

Ancestors of Tranquilino Avila Reyes

Generation 1

1. **Tranquilino Avila Reyes**, son of Severiano Avila and Manuela Reyes, was born on 06 Jul 1882 in Yorktown, De Witt, Texas, United States. He died on 10 Sep 1960 in Donna, Hidalgo, Texas, United States. He married **Adela Munoz Flores** on 15 Jun 1907 in Hidalgo County, Texas. She was born on 18 Dec 1882 in Azadores Ranch, Texas. She died on 03 Feb 1940 in Donna, Hidalgo, Texas, United States.
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Generation 2

2. **Severiano Avila**, son of Ylario Abila, was born on 21 Feb 1841 in Durango, Durango, Mexico. He died on 16 Mar 1923 in Donna, Hidalgo, Texas, United States. He married **Manuela Reyes** before 1880.
3. **Manuela Reyes**, daughter of Reyes and Unknown, was born on 21 Mar 1841 in Yorktown, Dewitt, Texas. She died on 30 Jun 1929 in Donna, Hidalgo, Texas, United States.

Notes for Severiano Avila:

1. Possible father of Severiano is Ylario Abila from the Santa Ana Ranch from a previous marriage. Ylario's wife, Fermina Martinez [born about 1840], is too young to be the mother of Severiano. A Severiano Abila, age 22 in 1870, was living with Ylario and Ferminz Abila at the Santa Ana Ranch. This Severiano Abila would have been born in 1848.

2. Birthdate of Severiano Avila from Durango is confirmed by gravestone and 1900 Federal Census. Birthplace of Severiano Avila is confirmed as Durango, Durango, Mexico by his great grand daughter Titina

3. Severiano was a cattle drover when he met Manuela Reyes in Yorktown, Texas where she lived. They married in Yorktown and came to live along the Military Highway south of Weslaco and Mercedes, Texas. The family, now seven boys and three girls finally settled on a tract of land called Rancho Parajitos.

4. They moved to Beatrice [now called Donna]. The bottom floor of their two story house was used as a school by Ponciano Guerra.

Notes for Manuela Reyes:

According to 1900 Census, her father was born in Mexico and her mother was born in Mississippi

Generation 3

4. **Ylario Abila** was born about 1810 in Mexico. He died (Y).
6. **Reyes** was born in „Mexico. He died (Y). He married **Unknown** before 1841.
7. **Unknown** was born in Mississippi, United States. She died (Y).

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