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San Luis Obispo County Sheriff Seeks Help from Visalia in Ongoing Search for Missing Coalinga Woman

The San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office is seeking the public's assistance in locating a missing woman, Isabel Lucas Velasco.

San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office Press Release:

On September 13, 2025, the San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office began investigating a missing person report of a woman identified as Isabel Lucas Velasco of Coalinga.

Detectives have since seized two vehicles (pictured) for evidence in relation to her disappearance. Law enforcement is seeking the public's assistance regarding any sightings or interactions with either of these two vehicles on the night of 9-12-2025 and / or the day of 9-14-2025 in the areas of Coalinga and Avenal. Detectives are specifically seeking witnesses in the area of Highway 198, west of Coalinga, for both of these dates who may have seen either of these two vehicles or captured them on surveillance cameras.

Isabel is described as 50 years old, 5'1", 145 lbs. (pictured). She was last known to be in San Luis Obispo County on September 12, 2025 and has ties to the City of Coalinga and the City of Visalia. The Sheriff's Office Detective Division is currently investigating Isabel's disappearance, under suspicious circumstances.

Anyone with information is asked to contact the San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office Detective Division at (805) 781-4500. Anyone with information can also contact Crime Stoppers at (805) 549-7867 or online at www.slotips.org.

