



Frances A. Wise

June 4, 1936 - December 23, 2023

Frances was born June 4th, 1936, in Bergs Mill to Louis Charles Kunze and Annie Marie Graf Kunze. She passed away December 23, 2023, at the age of 87. She grew up next door to Mission San Juan Capistrano. She attended San Juan and Espada schools and graduated from St. Teresa's Academy. She worked almost 30 years for SAISD mainly at Davis Middle School. After retirement she enjoyed traveling and working in her yard, even winning 'yard of the month'. She became known as "The Cup Lady" because of putting cups on her fence for all occasions. She has lived in the same house for over 60 years. She is preceded in death by her husband Robert Wise, Sr. (1999), parents Louis and Annie Kunze, her sisters Florence Ross (Robert), Clara Koehler (Walter), Dorothy duMenil (Arthur), brothers Otto Kunze (Wilma), Joseph Kunze (a casualty of WW II) Brothers and Sisters in laws Mary Cox, Margaret and Robert Lee, Wanda and Freddy Elbel, Gloria and Cleburne Schmidt, and Richard Wise, Jr. She is survived by daughter Lana Bednarz (Cliff), son Robert Wise Jr., grandchildren Carson, Landon, and Jenna Bednarz and great-grandchild Emerson Bednarz. She will be truly missed by her dog "Buddy" She was a devoted Catholic and a member of St. Benedicts Church for over 60 years. If you desire to make a contribution, it can be made to St. Benedict Church in her name.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

JAN 2. 6:30 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
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San Antonio, TX 78214
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Funeral Mass

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Benedict Catholic Church
4535 Lord Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78220

Interment

JAN 3 (CT)

Mission Burial Park South
1700 SE Military Dr.
San Antonio, TX 78214
<http://www.missionparks.com>

Tribute Wall

AB

“ *Our sincere condolences all our love,*

Arnett & Ann Baird family

Arnett & Ann Baird - January 02, 2024 at 04:42 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Frances A. Wise.*



January 01, 2024 at 04:35 PM

JB

“ *Judy B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frances A. Wise.*

Judy B. - December 31, 2023 at 11:56 AM

JB

“ *Judy B. purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Frances A. Wise.*



Judy B. - December 31, 2023 at 11:56 AM

JC

“ During my 14 years teaching at Davis Middle School I saw Frances every day. She was unfailingly warm, patient and helpful to me, other teachers, and the students (even the difficult ones.) I will never forget her kindness and generous heart. My condolences to her family and everyone who loved her.
Joanne Cabrera

Joanne Cabrera - December 30, 2023 at 08:49 PM

AV

“ Frances, you were a very special friend of my mom, Lydia Farias Trevino. My mom always spoke fondly of you and your friendship. With tears in your beautiful eyes you mourned for the loss of my mom, Lydia. Honestly, it broke my heart to see you crying. You told me how much you loved my mom and how much fun the two of you had in your young lives. It meant the world to me to know and visualize you two together at La mission.
I know you two are together again in God's paradise once again picking up where you left off.
I'm honored to have known you.
Farewell precious Frances.
Give my momma hugs and kisses from me.
~ Alma Trevino Villars

Alma Villars - December 29, 2023 at 09:37 PM

JM

“ Dear Family of Mrs Wise, our sincere condolences on the loss of your beloved Mrs Wise. She was a beautiful and kind Soul. I will cherish the fond memories we have of her. My birthdays will never be as happy as when she would call to sing to me. My husband and I are blessed to have known her.



Josie/Eddie Mendoza - December 29, 2023 at 03:21 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Frances A. Wise.*



December 29, 2023 at 12:41 PM



“ *Frances was the most beautiful person, inside and out, she was not just my traveling partner but my friend. My heart is heavy but I know she is resting now in the arms of our savior 🥹🙏*

Josephine Wrase - December 29, 2023 at 12:28 PM