



Gloria M. Casillas

August 26, 1939 - February 24, 2019

Gloria M. Casillas was born on August 26, 1939 in San Antonio, TX and went to be with the Lord on February 24, 2019 at the age of 79 surrounded by family and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents Paul Martinez, Sr. and Francisca Morales Martinez; sisters Elisa M. Gonzales, Matilda M. Gonzales and Mary Frances M. Lopez; brothers Steve Martinez Sr., Paul M. Martinez Jr. and Celedonio M. Martinez. She is survived by her loving husband of 57 years, Sigifredo "Fred" Machado Casias; daughter Elizabeth C. Ortiz; sons Fred M. Casillas, Christopher M. Casillas, and Robert M. Casillas; sister Irene M. Lopez (Arthur Sr.); brothers Rudy M. Martinez (John Pena) and Pete M. Martinez. Sister in laws Esther Martinez, Beatrice Martinez and Amparo Martinez. She is also survived by seven grandchildren Veronica Ortiz, Fred P. Casillas, Crystal R. Espinoza (Mando), Desiree N. Casillas, Destiny D. Casillas, Robert Casillas, Christina Thomas (Timothy) and seven great grandchildren Viviana V. Ortiz, Vincent S. Mendoza, Jaslynn N. Espinoza, Jaelynn R. Espinoza, Serenity R. Sanchez, Jesse Z. Sanchez, Timothy Thomas and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, family members and friends. Our family would like to give special thanks to her providers, Destiny D. Casillas, Desiree N. Casillas, Abigail Martinez, Crystal R. Espinoza and Arthur Lopez Jr., Regent Care Center Oakwell Farms, Superior Hospice, Fire Station 28 and family members who assisted. Pallbearers; Fred P. Casillas, Robert Casillas, Arthur Lopez Jr., Aaron Jimenez, Mando Espinoza and Armando Martinez. Honorary Pallbearers; Vincent S. Mendoza and Marcelino

Hernandez. We love you; you will never be forgotten and will always be in our hearts.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Sunday, March 10, 2019 at Palm Heights Mortuary with a Rosary to be recited at 7:00 PM. Procession will depart the funeral home chapel at 9:30 AM on Monday, March 11, 2019 for a Mass at 10:00 AM at St. Henry's Catholic Church, 1619 S. Flores St. Interment will follow at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 10. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Palm Heights Mortuary
3711 S Zarzamora St
San Antonio, TX 78225
(210) 924-4568
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Rosary

MAR 10. 7:00 PM (CT)

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San Antonio, TX 78225
(210) 924-4568
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Mass

MAR 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Henry's Catholic Church
1619 S. Flores
San Antonio, TX 78204

Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



March 09, 2019 at 04:56 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



March 09, 2019 at 12:59 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



March 08, 2019 at 04:32 PM



“ *Fogo de Chao Family purchased the Touching Tribute Spray for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



Fogo de Chao Family - March 07, 2019 at 09:35 PM

BT

“ *Bill & Cecilia Love, Corpus Christi, Texas purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



Bill & Cecilia Love, Corpus Christi, Texas - March 07, 2019 at 06:19 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



March 06, 2019 at 06:55 PM

DC

“ *Mrs C my heart breaks for the love of your life, Mr C and your children, grand children, great grand children and last but not least your brothers and sisters. I have so many fawn memories of you. You where there to help with my kids and I will always be grateful for your kindness. I am glad your at peace and back home with our heavenly father. God be with everyone as we say goodbye to Mrs C Sunday/ Monday. It was a blessing to know you, love Frank and Debora Castro*

Debora Castro - March 06, 2019 at 12:53 AM

LR

“ Thank you mom Casillas for being my second mom. For accepting me into your family 8 years ago. A wonderful loving caring person. I loved the stories you shared with me of how you and dad Casillas met, plus others. Memories I will cherish forever. You thanked me for caring for your son, which I will continue to do. I hold you in my heart along with my parents. You are at peace. Love you!

Lydia Ramos - March 04, 2019 at 12:15 AM

PA

“ Our deepest condolences to all the Family our prayers and thoughts are with you all
God Bless! Love Paul G.and Yolanda G. Martinez

Paul&Yolanda - March 03, 2019 at 11:40 PM

AA

“ Our condolences to Fred, Liz, Freddy, Chris, and Bobby. Your mom will be greatly miss. From Aunt Irene and Uncle Art

Aunt Irene and Uncle Art - March 02, 2019 at 11:20 AM

MJ

“ Our condolences to the casillas family Aunt Gloria will be missed dearly and we will be missing all the hteat times we had especially at the late night coffee drinks at Mcdonalds and the bingo times .
Love You Miss You . Guero Maria Jojo N Mikey

Mr. And Mrs Art Lopez Jr - March 02, 2019 at 11:19 AM

MR

“ Thank you for always being kind to my family and me. We would like to extend our condolences and prayers to the family. May you rest in peace Mrs. Casillas. <3

Maria Rendon - March 01, 2019 at 10:31 PM

LG

“ *My deepest condolences to my Uncle Fred my cousins Liz, Freddie, Chris and Bobby and the rest of the Casillas family, and also to Uncle Rudy and Uncle Pete and my Tia*

Lucinda Gonzales - February 28, 2019 at 10:24 PM

UA

“ *UTSA Office of Financial Affairs purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gloria M. Casillas.*



UTSA Office of Financial Affairs - February 28, 2019 at 05:52 PM

VI

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family. Mrs. C you opened your home for me when I was a young man and I will carry those memories. May you rest in peace as you our now with our Lord.*

Vince - February 28, 2019 at 03:09 PM