



Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte

February 3, 1961 - April 29, 2022

Cynthia Ofelia Duarte, affectionately known as Cindy, was given her angel wings on April 29, 2022, as she was called Home to be with our Lord. A loving daughter, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend, the loss of our beautiful Cindy has left a void in the hearts of all those who knew and loved her.

Cindy was born on February 3, 1961, in Fort Campbell, KY, to Joe and Wanda Duarte. Raised in San Antonio, TX, Cindy attended St. John Bosco, Longfellow Middle School, Thomas Jefferson High School, and San Antonio College, where she made lifelong friends. Always one to enjoy a good party, she loved family gatherings, Fiesta, holidays, and dancing. She also loved the Spurs, the Dallas Cowboys, and the Aggies (thanks to her brother). Cindy had the biggest and brightest smile. She was fiercely loyal and protective of her family and friends, and she would move mountains for those she loved.

Cindy enjoyed going to Kickapoo with her parents, and she loved spending quality time with them. She was always thinking of ways to surprise them or brighten their day. Her pride and joy were her family, especially her daughter, Jessica, and grandchildren, Gavin and Della. Her happiest moments were filled by time spent with them: carpet-picnics in the living room while watching movies; breakfasts at Denny's; playing lotteria and always having a bag full of prizes for the winner; catch-phrase on holidays; pedicures and wine with

Jessica; taking mother-daughter trips; and making the car “dance” to Push-It by Salt-n-Pepa, so Gavin and Della could laugh and dance.

Cindy would always say, “I love you bigger than the sky.” Our hearts are broken, but we find comfort and peace knowing that she is no longer suffering. Mom/Grammy/Cindy – We love YOU bigger than the sky, and we will celebrate and cherish all the memories with you.

Cindy is survived by her loving and devoted parents, Joe and Della Wanda Duarte; daughter, Jessica Gonzales; son-in-law, Christopher Gonzales; grandchildren, Gavin Christopher and Della Celeste; siblings, Michelle Chick and Joey Duarte (Lauren); and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

SERVICES

Visitation will begin at 5:00 P.M. followed by the Rosary at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North, 3401 Cherry Ridge Drive. The Funeral Mass will begin at 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, May 12, 2022 at St. Matthew’s Catholic Church, 10703 Wurzbach Road. Interment will follow at Mission Burial Park South.

The family would like to give a special thank you to Dr. Michael Keller, Dr. Zachary Pippin and the numerous family and friends who have offered their support and love, especially throughout the last few months.

A celebration of Cindy’s life will be held after the services on Thursday with information provided.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 5:00 PM (CT)

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

Rosary

MAY 11. 7:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
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Funeral Mass

MAY 12. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Matthew's Catholic Church
10703 Wurzbach Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78230

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - May 10, 2022 at 04:41 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



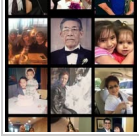
May 11, 2022 at 04:24 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



May 11, 2022 at 02:32 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Elizabeth Medina - May 11, 2022 at 01:58 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Elizabeth Medina - May 11, 2022 at 12:49 PM



“ South Texas Renal Care Group purchased the Touching Tribute Spray for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



South Texas Renal Care Group - May 11, 2022 at 12:30 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



May 10, 2022 at 06:43 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



May 10, 2022 at 04:40 PM



“ *Diana Wilson purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



Diana Wilson - May 10, 2022 at 01:31 AM



“ *Jesse & Mary (Duarte) Cuellar purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



Jesse & Mary (Duarte) Cuellar - May 09, 2022 at 11:09 PM



“ *Mary & Jesse Cuellar lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte*



Mary & Jesse Cuellar - May 09, 2022 at 10:58 PM

MC

“ My 'best friend', 'cousin/sister' is no longer a phone call or text away. I miss you so much but I am comforted knowing that you are living a beautiful spiritual life with our Heavenly Father. I have our childhood memories which carried into adulthood never missing a beat. We have such a wonderful family and thanks to you the bond was still there; you kept things in check like you do. Your legacy lives on with your beautiful daughter Jessica and grandchildren Gavin & Della; your son-in-law Chris will make sure of that. I love you and miss you so much; until we are together again I'll be always thinking of you.



Mary 'Duarte' Cuellar - May 09, 2022 at 10:38 PM

IT

“ Irma Herrera Tamez purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



Irma Herrera Tamez - May 09, 2022 at 09:11 PM

DM

“ Cindy and I we’re walking buddies from Longfellow which was nice and made walk much better. The last time I saw her was at our High School Reunion which was nice. My Condolences to Mr. & Mrs. Duarte and the family. 🙏 Debbie Garcia Millman



Debbie M. Garcia Millman - May 09, 2022 at 08:59 PM

LM

“ Lucy, Virginia, Liz & Mary purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



Lucy, Virginia, Liz & Mary - May 09, 2022 at 05:16 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



May 09, 2022 at 04:04 PM

CH

“ To my beautiful niece Cindy, you will always be in my heart with all the memories we shared while you were growing up. Until we meet again in eternal Paradise. Love, your Aunt Carol 🥰

Carol Hernandez - May 08, 2022 at 07:58 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



May 08, 2022 at 07:46 PM



“ *To Jessica & Cindy's Family:*

My heart is broken for your loss. I always remember her smile and laugh. She was truly one-of-a-kind.

Cindy was on the Drill Team and Jefferson High School and I remember her practicing with her team on the field at Jeff and the Drill Team taking many 1st Place awards. She was truly amazing.

Jessica, you were Cindy's light and she was so very proud of you. I will always remember the times your mom and I spent together at work at NHL. Although we were there for a short time, your mom made it fun to go to work. I will truly miss her and God Bless you Jessica, your family and Cindy's Mom & Dad.

Diana Scott

Diana Scott - May 08, 2022 at 09:49 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



May 07, 2022 at 07:30 PM

AS

“ To my beautiful cousin who is now in Heaven. We have shared so many memories together. Family meant everything to you and we knew how much you loved us because you were always there for us. I am saddened that you will not be here physically anymore but happy for you that you are no longer suffering and that you are now in Heaven with our Heavenly Father. We will carry you in our hearts and know that you are always with us in spirit.

Love you always.

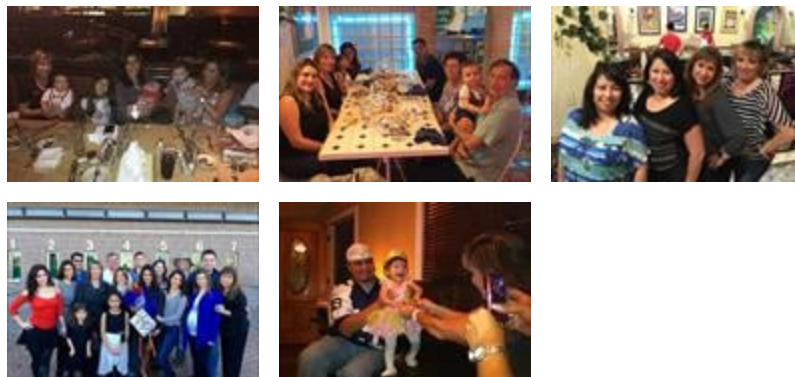


adrianna saenz - May 06, 2022 at 07:02 PM

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adrianna saenz - May 06, 2022 at 01:46 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



May 06, 2022 at 01:00 PM

NR

“ *My deepest condolences to your daughter, Jessica, your parents and your entire family.
May God give you the strength and comfort you need at this time.
Rest in peace, dear friend.
I thank God for allowing me to coincide with you in this life, I know I will miss you a lot but you will always be in my heart.*



Nancy Robles - May 06, 2022 at 10:18 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.*



May 05, 2022 at 10:52 PM

YV

“ *Miss you and know our Happy Hours will never be the same!*



Yolanda Villanueva - May 05, 2022 at 07:10 PM

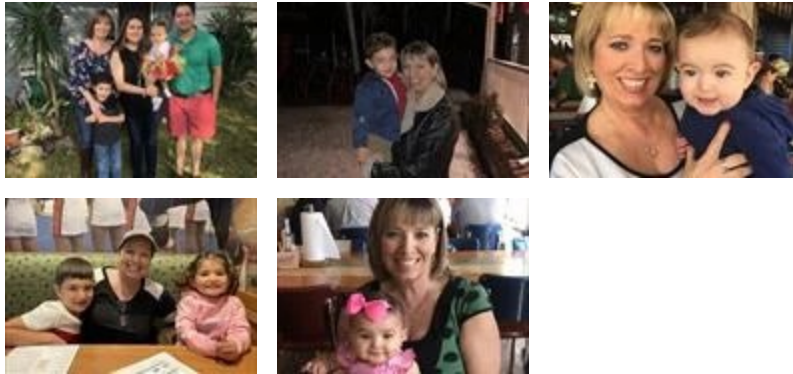
BL

“ Jessica and family, I had the privilege of working with Cindy at Southwest Dialysis for several years. She was, like you have said, always cheerful and very helpful. Always talking about you, Jessica, as you grew up to be the fine lady and Mother that you became. My heart goes out to you and your family and my prayers are with you.
Bill Levinson

Bill Levinson - May 05, 2022 at 07:47 AM

JE

“ Pictures just aren't enough. I miss you so much, Mom ❤️



Jessica - May 04, 2022 at 02:34 PM

MD

“ Mom & Dad purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.

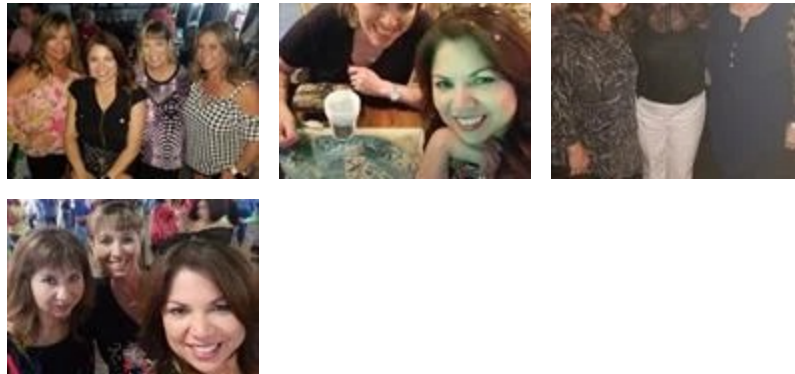


Mom & Dad - May 04, 2022 at 01:37 PM

JC

“ My deepest sympathies to the family wishing you peace to bring comfort and courage to face the days ahead. Cindy was a fun loving gal, I will miss her smile and laugh, but mostly her sincere friendship. I will hold onto the many memories we shared.

JOANN CARRENO



joann Carreno - May 04, 2022 at 10:50 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



May 04, 2022 at 09:57 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ofelia "Cindy" Duarte.



May 04, 2022 at 09:54 AM