



Guadalupe Balli

September 3, 1930 - August 16, 2018

Guadalupe “Lupe” Salinas Balli, 88, was born in Edinburg, Texas on September 3, 1929 to the late Miguel and Antonia Salinas. Lupe entered eternal rest on August 16, 2018 joining her husband of 61 years, Ruben R. Balli. Together they resided in San Antonio, Texas for 45 years.

Mrs. Balli completed an honorable career serving the South San ISD community as a bilingual elementary kindergarten educator at Hutchins Elementary just several blocks from her home. During her tenure, she intently lived by a mission to provide an environment for her students that fostered open arms, warm hugs, and a safe atmosphere in an otherwise intimidating learning setting. She was entrusted with the tender role of educating hundreds of precious minds and did so with such inspiration day in and day out. The impact she made with her students was evident beyond her the curriculum she taught. This exceptional ability to build genuine rapport with all roles in her profession created a commendable legacy in every role she played during her lifetime.

When Lupe was not in the classroom she dedicated the same values to her five children whom she leaves behind, along with their loved ones: son Ruben Balli, Jr., wife Alice of Richmond, TX; daughter Linda Vela, fiancé Felix Martinez of San Antonio, TX; daughter Lori Lollar, husband Thomas of Sugar Land, TX; daughter Lois Chapa, husband Joe of San Antonio, TX; and Robert Balli, wife Margie of Devine, TX. She is preceded in death by one grandson, Thomas Christopher Lollar; survived by nine grandchildren and their spouses;

and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation will begin Tuesday August 21st at 5:00pm with a Rosary to follow at 7:00pm. Funeral services are set for Wednesday August 22nd at 11:00am. All services will be held at Mission Park Funeral Chapels and Cemeteries South located at 1700 S.E. Military Drive in San Antonio, Texas.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 21. 5:00 PM - 9:00 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

AUG 21. 7:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
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Funeral Service

AUG 22. 11:00 AM (CT)

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San Antonio, TX 78214
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Tribute Wall

JU

“ *To the entire Balli family, we offer our sincere condolences and pray that you may have peace and many wonderful memories at this difficult time.*

Julian Ramirez & Caroline Dozier

Julian - August 23, 2018 at 02:03 PM

LT

“ *Our prayers are for Ms Balli's family, friends, students and colleagues who she lived and worked with during her dedication to motherhood and education. May you be lifted up by the loving memory of her life.*



*Luis Tovar &
Texas Staff Union*

Luis Tovar - August 22, 2018 at 05:28 AM

CM

“ *I pray the Balli children find comfort in the warmth of Mrs Balli's special memories.*

Love, The Landing at Stone Oak

CYNTHIA MORRIS - August 21, 2018 at 05:19 PM

TC

“ *Ruben, Linda, Lori, Lois and Bobby,
I am truly sorry for your loss, I hope your comfort is that she is with
your dad now. I love how she always made me so welcome at your
house. Her smile was the greatest. I have such good memories of
your mom. My prayers are with you and your family. Tammy
Johnson Chacon*

Tammy Chacon - August 21, 2018 at 11:01 AM

BH

“ *Our deepest condolences from Randy and
Brenda Holmes*



Brenda Holmes - August 20, 2018 at 01:37 PM