

Case Solve: Pima County, Arizona, Jane Doe Identified as **Ayda Tomás Ramírez**

Moxxy Forensic Investigations, in partnership with the Pima County Office of the Medical Examiner, has confirmed the identity of a young girl found deceased in 2007 in the Ali Chukson region of the Arizona desert.

On July 12, 2007, the decomposed remains of a 13 to 17-year-old Hispanic girl were found by a bulldozer crew alongside Federal Highway 15. The girl was found wearing a tan and peach blouse with a camouflage-patterned print with the phrase "U Go Girl," blue jeans, small earrings, and grey laced sneakers with the "Arco" logo printed on the tongue and heels. Among her belongings was a falsified Mexican birth certificate that listed the name "*Ayda Tomas Ramirez*". It was later determined that she had died from probable hypothermia due to exposure, and her identity would remain a mystery for nearly two decades.

In 2025, Moxxy Forensic Investigations joined forces with the Pima County Office of the Medical Examiner to reopen the case. Through extensive investigative record searches, Moxxy verified that the information on the birth certificate was indeed accurate. The remains have now been positively identified as Ayda Tomás Ramírez, born December 12, 1992, a 14-year-old girl who went missing from Cuilco, Huehuetenango, Guatemala.

"Ayda's identification comes from the culmination of collaborative efforts and profound dedication needed to restore the identities of Latin Americans and grant their loved ones answers," said Bryan Worters, a spokesperson for Moxxy. "Our thoughts are with Ayda's family as they process this development."

Moxxy would like to thank the Pima County Office of the Medical Examiner, the Consulate of Guatemala in Tucson, Arizona, the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC), Bode Technology, the Argentine Forensic Anthropology Team, and the Guatemalan Ministry of Foreign Affairs for their steadfast partnership in this case. Moxxy Forensic Investigations extends its deepest condolences to Ayda's family and loved ones.

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