



Agnes C. Vance

March 20, 1923 - August 20, 2009

VANCE

Agnes C. Vance, 86, passed away on August 20, 2009 with her family by her side in San Antonio, TX. She was born on March 20, 1923 in Laurel Springs, NJ to Patrick Joseph and Ellen Marie Owens. Her father was a printer and her mother, a devoted housewife. The youngest child in a family of 14, she always spoke with fond memories of growing up in her large Irish Catholic family. Agnes graduated from Business School in Philadelphia PA. She was working at a Philadelphia Insurance Company when she met Jack M. Vance, at a New Years Eve Party in Philadelphia, who was a Marine in the U .S. Naval Hospital. They were married on March 14, 1945, in Camden, NJ and moved to San Antonio, TX where they raised their family. Agnes was a homemaker and enjoyed her role as a loving mother. She was a life long member of St. Luke's Catholic Church, where all of her 6 children attended. Agnes was known as one to always speak her mind and standup for her beliefs. Her interests included family, gardening, ceramics and crocheting. Mrs. Vance is survived by her husband of 64 years, Jack M. Vance, sons, John M. Vance, Patrick J. Vance, George M. Vance and wife, Karen, Robert M. Vance and wife, Debbie, daughters, Ellen Marie Rodriguez and husband Rafael, Deborah Ann Gass and husband Steven. She had 18 Grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at St. Luke's Catholic Church, 4603 Manitou Dr., on Monday August 24th, 2009 from 6 to 8 pm, with

a Rosary at 7pm. Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, August 25th, 2009 at 9:30 am, with burial services following at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. Procession to depart from St. Luke's Catholic Church. WE LOVE YOU MOM!!! We Miss You and Know you are praying for us.

You may sign the on-line guest book at www.missionparks.com under the obituary section.

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Tribute Wall

KA

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Karen Crow Apodaca - October 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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Karen Crow Apodaca - August 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Especially for John Vance
So sorry for your loss my prayers are with you and your whole family at this time. What a wonderful full life your mom enjoyed and now is on a glorius new and exciting journey . God bless you all.
Friend- Ruby Goss and son Bob

Ruby Goss - August 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ We are sorry to hear that Agnes passed away. She was a wonderful person. She will be greatly missed by all.

Cleo & Jerry Ruhnke - August 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ Jack,
Please know you and your family are in our prayers and thoughts.
We will dearly miss Agnes. You and Ms Agnes gave us so many
pleasant memories, especially our dinner at your favorite Italian
resturant. May the comfort of our God and the peace of

Charles and Dian Locklin - August 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ I am very sorry for your loss. Your family is in our prayers.
Carlos, Debra, Catherine, Caroline, Carlitos Garza

Debra Parma Garza - August 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ Jack, My prayers are with you at this time. May you all find strength
in each other and may the love of our Lord give you peace. I am
blessed for having been a part of this family and enriched with 2 of
your grandsons. thank you!

Linda - August 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ To Jack Jr. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
We didn't know your mother but she sounded like a wonderful,
spiritual woman who loved her family, friends and the Lord. She is
looking down on you all saying, "Don't be sad, I'm with

Tony and Charlotte Martinez - August 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with you today. One of my many memories of you and me as a little kid consists of trips across the field and reading Sears catalogues in the "outhouse" in Laurel Springs.

I was the pesty little neice and you were the great bi

Marie and Jack Kunlo - August 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I want to thank you for being the "Best Godmother" any girl could ask for. I love you with my whole heart and miss you desperately.
Love, ME

Mary Ellen Casperite - August 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Aunt Ag: Thank you for all the wonderful memories we have with you. Both in Texas and New Jersey.
Thank you for being with us at Halloween to pick out pumpkins in New Jersey. And thank you and Uncle Jack for ALL of the trips to see the ALAMO in San Anton

The Casperite, Samero Family - August 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. May your many family and friends help guide and comfort you.
Mike, Marcia, David, Karen and Samantha Parma

Michael Parma - August 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM