



## Eva Hopper

December 15, 1926 - January 23, 2020

Eva Hopper peacefully returned to her heavenly home on January 23, 2020 at the age of 93. Born December 15, 1926 in Colorado City, Texas, she was the eldest of 10 children to Elvira Aquina and Tiburcio Molina.

Eva met her husband Frank at a dance in 1958, and in each other, they found a dance partner for life. They married on December 20, 1958 and raised three children, Christine, Rey, and Debra. Eva lived in Japan, California, Iowa, Kansas, New York, and Texas throughout Frank's career in the Air Force, Air Force Reserves, and as Chief of Medical Administration at several VA hospitals. The family settled in San Antonio in 1976 and became parishioners of St. Matthew Catholic Church, where Eva joined the Legion of Mary. Eva found great refuge in God and her Catholic faith, and her rosary and bible were never far from her side.

Eva was a devoted wife, and a very gifted homemaker and seamstress. She volunteered at church and served on the PTA of her children's schools. Eva loved to dance, especially with her husband. She and Frank became professionally trained dance instructors and led ballroom dance classes at the Officers' Clubs of the Air Force bases that they were stationed. Eva enjoyed being with family and friends, going out to eat, watching classic films, shopping, gardening, and spending time in prayer. Eva was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend. She will forever be remembered for her gregarious, playful spirit and how deeply she cared for her loved ones. In Heaven, Eva joins her parents and five brothers, Reinaldo Garcia, Chilo

Molina, Leon Molina, John Molina, and Nick Molina. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Frank K. Hopper; daughters, Christine Wigfield (Roger) and Debra Hopper Suing; son, Rey Hernandez (Michelle); brothers, Reyes Molina (Patsy) and Charlie Molina (Patsy); sisters Lucy Molina and Margie Barrera; six grandchildren, Kevin Perkins (Joelle), Nick Perkins (Rachel), Joe Hernandez, Ann Hernandez, Jake Hernandez, and Dona Suing; six great-grandchildren, Sydney Perkins, Dawson Perkins, Grayson Perkins, Landry Perkins, Blakely Perkins, and Landon Perkins; and many beloved nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, February 12 at 6pm, with rosary beginning at 7pm, at Mission Park North. Funeral Mass will be held on Thursday, February 13 at 10am at St. Matthew Catholic Church, followed by a reception and interment at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to the St. Matthew School Tuition Assistance Fund, 10703 Wurzbach Rd, San Antonio, TX 78230, or St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

# Cemetery Details

## Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 12. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North Cherry Ridge  
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive  
San Antonio, TX 78230

## Rosary

FEB 12. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North Cherry Ridge  
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive  
San Antonio, TX 78230

## Funeral Mass

FEB 13. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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

## Interment

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FEB 13. 1:30 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

DH

“ My Mom EVE HOPPER, Loved Quilting, Making Homemade Quilts, and Embroidery, and Sewing. So Nice and Thoughtful of Roy Maas Youth Alternatives to Send us a "Sewing Seamstress Delight" Floral and Plant Arrangement. :- ) / DHS.

Entry by:

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing

9 minutes ago

It's Roy Maas Youth Alternatives "Seamstress and Embroidery, and Sewing Delights Basket!" ❤️

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We Could Do a Golfer's Basket, for Dad Frank. :- ) ❤️🌹❤️

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**Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing** - February 13, 2020 at 10:59 PM

MH

*Very sorry to hear about dad frank's passing*

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**michelle d harkness** - June 17, 2020 at 05:39 PM

MH

*Thoughts prayers love and heartfelt hugs*

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**michelle d harkness** - June 17, 2020 at 05:41 PM



Michelle Harknes

*How are you, Debi Kay?*

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**MichelleDube Harkness** - February 02, 2022 at 10:38 AM



Michelle Harknes

*What is new?*

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**MichelleDube Harkness** - February 02, 2022 at 10:38 AM

DH

“ Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing sent a virtual gift in memory of Eva Hopper



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Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:55 PM

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Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:49 PM

DH

*It's Roy Maas Youth Alternatives "Seamstress and Embroidery, and Sewing Delights Basket!" :-) ❤️*

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:51 PM

DH

*We Could Do a Golfer's Basket, for Dad Frank. :-)*

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:51 PM

DH

*“ Mom Eve Hopper LOVED Dogs Very Much! :-)  
We had 2 Poodles, a White Poodle, Cookie, and an Apricot Poodle, Ruby, and Our Black and White and Gray and Silver, "Cockapoo" Trixie! aka, "Boosie!" Boozey " and "Lucky" in California. My Mom EVE LOVED Dogs! / Debi Hopper.*

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:45 PM

DH

*“ Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing lit a candle in memory of Eva Hopper*



Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:40 PM



*“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Eva Hopper.*



February 13, 2020 at 12:10 AM

MD

“ MDH purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Eva Hopper.



MDH - February 06, 2020 at 02:07 PM

MH

“ EVA'S DAUGHTER DEBI KAY IS A WONDERFUL CHURCH CHOIR PARTICIPANT WITH AMAZING MUSICAL KNOWLEDGE AND TALENT. IT IS ALWAYS A PLEASURE TO SING WITH DEBI KAY WHETHER IN DEL RIO AT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH( SACRED HEART) OR OTHER CHURCHES IN THE ARCHDIOCESE. WHAT A BLESSING TO HAVE DEBI KAY SINGING TO THE LORD FOR HER MOTHER ON HER FUNERAL DAY. GOD BLESS AND SINCEREST CONDOLONCES, SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.

MICHELLE DUBE HARKNESS - February 05, 2020 at 12:26 PM

DH

Thank You, Michelle. 🌹 I Enjoyed Singing with You, and My Mom Always Encouraged me to Sing in High School. Thank you for Remembering My Mom, EVE, and Thank You for Your Prayers. Amen. 🌹 Debi Hopper. 🌹

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 07, 2020 at 12:44 AM

DH

My Mom Always Encouraged me to Sing at Catholic Church-es, Especially, Starting in HS, and at St. Matthew's in 1976. It Didn't take too much persuading, as I Loved Singing for The Lord, and The Congregation. ❤️ Debi Kay Hopper. 🌹

Debi Kay Hopper-Suing - February 11, 2020 at 12:17 AM

DH

*I Love SINGING with the CHOIR, and Cathedral Choir. They Did such an Excellent Singing "Job" Today at Mom's Memorial Mass. Everyone Was Really Wonderful. Amen.*

🌹 VAYA con DIOS Siempre. 🌹 Debi Hopper. ❤️ 🌹 ❤️

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:28 PM

MH

*Glad that it went well*

Michelle D Harkness - June 17, 2020 at 05:45 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eva Hopper.*



February 05, 2020 at 12:22 PM

DH

“ *Debra Kay HOPPER-SUING lit a candle in memory of Eva Hopper*



Debra Kay HOPPER-SUING - February 04, 2020 at 04:13 AM

DH

*Mom Would Like a Purple Lavender Lilac Color Candle, too, Someone.*

🌹 Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing. 🌹❤️

Debi Kay Hopper-Suing - February 11, 2020 at 12:21 AM

DH

*They have "Lavender" and Purple Candles to Light, too.*

Debra Debi Kay HOPPER-Suing - February 13, 2020 at 10:31 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - February 03, 2020 at 08:23 AM



“ 32 files added to the album Memories Album



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - February 03, 2020 at 08:18 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eva Hopper.



February 01, 2020 at 10:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Eva Hopper.



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January 30, 2020 at 03:08 PM