



## Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin

August 14, 2023

Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin aged 68 of San Antonio, Texas, passed away on August 14, 2023.

Chaya Galin began her Nursing career by graduating with an Associate's Degree in Nursing from San Antonio College. She went on to graduate from Kaplan University with a Bachelor's of Science in Nursing (Summa Cum Laude). She continued her education by completing her Master's Degree with a Master of Science in Legal Studies with a concentration in Healthcare Administration.

Chaya was a Registered Nurse, licensed in Texas, Connecticut, and Ohio.

She began her career in Nursing at a major hospital in San Antonio, becoming the Charge Orthopedic Registered Nurse. Later, she moved on to work for the University of Texas Health Science Center Department of Plastic Surgery where she focused on microsurgical research and had the opportunity to train at the University of Louisville, Kentucky Medical School.

Chaya also worked as an Operating Room Nurse for the Cleveland Clinic Foundation, focusing closely on neurological and orthopedic spine cases and craniotomies.

She soon found her calling as a research nurse moving through Orthopedic Traumatology, as well as the burn unit. Within the Burn Unit at Brooke Army

Medical Center, she specialized in trauma and burn patients, while conducting studies and implementing and assessing surgical procedures. Finally, she worked as a Human Subject Protection Scientist for The United States Army Institute of Surgical Research (USAISR).

Chaya has a love for her family, especially her four grandchildren, Isaac (14), Ian (12), Isla (8), and Ivy (3). She will be dearly missed, continuously loved but will be remembered for her sharp mind, intelligence, perseverance, and wisdom.

Chaya was predeceased by her son, Patrick Joseph (PJ) Lynch IV, her father, Ronald Galin, and her sister, Tracy Kline. She is survived by her sister, Lori "Lou" Pearson and her husband, John Pearson, her daughter, Lauren Lynch and her husband, Daniel Lora, and her four grandchildren, Isaac, Ian, Isla, and Ivy.

Service will be held on Saturday, August 19, 2023, at 10:00am at the Mission Park Cemetery Dominion, 20900 IH 10 W, San Antonio, Texas, 78257.

If you would like to make a donation in Chaya's name, the following organization, Hope Hospice, was integral in helping her family in the final weeks: [Donate | Hope Hospice](#). Hope Hospice continues to provide support to the family as well as anyone in need of their assistance and it would mean so much to the family for a donation in Chaya's name.

# Cemetery Details

## Mission Burial Park North

20900 IH 10 West  
San Antonio, TX 78257

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

AUG **19**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

BM

“ I’m not sure how i happened upon this obituary because I knew Cheryl as Cheryl. I didn’t know her as Cheya . I am so sad to here of her passing as well as her son PJ’s passing. This is heartbreaking and shocking to me. Cheryl’s ex husband and my husband we’re friends in College. I met her on her wedding day . They were married at the Little Church at La Villita. I remember when she was pregnant with Pj. Shawn and I had just lost a two month old son and she was she was telling me about the Dr who was to deliver Pj. We became friends. When i became pregnant with my daughter I decided I wanted the Dr who delivered Pj to deliver our daughter. I had issues with my last pregnancy partly because of the doctor. I started having the same issues with my pregnancy with my daughter and was bedridden for 4 months yet needed to see my doctor once a week until she was born. Cheryl was the one who took the time and drove me to every Drs appointment every week from April to July. Sara was almost born on Cheryl birthday. Sara was born July 15 and if I remember correctly Cheryl’s birthday was July 16. We remained friends through Lauren’s birth and did outings with our kids and then somehow lost touch and went our separate ways. I always held the thought of her in my heart . She played a big part in my daughter being born healthy and living. Ironically when our daughter was married she chose to be married at the Little Church . When our daughter chose that Church I thought of Cheryl. I will always remember her wit and kindness and selfishness. I loved her as a friend and will pray for her and Lauren and family. I remember what a beautiful little boy PJ was . My heart aches for the family to lose both of these beautiful souls way to soon. May God bless them 💔😭

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**Bernadette Meagher** - February 07, 2024 at 12:43 AM

BM

*Selflessness.. noticing mistakes in spelling*

**Bernadette Meagher** - February 07, 2024 at 01:09 AM

LK

“ *To my sister who I will miss terribly, your daughter, Lauren Lynch Lora, has shown such grace and love for you and I sooooooooooooo hope that you know this in heaven. She has been such a strong and loving person who has supported you through this long journey and has stuck by you and would do it over and over again. You were an amazing individual and you have shown your love and took care of me when I was young but what I so hope you knew in your last few weeks, you knew Lauren would do whatever she could of for you and stayed by your side to hold your hand and to let you know you were NOT alone in this journey. She loves you and did not want you to feel alone. I know she loved you with all her heart as I do and we both want you to not feel the pain and misery you felt in your last days. You have made such an impact on so many people and you will be terribly missed by so many people. I, as your sister, cannot thank you enough for all you have done for me in my life. GOD SPEED SISTER and I will see you on the other side*

**Lori Kline-Pearson** - August 21, 2023 at 11:10 PM

SS

“ *Seror S. planted a <a href="/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518">Memorial Tree</a> in honor of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.*

**Seror S.** - August 19, 2023 at 10:54 AM

MD

“ wishing you lasting memories to fill your heart now and always. May her memory be a blessing.  
*Maria G. Dominguez*



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**Maria G Dominguez** - August 19, 2023 at 09:45 AM

DW

“ Denise W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.

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**Denise W.** - August 18, 2023 at 06:38 PM

DW

“ She was a great friend and co-worker and give excellent advice. She once told me when people are intimidated by your strength and happiness that is a reflection of their weakness not yours. These words of wisdom and her presence will be missed.

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**Denise Woods** - August 18, 2023 at 06:36 PM

JL

“ Jeffrey L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.

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**Jeffrey L.** - August 17, 2023 at 05:23 PM

FN

“ From her friends, the research nurses. purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.



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**From her friends, the research nurses.** - August 17, 2023 at 04:06 PM

FN

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**From her friends, the research nurses.** - August 17, 2023 at 04:06 PM

SS

“ The entire BAMC ED clinical research team will greatly miss her hard-work, dedication, and all around great to work with!

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**Steven Schauer** - August 17, 2023 at 03:42 PM

LF

“ Lisa Fuller lit a candle in memory of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin



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**Lisa Fuller** - August 17, 2023 at 02:24 PM

ML

“ Some years ago I was told I needed heart surgery. Of course my husband and I had no idea where to begin. Out of the blue Chaya called us and gave us invaluable help. We will be forever grateful for her information.

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**Marcy Lynch** - August 16, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.



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August 16, 2023 at 08:55 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.



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August 16, 2023 at 08:14 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Chaya Malka (Cheryl) Lemoyne Galin.

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August 16, 2023 at 08:14 PM