio, Maria Inez, Antonia, Clara Maria, Miguel Eusebio, Juan B. Inez Benavides Flores, d. of Captain Francisco Baez de Benavides and Clara Flores de la Cerda (See "Ancestral Roots" for more information) Francisco, was born to Francisco Baez de Benavides and Isabel Martinez. Clara, was born to Bernabe Flores and Josefa de la Cerda
- (5)Maria Inez de Chapa 1st. Juan Antonio Ruiz Garza 2nd. (Jose Manuel Hinojosa) + (circa 1720) in Saltillo.
- Children: 1. Ma. Matiana,(1721-9/03/1735) 2. Manuel, 3.Rosalia, (1735-6/17/1773) 4. Maria Candelaria, (1729) 5. Marcelino, (1726)

NOTE: Jose Manuel Hinojosa and Inez de Chapa appeared in the first census taken in 1750 - (Camargo) listed with Rosalia 15 and Manuel 19. Matiana, already married, and listed as the wife of Christobal Ramiez.



Jose Manuel de Hinojosa, son of Diego de Hinojosa & Maria Josefa de la Garza Note of interest: Matiana's 2nd. Husband, Cristobal Ramirez, Spaniard, became Fermin's Olivarez' great ancestor, which means that we are descendants from two sisters. (Herlinda Lopez Olivarez)

- (6) Rosalia Hinojosa + (Jose Ramon Guerra Canamar) M. (2/6/1752) Mier, Mx Children: Antonio, Catarina, Alejandro, Ma Ignacia, Juana F. Javiera, & others
- (7) Ma. Ignacia Guerra (Canamar) + Jose Toribio Lopez M: 4/8/1782 Children: Jose Apolinar, Jose Antonio, (1783) and Francisca.

Jose Toribio Lopez, son of Jose Simon Lopez and Juana Villarreal (No more info on this generation) Ancestry for Ramon Guerra Canamar's below. He came from Llanes, Asturias Spain.

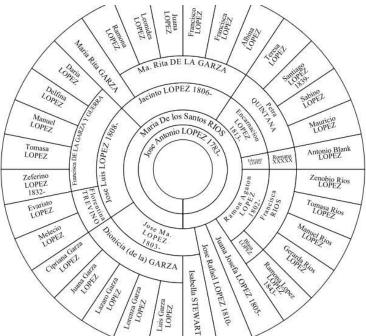
Note:

- (1). Joseph Ramon Guerra Canamar's family came from Llanes, Asturias, Spain, (son of)
- (2). Captain Cristobal Guerra Canamar & Nicolasa Baez de Trevino (m: 2/26/1702).
- (3) Cristóbal son of Captain Ignacio Guerra Canamar + Catalina Fernandez de Tijerina (+ 8/4/1676)
- (4) Ignacio, was the son of-
- (5)Antonio Guerra Canamar (B: 6/26/1603 in Llanes, Asturias, Spain) + Luisa Hernandez de Rio Frio (12/22/1624 Ciudad de Mexico, Nueva Espana)

See attached "The Canamar Family" for generational breakdown.

Note: Antonio Guerra Canamar migrated into Mexico City in the early 1600's.

(8) Jose Antonio Lopez + (Maria De los Santos Rios) M: 2/4/1801-Mier Children of Jose Antonio LOPEZ and Maria De los Santos RIOS were as follows:



Children:

1. Ramon (1802) 2. Jose Maria (1803) 3. Juana Josefa (1805) 4. Jacinto (1806) 5. Jose Luis (1808) 6. Jose Rafael (1810) 7. Encarnacion (1813)

8. Eduviges (no info. on him.)

Note of interest:

Child # 1, Ramon Agaton Lopez - Lopez' - Jesus Lopez and the Molinas came from this son.

Child # 2, Jose Maria Lopez, - Refugia, came from this son.

Child # 4, Jacinto Lopez, Pedro Lopez came from this son.

Child # 5, Jose Luis Lopez, Jesus Lopez came from this son also. (Zeferino Lopez)

Child #7, Encarnacion Lopez, - Nicolas Molina came from this son.

Jose Antonio Lopez and Maria de los Santos Rios was the main family root for the La Casita Lopez Clan and for so many at La Casita and Rio Grande City, Texas.

Note: Ma. De los Santos Rios, d. of Blas de los Rios & Ma. Juliana Pena – Cerralvo, N.L. Blas Rios, son of Martin Rios and Olaya Reyes Maria Juliana Pena, d. of Teodoro Pena & Maria Gertrudis Garza

(Rios and Pena families came from Cerralvo, N.L,. Mexico. No more info on these branches.)

(9). Encarnacion Lopez #7 (1813) + (Petra Quintana) + 5/28/1834 Married in Matamoros, Mx

Children; 1. Mauricio 2. <u>Santiago</u> 3. Teresa 4. Sabino 5. Petra Quintana, d. of Jose Maria & Antonia Villas-Laredo

(9) Ramon Lopez #1 (B. 1802) 1st. (Francisca Rios M: 1/9/1823 Camargo 2nd Blasa Lopez M: 1842

Child: 1. Ramona

Note: Ramon Agaton Lopez was the oldest son of Antonio Lopez and Maria de los Santos Rios, who was given the name of Ramon Agaton de los Santos at birth since Antonio Lopez was an adopted son of Antonio de los Santos; however, for some reason Antonio decided to change the name back to Lopez.

(10) Santiago Lopez (7/28/1839) + Agapita Molina M:8/8/1860

Children 1. Inocencia 2. Encarnacion Agapita Molina, daughter of Andres Molina & Petra Guerra + 5/28/1834 (See Molina Family Tree for her ancestry)

(10) Ramona Lopez (B. 12/1843)

Child: Jesus B. Lopez (B. 1858 - Natural son)

(11) Inocencia Lopez (1862) + (Pedro Molina (B:1856) +7/4/1885

Children: 1. Juan Francisco Lopez, B. + Maria Ruiz (10/20/1899 J.P. & 5/27/1912 church)

- 2. Nicolas + Apolonia Lopez
- 3. Jose Angel (single)
- 4. Julian + Felipa Duran M: 10/11/1915

1. Santos Molina +Celia Calderon M: 9/05/1942

Children: 1. Benito B: 6/25/43, 2. Santos G. (7/24/49 – 1/22/56), 3. Enedina B: 7/31/51

4. Jose B: 11/15/52 5. Jesus B: 11/19/52) 6. Julian (Jule) B: 1/18/55

7. Ricardo B: 2/23/56

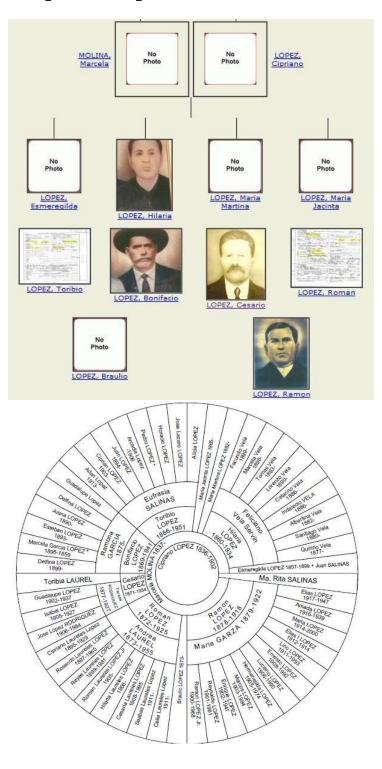
2. Catarina Molina + _____Falcon

Juan Francisco Lopez (1879) was Nicolas Molina's half brother.

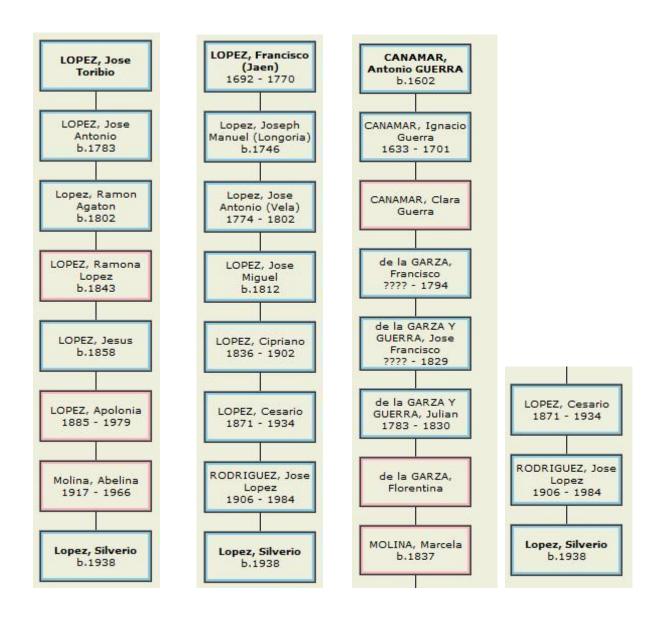
(11) Jesús B. Lopez + Juana Gutierrez M: 11/15/1877

This is how we got here!!!
from
1550 to Jesus Lopez
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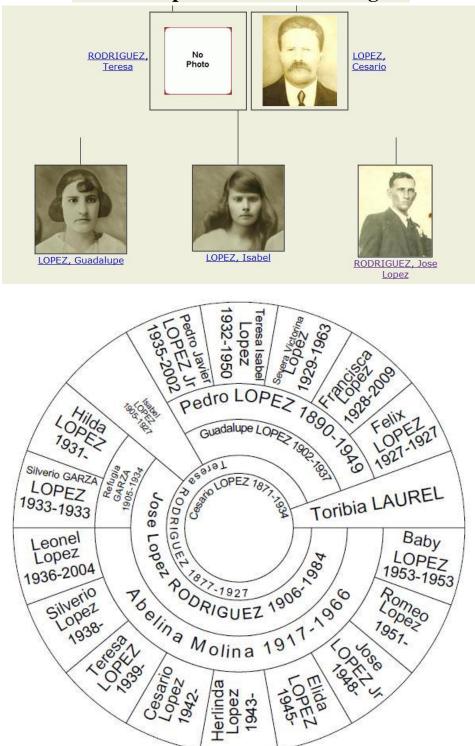
Cipriano Lopez and Marcela Molina



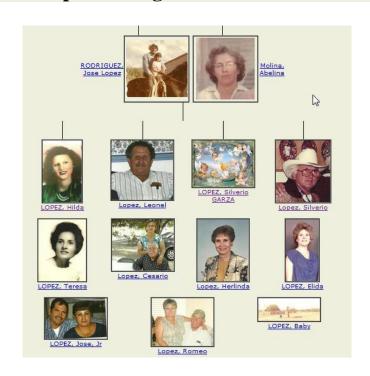
There are two distinctive Lopez Family Lines that lead to Silverio Lopez through both of his parents. The Canamar Family Line merges into both Lopez Family Lines. Ma. Ignacia Guerra Canamar (Great Granddaughter of Ignacio Guerra Canamar) married Jose Toribio Lopez. This union leads to Silverio through Abelina Molina and Clara Guerra Canamar married Sebastian de la Garza. This joining together leads to Silverio through Jose Lopez Rodriguez.

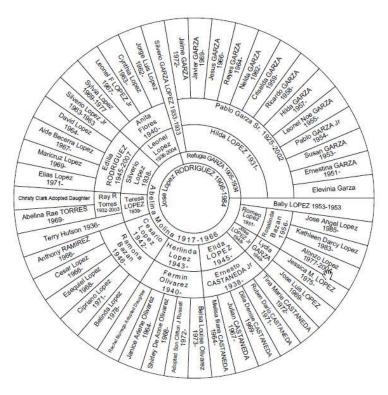


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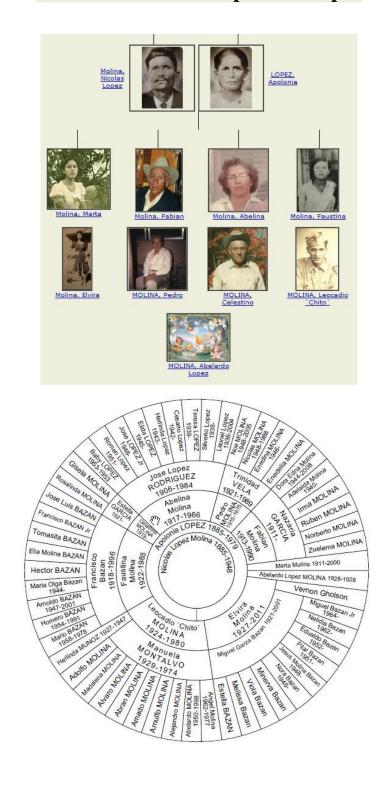


Jose Lopez Rodriguez and Abelina Molina

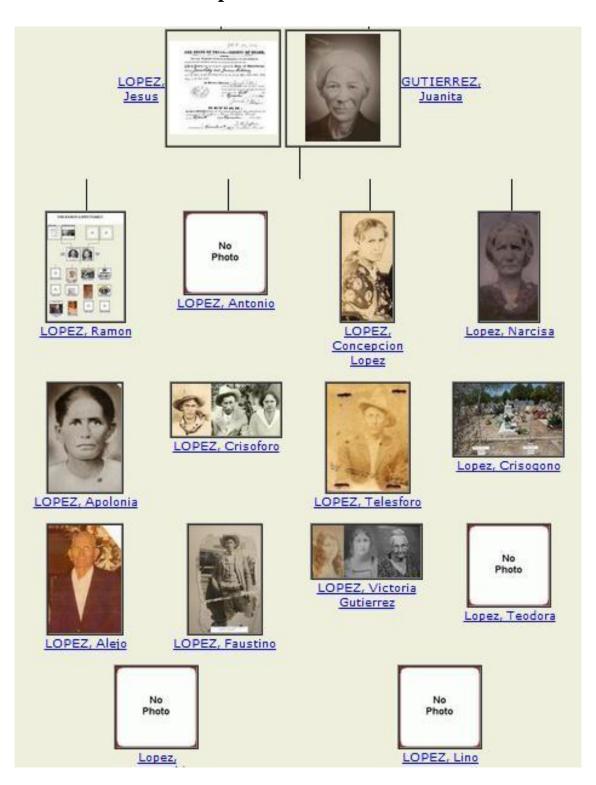




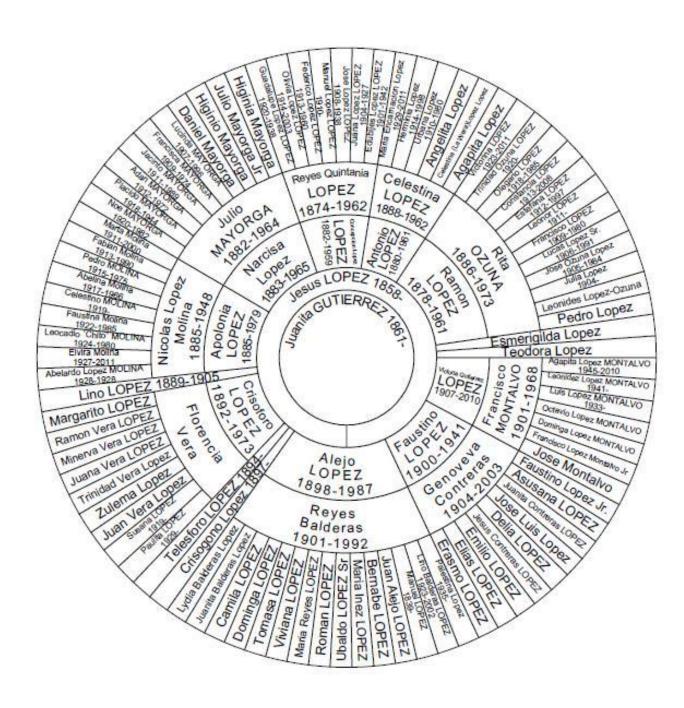
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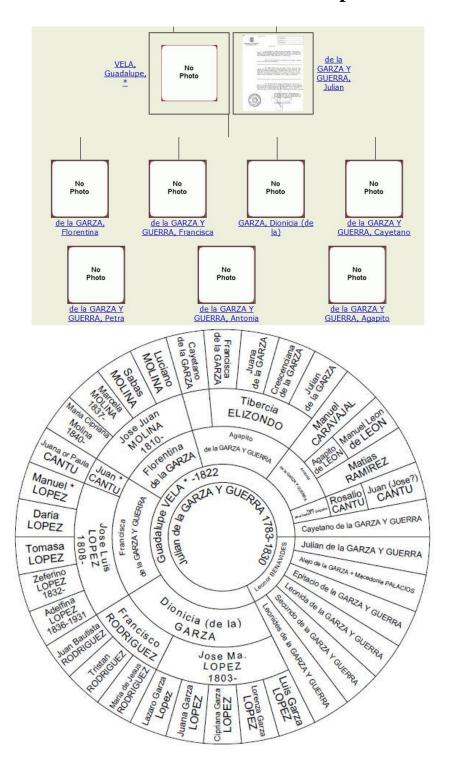
Jesus Lopez and Juanita Gutierrez



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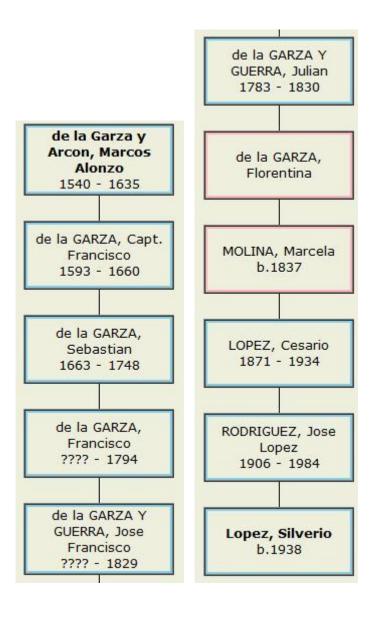


About de la Garza y Arcon, Marcos Alonzo

Capitan Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon was born in 1550 in Lepe, Huelva, Spain. He died in 1635. The Nuevo Leon origin of the surname Garza goes back to Captain Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon, originally from the town of Lepe in the province of Huelva of the Spanish Kingdom. This ancient conqueror and Andalucian settler entered the New Kingdom of Leon at the beginning of the XVII century. His first wife was Juana de Trevino, citizen of the City of Mexico. Marcos Alonzo Garza is the forefather of many that carry the last names of Garza, de la Garza, Falcon and Trevino. What is known about Captain Marcos Alonso de la Garza y Arcon is that he was the son of Marcos Alonzo and Constanza de La Garza. He also went by the names, Marcos Alonzo Arza y del Arcon, Marcos Alonzo Garza del Alcon and Marcos Alonzo, He was from Lepe. Huelva, Spain. It is estimated he was born about 1550, came to New Spain serving the military and married in 1585 to Juana de Trevino from a prominent Mexico City military family. His assignments took the family to Durango and Zacatecas where his duties were supervising the mining of silver and gold. His whole family ended up in Nuevo Leon in the time period between 1596 and 1603, after completion of his military career. The family of Marcos Alonzo is included in the list of the 12 original founding families of Monterrey N.L. Mexico, which was founded in 1596. It is not known where the "del Arcon" or "del Alcon" part of the last name came from. However, this ending had an impact on his son, Blas, for he used as his last name, de la Garza-Falcon. (Alcon is the ancient form of the word Halcon, Falcon) At the time it was common to use wither paternal or maternal last names. The children of Marcos Alonzo Garza never again used the paternal last name of Alonzo. Instead his sons Francisco and Pedro used the last name of "de la Garza," Blas used the last name of "de la Garza Falcon," and Diego, Alonzo, and Jose used their maternal last name "Trevino." As to why the last name Alonzo was totally abandoned by the family is a mystery, but it may have to do with the fact that Alonzo last name of Lepe, Huelva, Spain was associated with the Jews. Hernando Alonzo financed and aided Hernan Cortez in his actions. After the conquest of Mexico City, Hernando Alonzo, a well known Jew in the New World, was becoming too wealthy and powerful, and thus a threat. Hernando Alonzo was burned alive under orders of the Inquisition. While no link has been established between Hernando Alonzo and Marcos Alonzo, the name may have been changed for protection. Only to add to the speculation is the fact that Marcos took his family to Monterrey where many other families with Jewish roots had settled. The Trevino's which Marcos married into were known to be converts from Jews to Christians. Today many people go by the surname Garza having dropped the "de la" many years ago. There is also the surname Falcon having dropped the "de la Garza," de la Garza and Trevino, and all come from the same common ancestor. For more information on this very topic refer to Tomas Mendirichaga Cuvee's book "Origin of the Surname Garza and Trevino in Nuevo Leon http://www.vsalgs.org/stnemgenealogy/biblio.html". Source of Bio: The Monitor, Page 8E, June 24, 2001 Capitan Marcos Garza Arcon ALONSO and Juana DE TREVINO were married in 1563. Children were: Commander Jose de TREVINO. Pedro de la GARZA was born in 1589/90. Capitan Blas de la GARZA was born in 1591 in Real de Mapimi, Durango. He died on Feb 21, 1669 in Monterrey NL Mexico. Captain Blas de la

Garza was born in Real de Mapimi, in the present state of Durango, around 1591 and died in the city of Monterrey February 21, 1669, "having confessed and received all the holy sacraments..." He was given a Christian burial in the church of the Franciscan convent of that city. The account of the burial says that he made a will before Captain Juan Cavazos, assistant mayor, but this will is not known. He entered the conquest of Nuevo Reino de Leon "around the year one thousand and six hundred and seven. ... " He was alderman of the municipal government of Monterrey in 1613, 1625, 1627, and 1628; procurer in 1638; assistant mayor in 1630, 1642, and 1657; lord chief-justice and chief magistrate of Monterrey from 1644 until 1653. He contracted matrimony before 1626 with Beatriz Gonzalez Hidalgo, originally from the town of Santiago del Saltillo, legitimate daughter of Captain Marcos Gonzalez and, probably, of Mariana Navarro. From this union 5 sons and 12 daughters were born: Juan, Bias, Lazaro, Miguel. Francisco, Leonor, Margarita, Beatriz, Juana, Maria, Ines, Francisca, Isabel, Melchora, Luisa, Antonia, and Apolonia. All contracted matrimony. The males adopted the surnames De la Garza Falcon and the females the De la Garza surname, except Beatriz, who, in order to carry her mother's name, used the first maternal surname, that is to say, Gonzalez. Captain Francisco de la Garza lived at the Hacienda de San Francisco (today Apodaca, Nuevo Leon) "from the time he entered this Kingdom until he died around the year 1660. Diego de Trevino it is probable, could also have been the son of Captain Marcos Alonso Garza and Juana de Trevino, since, as we have already said, Marcos Alonso, the Younger calls him "my brother". But also he could have been a brother-in-law or the patriarch, or be it brother of Juana de Trevino. Governor Diego de Montemayor granted several favors of land and water to Marcos Alonso, the Younger and Diego de Trevino at the end of the XVI century or the beginning of the XVII. Surely they are the ones, who figure as witnesses in a document dated September 24, 1610, which we have already cited, in which they declared being "citizens of this city". This Diego de Trevino, could very feasibly be the one who acted as alderman of the municipal government of Monterrey in 1624 and 1630. Perhaps he is the same one who appears as witness in a writing dated April 2, 1624, and also in the list of settlers of Nuevo Reino de Leon, levied in 1626, among the "citizens that live outside the city (of Monterrey), in the dwellings..." and already "widower". And the one, who was married to Maria Martinez, from which union they had at least one daughter: Maria de Trevino, who contracted matrimony in 1630 or 1631 with Lazaro Gonzalez. Capitan Alonso de TREVINO was born in 1594/95. He died in Dec 1654. He entered into the conquest of Nuevo Reino de Leon "around the year one thousand six hundred and three. .."(56) He shows up "married" in the census of citizens of 1626. He was assistant mayor of Monterrey in 1629, 1632, 1636, and 1639. He contracted marriage twice: with Anastasia Gonzalez and Mayor de Renteria, from which unions at least fifteen legitimate children were born. Besides that he procreated two sons and a daughter outside of matrimony: the "mestizos" Marcos Alonso and Mateo de Trevino and Juana de Trevino. Captain Alonso de Trevino had more than seventy-five grandchildren. Captain Alonso de Trevino was widowed from Anastasia Gonzalez in the middle of 1636. Captain Alonso de Trevino had fifteen children from his two matrimonies with Anastasia Gonzalez and Mayor de Renteria who died August 7, 1690.

Relationship between Marcos de la Garza y Arcon and Silverio Lopez

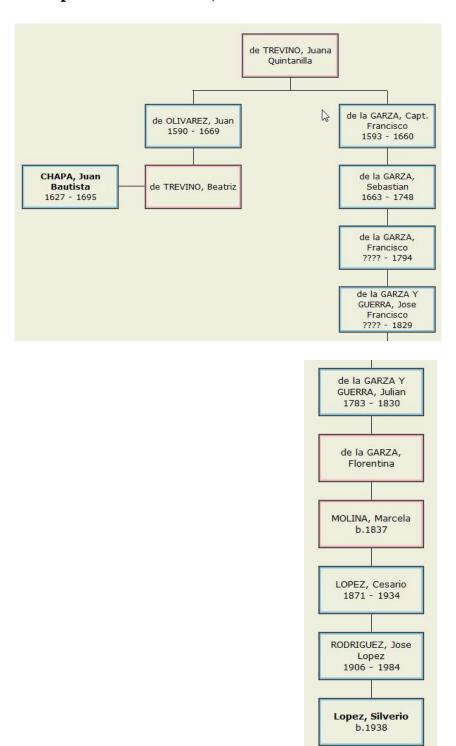


About CHAPA, Juan Bautista

Juan Bautista Chapa (B: circa 1627 - April 20, 1695) was born Giovanni Bautista Schiapapria in 1627 in Albisola, Italy, a small town just outside Genoa, Tuscany. He was the son of Bartolome Schiapparia and Batistina Badi. The family was of middle class landowners. They owned and operated a vineyard and did their duty in the Italian wars. For her two eldest sons the mother had greater things in mind; she tried to bend them toward the priesthood. Apparently theirs was a highly literate family that respected learning and both young men seemed to have been convinced. A brother, Juan, did in fact go on to be ordained in Spain. As his mother wished, young Juan Bautista Chapa arrived in Spain and began studying for the priesthood; however, two years later he decided to go to Mexico and continue his studies there. After a while he decided that the priesthood was not for him. Chapa went on to do clerical work for de Leon and to ride out on expeditions against the Indians. It is very likely that he also assisted in ranch work and directed the workers. He served under nine Spanish Governors over forty years, taking leave of absence only to ride on all the major campaigns against the Indians and to go into Texas hunting the French. On two trips into Texas, he acted as second-in-command as well as Secretary. He made maps locating the major features of the route with observed latitude calculated for longitude. He was very accurate, even by today's standards. Chapa was a well educated man who knew Italian (including the Genoses dialect), Spanish, Latin, and Tuscan. He left behind a perceptive and wellcrafted historical work. He translated the Internal and External Wars of Rome from the original Latin to Spanish, as well as some books from Tuscan Italian to Spanish, but perhaps his greatest writing achievement was to write his History of Nuevo Leon from 1650-1690. He did not put his name on it in any way. In his manuscript, he said that he wanted to remain anonymous and cited his reasons for doing so. Chapa was given to dedication in his work and to entertaining himself by reading the classics, studying history, and doing some writing on his own account. While he was not a money-maker, he was always independent and productive. He was a very generous person. He left his part of the Schiappapria Vineyard to his uncle, for his own benefit and had never claimed and did not expect to claim any part of his inheritance. There was no forgiveness in his makeup, only duty and productivity. In true equality, he asked first of himself and then of everyone else, even Indians, and so it was at the tip when he was part of the government of the realm. Chapa's Last Will and Testament was very touching. For the sake of brevity, I will include some, but not all of it in its entirety. Will: Testament; of Juan Bautista Chapa, citizen of the Realm, legitimate son of Bartolome Schapparia and Batistina Badi, natives of the Town of Albisola, in the Ribera of Genoa. I direct that I be buried as decided by my executors. I do not have the wealth to have a Mass sung over my body. I hereby testify that I was married to Beatriz de Trevino, now dead. Sons: Nicolas + Inez de Benavides, Jose, Jose Maria, Juan, Gaspar, Maria and Juana. I declare that I was the administrator of Juan de Olivares and Juana Trevino, my parents-in-law. The latter died in July 1693. Possessions: My house, of four rooms, left to me by Juan de Olivares, a lot given to me in appreciation by the Governor, Alonso de Leon. Of the lots to the north (Cerralvo), one I gave to Juan Garcia and one to Juan de Leon, and another to a daughter of Francisco, slave of the beneficiary Priest. That

Nicolas has 9 or 10 horses in Cerralvo that I leave him to work for the good of his soul and that of his wife. Monterrey, 8th February, 1694. I also mark as my possessions, one inete saddle, and rigging, some spuds, and a bridle. Item: A well used curry comb, an old dagger, a bed of boards with sides and an old mattress, a blanket, half a bed sheet and two pillows; One table, a bench and three old stools. One writing desk, much misused, and a small trunk in which I keep my papers, a large chest with its key and a chair with back piece and a picture of St. Jerome. Also: Thirty heads of cattle (Ganado mayor) and eight caballerias of land in the Jurisdiction of Cerralvo (La Piedra Parada), two lot in the same town, two metates, a case of ten books, another small house, a headpiece of copper, (armor), which is to be given to Juan, two silver spoons with my name and those of my wife, one on each, which are to be given to Gaspar. I declare that Maria married Juan de Trevino, and that I gave her a dowry and that they give her the St. Francis and Virgen de Guadalupe. My clothes I leave to Gaspar. The Italian books to Francisco C. Risso, of Mexico, a nephew of Juana de Vargas, surgeon; and the books in Latin, some of which are very valuable, are to be sold and Masses said to my soul. As we can see by his last will and testament, Juan B. Chapa was not a materialistic person, yet very generous with his possessions. I strongly believe that having studied for the priesthood helped to shape and mold his character. Chapa lived out his life in Nuevo Leon and died in 1695 in Nuevo Leon and is recognized as the ancestor of the very numerous Chapa families of northeastern Mexico and South Texas. In his nearly forty years of administration, he served under nine Spanish Governors. The life and works of Juan Bautista Chapa were integral to the forming of Nuevo Leon, its government under Martin de Zavala, and those of succeeding Governors. (For more information on the life of Juan B. Chapa, see pages 229-234, which includes his last will and testament.) Juan or Giovanni Schiapapria (Chapa) 1627-1695, was born in Villa Albisola on the coast of Genoa, Italy. He migrated in 1647 to Mexico. There he shortened the family name to Chapa. In 1651 he served as Secretary to the Governor and published a book on the history of the state of Nuevo Leon. A very influential and well educated person, he served nine Governors during a span of forty years. Juan was the son of Bartolome Schiapapria and Batistina Badi from Italy. He was one of eight children. He died April 20, 1695 in Nuevo Leon.

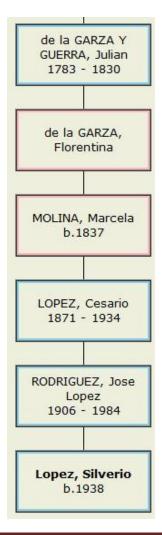
Relationship between CHAPA, Juan Bautista and Silverio Lopez



About de la GARZA Y GUERRA, Julian

Notes for Julian de la GARZA Y GUERRA: Julian de la Garza was owner of Porcion 84 and 1/5th of Porcion 85. His brothers Gregorio, Apolinario, Manuel, and Antonio de la Garza were owners of 4/5ths of Porcion 85, jurisdiction of Camargo. Porcion 84 had Ventura Vela as original grantee and it was sold to his son Refugio Vela who sold it to Julian de la Garza on May 26, 1818. The heirs of latter have said they still own same. Julian left a Will done November 7, 1825 in which he states his 1st wife died March 14, 1822 and that this property was acquired during that marriage. (He) Sets out names of 1st 9 children (another child of 1st marriage, Maria Eugenia died an infant). (He) Declares that his 1st wife was a daughter of Richard Vela and Maria Josefa Garcia and that his second wife was a daughter of Jose Ignacio de Benavides and Maria Matiana de Villareal.

Relationship between de la GARZA Y GUERRA, Julian and Silverio Lopez



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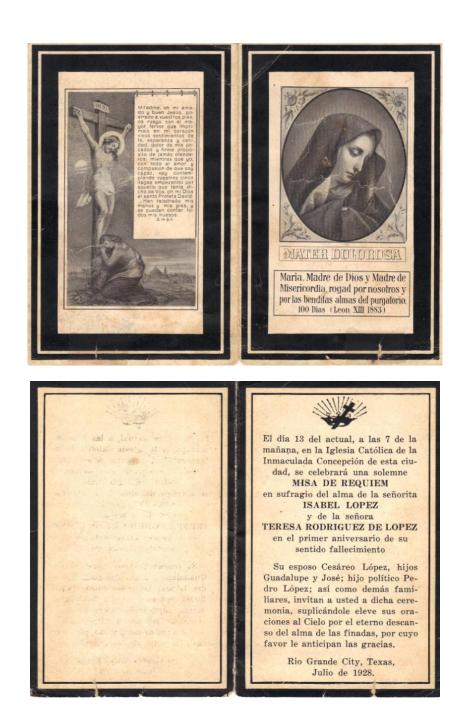
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LOPEZ RODRIGUEZ, TERESA (MASS ANNOUNCEMENT)

(3)	1 PLACE OF DEATH		
V	County Texas State Board of Health, Bureau of	Vital Statistics, Standard Certificate of Death	Reg. Dis. No
	City Pis Grande, Jelas, (No.		Registered No
	2 FULL NAME Ryman Lopes	(a) RESIDENCE. No. St	
			town and State)
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GREETING:
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turn to the Clerk of the County Court of said County within Sixty days thereafter,
my official signature and seal of office at office in Rio Grande City Texas.
this the 2nd day of July A. D. 18 1885
Ernest Marks Clerk County Court
STARR County, Texas
By /S/ Ernest Marks Deputy.
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RODRIGUEZ, JOSE LOPEZ (CERTIFICATE OF DEATH)

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MARRIAGE RECORD
County of Law 200. 1818.
To any Regularly Licensed or Ordained Minister of the Gospel, Jewish Rabbi, Judge of the District or County Court, or any Justice of the Peace, in the State of Texas, GREETING:
you are Mereby Authorized to Solemnize the Bites of Matrimony
Between Mr. Jose Lokez Rodrigues, and Miss abelius Molins and make due return to the Clerk of the County Court of said County within sixty days thereafter, certifying your action under this
License. WITNESS my official signature and seal of office at Lio Franke City Texas,
the //th day of Sept. 1935
the / - day of
Clerk of the County Court, A County.
Seeds By S. R. Mung, Deputy.
I, Edward Bastein, 2. Hypereby certify that on the 75th day of Leptonber 1925
the parties above named
WITNESS my hand this Zbth day of September 1935
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Catholic Church, Ra Frank City, aux.
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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

RODRIGUEZ, JOSE LOPEZ (MARRIAGE RECORD)

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 ${\bf RODRIGUEZ, RAMON \, (RECORD \, OF \, DEATH)}$

CERTIFIED COPY

WILL.

The State of Texas,)

County of Starr.) I, Cesareo Lopez, of the County of Scarr and State of Texas, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs while I have strength to do so, do make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all otherstheretofore by me made.

- 1. I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christianlike manner, suitable to my circumstances and condition in life.
- 2. I desire and direct that my just debts be paid out of my estate without delay, by my executor to be hereinafter appointed.
- 3. It is my will and desire that all of the property, both real and personal, I may die seized and possessed of, after the payment of all my just debts, together with all the expenses incident to the probating of this will, shall pass to and vest in fee simple in my son, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, SUBJECT ONLY, to the expressed terms and conditions in clause 4 hereof, and after the payment of all my just debts, and the compliance of the terms and conditions expressed in clause 4 hereof, I give, bequeath and demise to my said son, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, the remainder of all the property I may own or be interested in at the time of my death, in fee simple, to manage sell or dispose of as he may wish or see proper.
- 4. It is my will and desire and I hereby direct, that after my death, my beloved wife, Toribia Laurel de Lopez, shell have th right, DURING HER LIFETIME ONLY, to the use of, or the rents or revenue derived therefrom, of One-Half, (1/2), of all property real or personal, I may die seized and possessed of, for her support and maintainance and after her death such right shall descend to my said son, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, who shall then become the sole and absolute owner of all property I may die seized or possessed of.

 My said wife, during her lifetime, shall only have the right to the

use of, or the rents and revenues derived therefrom, of One-Half, (1/2), of the property I may die seized or possessed of, but she SHALL NOT HAVE THE RIGHT to sell or dispose of any part thereof, without the consent of my said son, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, who is hereby declared the owner of said property.

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- 5. I hereby declare, that I have bequeathed herein all my property to my saed son, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, for the reason that he has been and is now very obedient and faithful to me, and has been and is always ready and willing to help and take care of me.

 My daughter, Guadalupe Lopez de Lopez, (wife of Pedro Lopez), shall inherit nothing from my estate.
- 6. I hereby constitute and appoint my son, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, executor of this, my last will and testament, and direct that no bond or security be required of him as executor.
- 7. It is my will that no other action shall be had in the county court in the administration of my estate than to prove and record this will and to return an inventory and appraisement of my estate and list of claims.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand this the 10th day of May, A. D. 1930.

Cesario Lopez

Signed, declared and published by Cesareo Lopez, as his last will and testament, in the presence of us, the attesting witnesses, who have hereto subscribed our names in the presence of said Cesareo Lopez, at his special instance, and request, this loth day of May, A. D. 1930.

E. Salinas Lauro Garza.

ENDORSEMENT: -

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No. 413. Last will and Testament of Cesareo Lopez. Filed Jan. 15th, 1934. Lauro Garza, County Clerk, Starr County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF STARE.

I, Lauro Garza, Clerk of the County Court in and for Starr County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of "Will" of Cesareo Lopez, dated May 10th, 1930, as same appears on file in my office among the papers of Cause No. 413, styled Estate of Cesareo Lopez, Deceased

To certify which, I have hereunto set my hand officially, at Rio Grande City, Starr County, Texas, this 7th day of February, A. D., 1934.

Lauro Garza County Clerk, Starr County, Texas.

Deputy.

No.4/3

In the Matter of the Estate of Cesareo Lopez, Deceased.

In the County Court of Starr County, Texas.

29th day of January A.D.1934.

On this the 29th day of January A.D.1934, personally appeared in open court Lauro Garza, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 10 day of May A. 1930 day of May A.D.1930, he was present and saw Eesareo Lopez sign the instrument filed in this court on the 15th day of January A.D.1934, and now whown to him, bearing date on the 18th day of May A.D. 1930, and purporting to be the last will of him, the said Cesareo Lopez, and heard him publish and declare the same to be his last will and testament; that at the time of signing and publishing the same, the said Cesareo Lopez was over twenty-one years of age, and of sound minds that this affiant and E. Salinas, whose signature appears on said intrument on said 10th day of May A.D.1930 then being credible witnesses above the age of fourteen years, subscribed their names as witnesses to the same, in the presence and at the request of said testator, and in the presence of each other.

That afterward, on the <u>lOth</u> day of January A.D.1934, said Cesareo Lopez died in said county of Starr, in which he had his domicile at andbefore his death, and without having revoked said eill, so far as known to affiant.

Sworn to and subscribed in open court before me, this 29th day of January A.D.1934.

County Judge, Starr County, Texas.

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No: 4/3

In the Matter of the Estate of Cesareo Lopez, Deceased.

In the County Court of Starr County Texas.

29th day of January A.D. 1934.

On this the 29th day of January A.D.1934, came on to be heard the application of Jose Lopez Rodriguez, for probate 6f a certain instrument in writing now produced in court, purporting and alleged to be the last will and testament of Cesareo Lopez, deceased, and the evidence, a statement of which is filed in this case, being heard and fully considered by the court it is ordered, adjugged and decreed by the court that said instrument in writing is hereby admitted to probate and record as the last will of Cesareo Lopez, deceased, and the testimony shall be recorded in the minutes of this court.

County Judge, Starr County, Texas.

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In the Matter of the Estate of () (In the County Court of Starr County, Cesareo Lopez, Deceased. () Texas.

3rd day of Bebruary A.D.1934.

This the 3rd day of February A.D.1934, came on to be condidered the the report of the inventory, appraisement and list of claims of the estate of Cesareo Lopez, deceased, made by Demetric Garcia, D.A. Salinas and Casiro Munox, who have heretofore been appointed by the court to appraise said estate and the court having examined the same, it is ordered by the court that said report be and it is hereby in all things approved.

County Judge Starr County, Texas.

No. 413

In the Matter of the Estate of Cesareo Lopez, Deceased.

In the County Court of Starr County,
Texas.

Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Cesareo Lopez, deceased, produced before the undersigned appraisers on the and day of February A.D.1934, by Jose Lopez Rodriguez, Independent Executor of the Dasttwill and Testament of Cesareo Lopez, deceased.

REAL ESTATE. Separate Property

1/2 of Lot No.13 of Block No.74, in the town of Rio Grande, Starr County, /00.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY Separate Property.

Planter, of the value of	40.00
Cultivator, of the value of	25.00
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Total	146938
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We, the undersigned appraisers solemnly swear that the foregoing is a full and fair appraisement of the Estate of Cesareo Lopez, deceased, produced before us by Jose Lopez Rodriguez, Independent Executor of the Last Will and Testament of said Sesareo Lopez, deceased.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 3rd day of February A.D.1934.

Notary Public. Starr County, Texas.

LIST OF CLAIMS DUE THE ESTATE

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LIST OF CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE

	Open	account	due Vicente	Guerrero.		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	.\$291.65	
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	Open	account	due Romulo (Jarza			.\$376.29	.1
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	Due	Dr.C.Sol	is for Profes	ssional Ser	rvices		.\$ 50.00	
,	Due :	Dr. Rene	Solis for Pro	fessional	Serwices		.\$ 30.00	
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I, Jose Lopez Rodriguez, Independent Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Cesareo Lopez, deceased, do solemnly swear that the foregoing is a full and complete inventory and list of claims of the property and claims of Cesareo Lopez, deceased.

1934.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the and day of Bebruary &.D.

Jose J. Rodrigny

Notary Public Starr County . Texas .

ESTATE OF CESAREO LOPEZ,

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DECEASED. NO.

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Probate Docket:

To the Honorable H. Garza, Jr., Judge of said Court:

Now comes Toribia Laurel de Lopez, who resides in Starr County, Texas, and files this, her application for the partition and setting aside to her own benefit her prorata share of the land of which her husband Cesareo Lopez, deceased, died seized and possessed for the use of such prorata share, namely, an undivided one half (1/2) thereof as devised and bequeathed to her under the terms, provisions and tenor of the Last Will and Testament of her said husband Cesareo Lopez; and also being an application for the partition, setting aside and distribution of her prorata share of the community personal property acquired by the petitioner and her said husband Cesareo Lopez, deceased, to be her sole and individual property.

Your petitioner would respectfully show that the person whose estate is sought to be partitioned and distributed insofar as relates and concerns the petitioner is Gesareo Lopez and that the title and fee simple is in Jose Lopez Rodriguez, devisee to one half (1/2) of the deceased's lands in fee simple and remainderman to the half devised and bequeathed to petitioner for life under such Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased; and that the Executor under such Last Will and Testament is Jose Lopez Rodriguez.

That your petitioner insofar as relates to and concerns the personal property and your petitioner during their marital status is survivor in community entitled to a proportionate undivided one half (1/2) of such personal property for her prorata share thereof, as well as her right to possess, occupy, enjoy, cultivate, rent, lease or live on said one half (1/2) of such lands during the remainder of natural life of petitioner.

That this application is filed after, and subsequent to, the probate of the Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased, of whom your petitioner is the surviving widow.

That the following is the community personal property accumulated by

In the Matter of the Estate of Cesareo Lopez, Deceased. Inventory and Appraisement List of Claims.

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the deceased, the said Cesareo Lopez, and your petitioner during their marital status:

Eight (8) head of cattle being five (5) breeding cows acquired by deceased and your petitioner during their marital status, and the increase or progeny thereof, the proportionate share belonging to your petitioner being four (4) head thereof appraised and valued at the fair, reasonable and current market price of twelve dollars (\$12.00) per head aggregating forty-eight dollars (\$48.00) which eight (8) head of cattle have been, and are now, in the possession of the said Jose L. Rodriguez as Independent Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased.

That the deceased, Cesareo Lopez, and your petitioner also acquired during their said marital status a mare-mule, a mare and a riding saddle to which your petitioner is entitled to an undivided one half thereof which said undivided one half thereof is appraised and valued at the reasonable, fair and current market price of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) all of which personal property has been, and is now, in possession of the said Jose L. Rodriguez, as Independent Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased.

That the deceased and your petitioner stacked as the crop or harvest during the year 1933, two hundred bushels of corn and five tons of feed (cane hay) which were planted, cultivated, raised and harvested during the said Cesareo Lopez' and your petitioner's marital status to which your petitioner is entitled to an undivided one half share thereof as her community prorata share of said crops, the reasonable, fair and current market price of which one half of said corn crop being one-hundred dollars (\$100.00) and of which one-half of said cane hay crop being fifty dollars (\$50.00) and which said crops of corn and cane hay are in the custody and possession of said Jose L. Rodriguez, as Independent Executor under the Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased.

That petitioner is entitled, by virtue of the terms, conditions, stipulations and tenor of the said Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased, to one half of the rents and revenues derived from all lands devised to the said Jose L. Rodriguez under the terms of said Last Will and Testament, sole divisee and legatee to the fee simple of the lands of deceased and Executor under such Last Will and Testament; by virtue whereof the said Jose L. Rodriguez

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received, receipted for, and appropriated to his own use and benefit the proceeds of a check for the sum of seventy-eight dollars (\$78.00) of which petitioner acknowledges the receipt of fifteen dollars (\$15.00), there being a balance of twenty-four dollars (\$24.00) due to your petitioner to bring her share of said rents and revenues of said lands heretofore to an undivided one-half thereof according to the terms of the Last Will and Testament of said Cesareo Lopez, deceased.

That your petitioner is the survivor in community of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased, and claimant and sole owner of the remaining one-half of the community personal property of the deceased and your petitioner after distributing the other one-half to the sole legatee under said Last Will and Testament of the said Cesareo Lopez, deceased, and that she resides in Rio Grande City, Starr County, Texas, and that the following other persons whose residences is stated after their names, respectively, are all and the only other persons entitled to the other remaining one-half of said community personal property after deducting your petitioner's one-half est share thereof. Said persons being also entitled to the fee simple title in the lands wherein your petitioner is entitled to hemotical rights to enjoy, possess, cultivate, rent or lease the same during her natural life, to-wit:

Jose L. Rodriguez, whose Post Office address is Garciasville, Starr County, Texas, but who resides at La Casita, Starr County, Texas,

That he is an adult person and that there are no other persons, minors or adults, who are heirs at law, legatees, divisees, or beneficiaries under the said Last Will and Testament of the said Cesario Lopez, deceased.

Wherefore, premises considered, your petitioner prays that all persons interested in such estate be cited to appear herein and show cause why such partition and distribution should not be made, and that such Executor be cited to appear herein and answer this application and to file in court verified exhibit and account of the condition of such estate as in case of final settlement of an estate; and for general relief.

By:

Attorney.

Toribia Laurel de Lopez, Petitioner

Attorney.

413 No.450
No. 4.55
ESTATE OF CESAREO LOPEZ,
Deceased.
Application of Toribia Laurel de Lopez, widow of Cesareo Lopez, forthe partition, distribution and exact assetting aside to her of one half of the lands of the deceased, for her use and beenfit and to be enjoyed by her during the rest of her natural life as provided for under the Last Will and Testament of Cesareo Lopez, deceased.
day of March, A. D., 1934.
Clerk, County Court Starr County, Texas. By:
\$500 Deparied

Gratefully acknowledging our cousin, David Moreno, (bisnieto de tia Chonita & tio Reyes Lopez) for his assistance in generating this booklet. Without his computer expertise, this would not have been possible. I deeply appreciate his time, dedication, efforts and especially putting up with me. Thanks a million, David.