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Abstract: Julia Garcia Moreno

Ms. Moreno's parents came to Sugar Land from Mexico in 1908. When she grew up she said there were only three neighborhoods in Sugar Land: The Hill, Mayfield Park and Brooks Street. She is from a family of ten children, all of whom grew up and worked in Sugar Land. Ms. Moreno's five children all went to the same elementary school schools that she did.

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Interview Summary

People (in order mentioned in interview)

Ms. Esther Fowler - midwife

Georgette Garcia – sister

Manual Garcia, bother

Lupe Garcia - sister

Salome (Charlie) Garcia - brother

Mary Garcia - sister

Hortense Garcia - sister

Adela Garcia - sister

Eleno Garcia - brother

Annie Garcia - sister

Terry Moreno - daughter

Carlos Moreno - son

Melva Moreno - daughter

Jeffrey Moreno - son

Ricardo Garcia - father (died 1937)

George Morales – neighbor

Larry Hernandez – neighbor

Mike Hernandez – neighbor

Manuel Carillo – neighbor

Johnny Carillo – neighbor

Mrs. Carillo – neighbor

Margaret Garcia

Mr. Flores - softball coach

Doctor Slaughter

Doctor Kuykendal

Places / Businesses

Marshall Canning Plant

Eldridge Hospital

Polly Ryan Hospital

St. Theresa's Catholic Church, Sugar

Land

Guadalupe Church in Rosenberg

Lakeview School

Cotton Gin

Events

Parents arrived in Sugar land in 1908

Crops grown in Sugar Land

Texas City Disaster (brother Charlie died)

World War II