Precilla Barrera-Lopez

I was born into a Migrant Farm Working family which meant we traveled a lot throughout the year from Texas to California, Avenal was home-base for us. I attended Avenal Schools from K-12, and graduated as a Proud Buccaneer in 1984.

I had a dream of becoming an English Teacher. I became a Marine Wife and Mother with all those responsibilities. I attended college courses and received an AA in Liberal Studies. My plan was to further my education and make my dream a reality.

I attended the Police Academy and became a Hospital Police Officer. I loved my job and retired with a smile knowing I had conquered one career.

The dream of becoming a school teacher continues to be a dream but for now I'll do everything in my power so no Child gets left behind and loses their dreams. I strongly believe that just because someone is falling doesn't mean that they are a failure; I'll be honored to be part of the net that is there to catch those students and help them reach their dreams!!!

My passions: Writing, Organizing Activities, Story Telling, Swimming, Stand-up Comedy, Traveling, and Storage Box Flipping