



## Ann Freeman Dean

November 2, 1929 - December 27, 2021

Ann Freeman Dean, our beautiful and most gracious matriarch, “Queen Ann”, departed for the Heavens, hand in hand with God, on December 27, 2021. As royal-like as she was, she will be most remembered as a loving, devoted and giving mother, grandmother and GG by her family-41 in all! She was also a beloved wife, sister, aunt, friend and very special lady to the many she touched throughout her lifetime.

Ann Freeman was born on November 2, 1929 in Augusta, Georgia. From a very young age, she and her two older siblings were raised by their Aunt Gertrude and Uncle Glenn in Tulsa, Oklahoma. That is where her love for horses and all animals first began.

As a young mother of three small boys, living in Biloxi, Mississippi, she taught dance for Arthur Murray Dance Studio. This is where she caught the eye of a USAF officer who pursued her vigorously, even signing up for dance lessons with her. Long story short, his persistence paid off-not to mention, he promised to give her a girl if she married him!

Their military life and memories that followed were some of the best, she would often say, especially the time spent in Germany.

The ultimate hostess, she could throw a party together at the last minute,

cooking an entire meal with with such ease and grace. People from all walks of life were drawn to her classy southern charm. Her presence would light up any room. She was known a few times for taking in almost-strangers who were down on their luck. Such a generous heart and selfless spirit to the very end.

Ann is preceded in death by her husband, Will, and son, Glenn Dean; parents, Gertrude and Glenn Holland; and siblings, Betty F. Mathieson and Gene Freeman, wife Ivalee. She is survived by her children, sons Larry Walker and wife Colleen, Gene Walker and wife Lynne, and Rick Walker; and daughter Julie Ann Bray. She is also survived by 15 grandchildren, David, Amy, Justin, Allison, Travis, Trent, Beverly, Kimberly, Jake, Luke, Lizzie Ann, Amanda, Adam, Lauren and Kelsee; and 21 great- grandchildren. She had many nieces and nephews, who she loved so!

She was an incredibly strong and brave woman with such undeniable wit. Pure and selfless love for her family, even in her final hours. We will miss her immensely, but the memories we made will live in our hearts forever! Love you mom♥

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge  
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78230  
(210) 349-1414  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Funeral Service

JAN 4. 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North  
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive  
San Antonio, TX 78230

## Interment

JAN 4 (CT)

Mission Burial Park North  
20900 IH 10 West  
San Antonio, TX 78257

# Tribute Wall

JW

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



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**Justin Walker** - January 03, 2022 at 09:44 PM

DW

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Dave Walker** - January 03, 2022 at 08:07 PM

JB

“ *I will really miss Ann/GG. She was such a positive light and had a special demeanor. She was a friend and a great grandmother and special GG to my wife and kids. I will always remember cocktail hours, our time in Kauai, Colorado and just sitting down to talk to her. She listened and she had great stories. I Love you Ann and will miss you, thanks for adding your light onto my family and my heart. I wouldn't be living on our ranch if it wasn't for you. God's Speed!*

*Jason*

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**Jason Bennett** - January 03, 2022 at 08:05 PM

DW

“ *Dave Walker lit a candle in memory of Ann Freeman Dean*



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**Dave Walker** - January 03, 2022 at 08:01 PM

DW

“ *6 files added to the tribute wall*



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**Dave Walker** - January 03, 2022 at 07:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ann Freeman Dean.*



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January 03, 2022 at 02:55 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Ann Freeman Dean.*



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January 02, 2022 at 08:57 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ann Freeman Dean.*



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January 02, 2022 at 07:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ann Freeman Dean.*



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January 01, 2022 at 10:37 AM