



## Gloria H. Garza

June 27, 1930 - January 29, 2023

Gloria H. Garza was born in San Antonio on June 27, 1930 and ascended to Heaven on January 29 at the age of 92.

Gloria is predeceased by her parents Antonio D. and Luz Vela Hernandez; sisters Aurelia H. Giron, Argentina H. Elizondo, Lucy H. Shaw and Blanche H. Rodriguez; by her brothers-in-law Louis. T. Giron, Francisco Ruiz, Howard Elizondo, John F. Shaw and Henry Rodriguez, and by her nephew Rod Anthony Madrigal.

She is survived by her husband of 65 years, Ramiro Garza; by her sons, Ray Nicholas Garza and Gregg Anthony Garza and daughter-in-law Kari Garza, and by her sister Irene H. Ruiz, and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

Gloria graduated from Our Lady of the Lake University and began a decades long career teaching at several elementary schools in the San Antonio ISD. She taught several subjects, including English and reading, but her great passion and gift was music. As an exceptionally accomplished pianist, Gloria enjoyed giving private voice and piano lessons for over 40 years. Gloria enjoyed playing piano for many school programs over the years, as well as for family gatherings, friends and numerous church functions.

Gloria's love of teaching and for her students was only exceeded by her love

for her two sons. She paused her teaching career to raise and nurture her boys until they were well into their elementary school years themselves. Although Gloria may be physically gone from this earth, she will remain lovingly and tenderly in the hearts of her sons and her family forever.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Mass

FEB **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Atonement Catholic Church  
15415 Red Robin Road  
San Antonio, TX 78255

# Tribute Wall



“ *God Bless you, Aunt Gloria. So many fond memories. Well done good and faithful servant are the words you will hear from the Lord Jesus.*  
*Sincerest condolences to family.*  
*Gerry Garza (Charleston, SC). By*

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**Gerald Garza** - February 02, 2023 at 09:50 AM