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I was born in Oviedo but I grew up in a village in the east of Asturias.

I was the eldest of five siblings. When I was a child I liked reading and learning a lot, so I moved with my grandparents in Oviedo to study at high school.

When I finished my studies I started working as an administrative assistant.

A year later I changed from office to field work and I became a salesperson.

In 1990 I became a mother and I was happy, young and full of experiences and emotions. I had many hobbies. I liked dancing; I rode a horse; I travelled; I found love; I made friends; I understood life; I had successes and I also lost things but I always got up.

I said I would achieve my dreams and I did it.

Two years ago I started studying English because when our granddaughter came in the summer I did not know if she asked me for “shoes” or “juice”.

This portrait was painted by my son when he was five years old. He saw me as a driver.


