

Quinceaneras

Non-Fiction

Celebration a Quinceanera: A Latina's 15th Birthday Celebration

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This photo essay follows 10 year-old Ariana helping her cousin prepare for her *quinceanera* and participating in the event.

Quinceanera: Celebrating Fifteen

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Cindy Melissa Chavez looks forward to her *quinceanera* as this photo essay documents her pre-event preparations as well as the *quinceanera* itself.

Quinceanera: A Latina's Journey to Womanhood

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A brief introduction is included about *quinceaneras* in this photo essay about Martha Jimenez preparations and *quinceanera* in Austin, Texas.

Quinceanera! The Essential Guide to Planning the Perfect Sweet Fifteen Celebration

Miclele Salcedo

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If you are planning a *quinceanera*, then this is the book for you! Included in this planning guide are passages for possible readings, recipes for the reception, costs of being in a court, music for dancing with your father, ordering stationery and invitations, and other important details for planning your perfect *quinceanera*.

Fiction

Estrella's Quinceanera

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Estrella Alvarez goes to an elite private school and does not want a *quinceanera* instead she wants a small dinner at an upscale restaurant. However, her parents have other ideas and insist she have a *quinceanera* with all the trimmings including a fluffy dress and mariachi band.

Quinceanera Means Sweet 15

Veronica Chambers

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Marisol and Magdalena are preparing for their *quinceaneras* and each one is going to be the *dama de honor* (maid of honor) at each other's *quinceanera*, but while Marisol is away in Panama Magdalena becomes close friends with two girls Marisol can barely tolerate. Will Marisol still be Magdalena's *dama de honor*?

Chasing the Jaguar

Michele Dominguez Greene

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Right before her *quinceanera* Martika Galvez begins to have strange, mysterious dreams about a jaguar. It is revealed that she is actually a *bruja* with psychic powers and must use her newfound powers to help solve a kidnapping involving an ancient Mayan statue.

Cuba 15

Nancy Osa

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Violet Paz lives in suburban Chicago, hardly knows any Spanish, and her father refuses to talk about his Cuban background. Yet her grandmother from Cuba insists on having a huge *quinceanero* for her. In the process of preparing for her *quinceanero*, Violet comes to learn about her roots and to love her family's quirkiness.