



Diega Alicia Reyes

November 18, 1922 - December 22, 2017

Diega Alicia Reyes, born November 18, 1922 in San Antonio, Texas, entered into rest December 22, 2017, at the age of 95 years. Preceded in death by her husband, Alexander M. Reyes Jr.; Sons, Alex Reyes III, Xavier Reyes and Reuben Blas Reyes; and Grandson Robert John Martinez III. She is survived by daughters Marguerite Reyes and Sylvia Marie Gattas and son Hector Reyes; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be at 4 p.m. on Sunday, January 07, 2018, at Alamo Funeral Chapels with rosary at 7.

As a teenager, Diega was an Hija de Maria at San Fernando Cathedral which was the beginning of her devotion to many parishes.

In her twenties, she worked at Bruner's and then Joske's where she met her husband, Alex Reyes.

In her early married life, she devoted her time to being a room mother at her children's various elementary schools and often assisted with the Girl Scouts.

She worked at the cafeteria at Our Lady of the Lake University. She was also employed for twenty years at the Winn's store on West Ave & later at the Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto Gift Shop.

She devoted her life to the church by being active in the many parishes she joined. She was baptized at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church on El Paso St.; became a member of the Guadalupanas; & eventually served as president of

the organization for 12 years.

She, along with her sisters Maria, Susie, & Minnie, handled the breakfasts on several Sunday mornings during the Christmas season. She was blessed to be in the receiving line, welcoming Pope John Paul VI during his 1987 Papal visit to San Antonio.

As a parishioner of St. John's Catholic Church on Audubon St. & member of the Altar Society for years, she and her sisters also took care of the gorditas booth at many church festivals.

A devoted mother, sister, grandmother, aunt and friend, Mrs. Reyes will be greatly missed and live in our hearts forever.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 4:00 PM (CT)

Alamo Funeral Chapels
624 N Alamo St
San Antonio, TX 78215
(210) 554-5000
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

JAN 7. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JAN 8. 11:45 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
1321 El Paso St.
San Antonio, TX 78207

Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Diega Alicia Reyes.*



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“ *My sincerest condolences on the loss of your beloved Mother-Diega was truly a gift for me, an inspiration, and the main reason both my mother and I became Guadalupanas. Her impact on the lives of those she touched shall not be diminished by the passage of time.*

Clara G. Olivarri - January 06, 2018 at 10:19 PM