



Alicia Nafziger

April 9, 2026

Alicia Nafziger, age 79, of Lancaster, PA, formerly of Millersville, PA, and Honduras, died on Thursday, April 9, 2026, at UPMC Harrisburg, from complications from a heart valve replacement surgery.

Alicia was born and raised in Honduras, Central America. As a child, she went to Standard Fruit Company Primary School in Isletas, Colon, and attended the Escuela Biblica Menonita de Trujillo (Mennonite Bible School of Trujillo). She earned her GED in Lancaster PA, as well as graduating from Willow Street Vocational Tech with a Licensed Practical Nursing degree in 1986. Alicia worked for 28 years at Manor Family Health Center in Millersville as a nurse and skilled phlebotomist.

She came to faith in Christ as a young adult in La Ceiba, Honduras; her relationship with God was central to her life. Alicia married Eldon in 1973 and they moved to Pennsylvania. In 1975, she became a member of Millersville Mennonite Church, where she attended church while she lived in Pennsylvania. She became a United States citizen in 1999. Alicia was very honored to have U.S. citizenship but was proud to be Honduran as well. She and Eldon lived in Balfate, Honduras, from 2017 to 2024.

Alicia was a kind, intelligent and talkative person. She enjoyed cooking meals, and both her hearty laugh and sensitivity made her a wonderful hostess. She

loved her family and friends; she enjoyed reading, music, flowers, and taking care of plants. Although her mother tongue was Spanish, she learned English after moving to the US. Her English was excellent, and she was very comfortable speaking both languages.

She is survived by her husband, Eldon; her son, Herman Ivan; her daughter, Mildred Fe (Wesley Penner) and her son, Eldon Ray (Lauren Mace), as well as siblings: Carlos Armando Sosa, Cristina Gonzales, Norma de la Cruz Gonzalez Sosa, Iris Gonzales Duarte (Luis Salvador), Juan Ramon Osorio (Juanita), Araceli Gonzales, Sonia Marivel Gonzales and many cousins, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a brother, Jose Antonio (Papy) Gonzalez.

A Memorial Service will be held at Millersville Mennonite Church, 437 Manor Avenue, Millersville, PA, on Saturday, May 2, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. Friends are welcome to greet the family starting at 10:00 a.m. at the church.

The family encourages everyone to make donations to Denis & Mylene Cobar, who serve the Lord in a rural community in Honduras. Please visit their website at www.modernday.org/profile/dcobar/

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Millersville Mennonite Church
437 Manor Ave
Millersville , PA 17551

Memorial Service

MAY 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JB

“ Dear Eldon & family, I don't know how I missed hearing about Alicia's death until today. I am so sorry for this great loss for all of you. I always appreciated her sincerity, joy, & friendliness, & I'm sure all of you are continuing to miss her immensely. May the Lord watch over all of you, & bless you, & keep you in his loving care during these coming days & months, Janet Breneman

Janet Breneman - May 13 at 10:55 AM

JU

“ I was a patient at Manor Family Health Center for many years and had many wonderful interactions with Alicia over the years. Every time I needed lab work done and came in and saw Alicia was there I immediately felt comfortable and at ease. She was so kind and always asked how my wife and kids were. She was an absolute sweetheart. My condolences to her friends and family during this difficult time. RIP Alicia.



James Ulmer - April 27 at 09:05 PM

DC

“ I met Alicia and Eldon here in Honduras at the Loma de Luz hospital in the municipality of Balfate. Alicia was always so kind to us, she accompanied us in our work, and although she wasn't from our department, she became one of us. She always encouraged us in our service to the Lord. We are shocked, and we would have liked to see her, but the Lord is just and faithful, and knows how to protect the lives of his people, and Alicia was one of his sheep.

Denis Cobar - April 13 at 01:03 PM

MM

“ Eldon and Family, please accept our deepest condolences on the Alicia's passing. This is a bittersweet time as we miss her, but she is with Him in eternity and that is beautiful. In the blink of an eye, we shall be together again with no more sorrow, no more pain. We enjoyed our time with Alicia and especially when she flew with you to Keystone Flight events where we visited many places and shared many meals together. She is already missed, but the memories with her will live on forever. She lived a Christ-Centered life and was a wonderful servant of God, wife, mother and friend. Blessings, Mike Marra and the Keystone Flight Flying Club.

Mike Marra - April 12 at 07:19 AM



“ Eldon, my wife and I extend our condolences to you and your family. May the Good Lord heal your hurting hearts. Galen and Judy Dise

Galen Dise - April 12 at 06:41 AM

DW

“ My sincere condolences, Eldon. God bless her memory. Diane Witkonis

Diane Witkonis - April 12 at 05:14 AM

EN

Hi Diane, I have been looking for you. Thanks for remember us.

Eldon Nafziger - April 12 at 10:16 AM

EN

“ Our daughter took the obituary photo at Longwood Gardens with Alicia a few months before her death.

Eldon Nafziger - April 10 at 06:41 PM

KG

That is a beautiful picture. It was a pleasure getting to know you and the rest of the family.

Kimberly Group - April 11 at 09:51 AM

EN

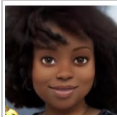
Thanks Kim you were very helpful

Eldon Nafziger - April 11 at 11:20 AM

KS

*Eldon
I am so sorry to hear. I know it doesn't make it any easier right now but Be comforted in knowing where she will spend eternity. Love you my friend.*

Ken Sheely - April 11 at 11:29 AM



Thinking and praying for you and your family. My mom, my siblings and I are deeply sorry for your loss.

Thelma Dolmo - April 11 at 05:10 PM

CS

I am so very sorry for your loss. Alicia was a beautiful soul inside and out. She will be missed by many. Peace to you and your family.

Carol Stigelman - April 11 at 10:29 PM

SB

Very sorry for this news....she was an incredible person in many ways

sue barley - April 12 at 07:01 AM

MA

*My husband Dionicio and I share our condolences with your family. We were in a MCC Youth Discovery Team with Millie and others in the early 90's and remember being welcomed by you and your wife for a meal. Blessings to you all as you remember and honor Alicia.
~Moniqua Acosta*

Moniqua Acosta - April 13 at 07:34 AM

NZ

Eldon and family, What a surprise to see Alicia's obituary. I always enjoyed when my path crossed with Alicia. She was interested in my world and very warm. She always had a smile, was pleasant and gracious. May God be present to you in very special ways as you grieve this loss. Naomi Zimmerman

Naomi Zimmerman - April 13 at 08:23 PM

JH

Eldon and Family, I was shocked and saddened by the passing of your dear sweet Alicia. I am also working thru the passing in March of my dear sweet Shirley. She suffered with dementia for six long years. You and I have always had a lot in common. That can be good and it can be bad. We don't always get to make the choices. Stay well my friend. We were blessed to be loved by two wonderful women.

*Best Friends Forever.
Jack Henderspn*

jack henderson - April 14 at 03:23 PM

SL

Dear Eldon and Family,

Please know our thoughts and prayers are with all of you~We were so sad to learn of Alicia's passing~ We know that she is rejoicing as she is home with Jesus and many loved ones~I shared her obituary with dear mom and she sends her love and her prayers~Alicia was a dear friend to all of us and we loved her dearly~I still remember meeting Alicia for the first time when you brought her to Christmas dinner on the farm~We are so sorry for your deep loss but know our parting down here is temporary and she will be waiting to welcome all of us home~Love and Prayers, Your cousin, Sue

sue lincoln - April 17 at 02:54 PM

DM

Eldon y familia, When I think of Alicia what comes to mind is gentleness and mercy. Whenever we briefly met (Provident Bookstore) her warmth emanated through her voice and personal tone. I'm sorry for your deep loss. Dios le da fuerza y muchos recuerdos bellos. --Dan Miller

Dan Miller - May 02 at 08:55 AM