



Bettie Joan West

November 8, 1947 - January 26, 2025

Bettie Joan West, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and friend, passed away peacefully on January 26, 2025, in her hometown of San Antonio, Texas, at the age of 77. Born on November 8, 1947, in San Antonio to Betty Joan Crow and Eddie Crow, both of whom preceded her in death. Bettie grew up with a passion for family, creativity, and hard work. A proud graduate of Edison High School, she later attended San Antonio Community College. In 1961 Bettie met the love of her life William Owen West, who survives her, at Palm Heights little league field. A friend introduced them and three days later Owen gave Bettie his ring. They married November 13, 1965.

Together, they built a beautiful family and life, raising two daughters Kim and Lynette. Bettie was a devoted grandmother to Ashley, Kayla, Kyle, Kier and Nilayah. Bettie and Owen were married for 59 years. A talented bookkeeper and a determined entrepreneur, Bettie co-owned and operated Owen's Auto Locating Service with her husband. Outside of work, she embraced a variety of passions, including sewing, genealogy research, cooking, and deer hunting. Bettie especially cherished camping trips and floating the Frio River with her family. She also loved indulging in chocolate muffins baked by her husband and never turned down a puffy taco.

Bettie blazed a 77-year long trail of love and laughter. Hers was a life well and richly lived, that embodied unmatched grit, unparalleled sacrifice and

unsurpassed love. Bettie's family and friends will remember her warmth, humor, and dedication to the things she loved most in life: her family and her creative endeavors. Bettie is survived by her two children Melanie Kim Weirich and husband Ernst Randall Weirich and Lynette Colleen West Peter and husband Douglas Duane Peter. Grandchildren: Ashley Breann Weirich, Kayla Michelle Weirich Steward and husband Conor Colin Weirich Steward, Kyle Randall Weirich, Kier Frederick West Peter, and Nilayah Sloan West Peter.

A service to honor Bettie's life will be held at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South located at 1700 SE Military Dr., San Antonio, TX 78214. Visitation will begin at 11:00 am and the service follows at noon. Bettie will be laid to rest at San Jose Burial Park 8235 Mission Road, San Antonio, Texas 78214. She will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

Cemetery Details

San Jose Burial Park

8235 Mission RD
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 923-0272
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
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Chapel Service

FEB 1. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AT

“ AZA Paralegal Team purchased the *Treasured Lilies Spray* for the family of *Bettie Joan West*.



AZA Paralegal Team - January 31, 2025 at 01:12 PM

BF

“ Bill & Doris & Family purchased the *Medium Dish Garden* for the family of *Bettie Joan West*.



Bill & Doris & Family - January 31, 2025 at 11:38 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of *Bettie Joan West*.



January 31, 2025 at 09:34 AM

JM

“ Jasi & Mataya purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of *Bettie Joan West*.



Jasi & Mataya - January 31, 2025 at 01:36 AM

JF

“ *Julianne and Nabeel Farhataziz & Family purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Bettie Joan West.*



Julianne and Nabeel Farhataziz & Family - January 30, 2025
at 04:05 PM

AT

“ *Angie & Steve Townsend purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Bettie Joan West.*



Angie & Steve Townsend - January 29, 2025 at 03:36 PM

KR

“ *Kay and Randy Rust purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bettie Joan West.*



Kay and Randy Rust - January 29, 2025 at 02:06 PM

DP

“ *Duane and Bonnie Peter purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Bettie Joan West.*



Duane and Bonnie Peter - January 29, 2025 at 10:16 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bettie Joan West.



January 28, 2025 at 04:07 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Bettie Joan West.



January 28, 2025 at 04:04 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Bettie Joan West.



January 28, 2025 at 04:01 PM



“ Lindsey, Katherine and Bianca purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Bettie Joan West.



Lindsey, Katherine and Bianca - January 28, 2025 at 11:29 AM