

Saint Barbara History & Portrayal Listing

Santa Barbara is one of only a few California cities with the distinction of having a patroness saint. Being selected as Saint Barbara is a privilege restricted exclusively to a member of Reina del Mar Parlor No. 126. She appears at Fiesta Pequeña, rides on a float in El Desfile Histórico among many other events.

- 1926 Kate Ord Nelson
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- 1928 Mae Lillibridge Spreitz (Marton)
- 1929 Angelina Aliverti (Riva)
- 1930 Elizabeth Hollow (Coen)
- 1931 Teresa de Piazzi Janssens (Lane)
- 1931 Catherine Lataillade
 portrayed St. Barbara in Los Angeles at Admission Day
- 1932 Ida Dardi (Ireland)
- 1933 Marian Arroqui (Roeser)
- 1934 Ida Vizzolini
- 1935 Charlotte Dinsmore Hall (Briggs)
- 1936 Elizabeth Brock (Dismuke)
- 1937 Florence Longawa (Giorgi)
- 1938 Dorothy Poole (Russell)
- 1939 Mary Ronk
- 1940 Lucy Pensa (Raffetto)
- 1941 June Vance (King)
- 1942–1945 no Fiesta due to war
- 1946 Margaret Jeanne Harp (Romero)
- 1947 Josephine Pagliotti
- 1948 Barbara Melendez (Bugby)
- 1949 Phyllis Moore (Mautino)
- 1950 Lorraine Shaw Hillebrand
- 1951 Sally Davies (Leer)
- 1952 Mary Ann George (Burrigh)
- 1953 Barbara Hall (Stillman)
- 1954 Helen Latham (Cornell)
- 1955 Dolores Sacconaghi Kammeyer (Hartnett)
- 1956 Gloria de Bernardi (Guthrie)
- 1957 Ellen Hayward (Morrow)
- 1958 Doris Hartfeld (Ray)
- 1959 Angie Cavaletto (Scholtz)
- 1960 Sue Reed (Peterson)
- 1961 Lorraine Aceves
- 1962 Mariana Schmitter
- 1963 Priscilla Sesma
- 1964 Bernice Hogg (Rau)
- 1965 Mary Louise Days
- 1966 Sue Harrison (Lightner Ziliotto)
- 1967 Karen Stupak
- 1968 Diana Russell (Vandervoort)
- 1969 Patricia Joyal (Cole)
- 1970 Pamela Thayer (Blechsmith)
- 1971 Nancy Wells

1972 Janelle Bell
1973 Barbara Diaz
1974 Imelda Ramirez
1975 Mary Harris (Hall)
1976 Veronica Ramirez (Gonzales)
1977 Gaylee Stavros (Nuttman)
1978 Kim Cornell (Baumbaugh)
1979 Patricia Rutledge
1980 Liselotte "Lise" MacFarlane
1981 Lynda Bell
1982 Jeannine Robles (Wright)
1983 Cynthia Garcia (Mata)
1984 Karen Miller
1985 Gale Powers
1986 Sally Stallings (Bass)
1987 C. Linda Romero
1988 Robin Richardson (Machado)
1989 Carmen Esparza
1990 Frances Martinez
1991 Lori Romero Kim
1992 Gloria Uribe Easter
1993 Stephanie Gorsuch Coghlan
1994 Dora Garcia
1995 Ysaura Ramirez
1996 Lorraine Villegas
1997 Rosie Davis (Phillips)
1998 Carmen Garcia
1999 Anita Arellanes Leski
2000 Gloria Dominguez
2001 Sue Parent
2002 Betty Dominguez
2003 Diane Soto Ruiz
2004 Marisol Cabrera
2005 Laura Foss
2006 Phebe Mansur
2007 Thea Vandervoort (Palencia)
2008 Rebecca Dominguez (Broadfoot)
2009 Diana Replogle-Purinton
2010 Tarah Rozenburg
2011 Terri Tico Imwalle
2012 Elizabeth Cook
2013 Leeanne Keeler Figueroa
2014 Renee Jackman Longo
2015 Erika Ronchietto
2016 Christine Herrera
2017 Robin Hill Cederlof
2018 Anne Petersen