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At 10:00pm on April 6th of this year ... the most sweetest, loving, beautiful Angel of a Mother, Grandma and Matriarch of her family, Cecille K. Turner, went to be with her Lord and Savior in Heaven and promised to leave the gates open for all who want to enter. She passed peacefully with her family by her side holding her hands, singing to her and hugging on her.... praying with with her as she took her last earthly breaths and her first breath in Heaven... entering into the arms of her Jesus. What a privilege it was for them to be by her side as she shed her 96 year old earthly body in exchange for her brand new, perfect eternal body and mind. What an honor it was to have her pray over her family... comforting them, reassuring them that she will be saving a special place just for them when they meet her up there one day... what a testament of her faith to minister to her loving family in her final moments. She has fought her fight, finished her race, kept her faith and without a doubt she's already sporting a crown full of BLINGED OUT jewels on top of that cute REDHEAD of hers!

Cecille "Sue" was born December 22, 1921 in San Antonio along side her beautiful identical TWIN SISTER, Lucille (who arrived first!), to loving parents John and Katie Rankin. Sue was raised in San Antonio and attended San Antonio Tech High School. After graduation, she went straight to work as a

waitress at The Menger Hotel to help support her Widowed Mother and family. In 1940 she was swept off her feet by an Airforce Pilot and was soon shipped off to Honolulu, Hawaii where she gave birth to her precious, adoring Son Ken Jr. "Kenny." After returning to San Antonio for a brief time, where she gave birth to her second Son Arthur "Butchy," The Military once again sent Sue and her growing family to New Delhi, India. Sue and family returned to the states and lived on The Gulf Coast, West Coast and East Coast... finally settling back in San Antonio and reestablishing her roots! She proudly rejoined working as a civil servant at Lackland AFB until retirement out in the country with her beloved husband, Louie. In her golden years she entered into the Cattle Business with her husband and poured her heart and soul into the little church right next door to her country home, Talley Road Baptist Church, where she certainly "left her mark" as a faithful servant of the church. Sue was a proud member of The Christian Women's Club, Concerned Women for America, Bexar County Republican Women, The Red Hat Club and even sang with The Sunshine Singers. Sue was known for her selfless, unconditional caregiving of countless family members in need and other friends she'd made along life's journey. She became an AMAZING Grandmother to her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, her Twin's Grandchildren and several other "adopted-by-Love" Grandchildren. Her home was always full of little ones on weekends and in the Summertime! She enjoyed shopping with friends and family and LOVED to dress as Twins with her sister or anyone else who'd love to "be her twin too!" She loved bright, bold colors and unique, "different" things... She was definitely known for her FABULOUSY FASHIONABLE, FUN wardrobe! In her later years she proudly attended Cornerstone Church of San Antonio, where she faithfully served for the remainder of her life! After the passing of her husband she moved back into "the city" to Franklin Park of Sonterra Retirement Community where she was a proud Ambassador! She was truly adored and loved by all the residents and staff there until the time of her passing. Sue was a strong woman of Faith leaving a legacy of such deep, profound love and Christ-like Character. Her

mark upon this world is unmistakable, unforgettable, irreplaceable, so incredibly beautiful and will forever be cherished by all who were Blessed to have been a part of her life!

The family would like to express their sincere thanks to the loving and professional care given to her by the staff of The Heights of Bulverde Nursing Home and Alamo Hospice in her final days.

Sue is preceded in death by her loving parents, John Rankin and Katie (Daddy) Tate; her husband, Louie Turner; brother Elmer Rankin, Sons Michael and William and daughter Maureen.

She is survived by her dear brother Leon of Laredo, her beloved twin sister Lucille of Beaumont, her loving sons Ken Camp Jr of San Antonio and Arthur Conyers of Houston, "daughter-by-Love" Pat Fite, daughter Sharon (Brian) of Missouri, grandchildren Jeannee (David) Beltran of San Antonio and Chris Conyers of Houston, and great-grandchildren Blake Kenneth and Brianna Sue Beltran of San Antonio, nieces Susie (Neil) Breen of Lakeway; Kay (Bobby) Beard of Beaumont; Jeannee (Wayne) Bates of San Antonio, Julia (Bill) Bloodworth of Atlanta, and BFF "adopted-by-Love-Grandma" Betty Counce of San Antonio.

The Family will receive friends from 6-8pm, Wednesday, April 11th at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Sue's Celebration of Life Services will be at 11am, Thursday, April 12th at Cornerstone Church of San Antonio with reception immediately following in The Fellowship Hall. Burial Service Fort Sam Houston National Cemetary 11 am , Wednesday, April 25, 2018.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Celebration of Life

APR 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

Cornerstone Church
18755 Stone Oak Pkwy.
San Antonio, TX

Cemetery

APR 25. 11:00 AM (CT)

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Cecille K. "Sue" Turner*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - April 17, 2018 at 08:34 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Cecille K. "Sue" Turner.*



April 11, 2018 at 04:59 PM



“ *Lyman and Joan Periman purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Cecille K. "Sue" Turner.*



Lyman and Joan Periman - April 10, 2018 at 05:16 PM

BB

“ Our condolences to Sue's family during this difficult time. The years our husbands shared the cattle business were most memorable. Both Louie and Sue were not only close friends and neighbors, they were loved as our second parents. She was the best cook ever! I remember when I shared two dozen fresh eggs from our chicken coop, she expressed her gratitude with the most delicious fresh baked angel food cake! I missed her so much when she moved to the city. Heaven definitely gained an angel with bling!

Barbara & Wayne Benke - April 10, 2018 at 08:14 AM

JB

“ ❤️❤️❤️ Love you sooo much Grandma!! Thank you for loving me always and showing me exactly the type of person I am striving to be!! We miss you, but know you've already got your jeweled crown and dancing shoes on up in Heaven!! Thanks for preparing a special spot just for us... we can't wait to be with you in eternity!!!! In the meantime, I promise to watch after Dad!!
Love you more than anything!!
Jeannee ❤️❤️❤️



Jeannee Beltran - April 09, 2018 at 06:20 PM

CT

We just learned of Sue's passing and are saddened to hear of it. We are the realtors who sold Sue's country home and grew to love her and Betty Counce. Those two ladies took me under their wings after my mother died and I enjoyed attending different events with them both. After Gene and I moved to the Rio Grande Valley we lost touch with Sue and Betty, but I will always cherish their friendship.

*Connie & Gene Trafton
210-218-6712*

Connie Trafton - October 27, 2019 at 11:25 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Turner Family - April 09, 2018 at 06:18 PM