



## Guadalupe Garcia

September 6, 1945 - October 1, 2024

With heavy hearts, we announce the peaceful passing of Guadalupe Garcia, affectionately known as Lupita, at the age of 79, following a long battle with Alzheimer's disease. Born on September 6, 1945, in Hollister, California, to Benito and Anita Vasquez, Lupita's early years were spent in Galveston, Texas, before her family eventually settled in San Antonio.

Lupita's life was a testament to love, devotion, and kindness. She was a dedicated wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother whose warmth touched everyone who knew her. She leaves behind a lifetime of cherished memories that will forever live in the hearts of her family.

She was preceded in death by her beloved daughter, Anita Maria Garcia; her parents, Benito and Anita Vasquez; and her sisters, Anita Garcia and Lydia Flores. Her absence will be deeply felt by her husband, Santiago Garcia Jr., and her children: Angie Caballero and her husband Frank, Santiago Miguel Garcia and his wife Monica, and Christopher Mark Garcia and his loving girlfriend, Roxanna Montes. She was a proud grandmother to Keani, Matthew, Nicholas, Tristen, and Liliana, and a doting great-grandmother to Luka. Her sister, Rita Medina, and her husband Carlos, along with numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family, will also carry her memory in their hearts.

Santiago first met Lupita in November 1963, when they were both teenagers. He was a junior in high school. Several months later, he nervously asked her to be his girlfriend and invited her to his senior prom. By September of 1964, he asked her for her hand in marriage, and on May 2, 1965, they became husband and wife.

In their early years together, they welcomed four beautiful children into their lives. Lupita was a mother who loved fiercely and raised her children with both warmth and discipline. She had a passion for sewing and would make costumes for her grandchildren. In her spare time, she found joy in doing arts and crafts with her sister, Anita. Her faith was her guiding light, and she expressed that through her volunteer work with the Guadalupanas.

Santiago and Lupita shared a lifetime of both challenges and joy. They had their share of hard times, as all couples do, but their love always carried them through. When Lupita was diagnosed with early-onset Alzheimer's over ten years ago, Santiago dedicated himself to caring for her. He couldn't bear to leave her side and made sure she always had the best care.

To this day, Santiago cherishes every moment they spent together. He will hold their memories close, loving her forever, until the day they meet again.

Her family will gather to honor her memory, with visitation beginning at 5:30 P.M., followed by the Rosary at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 10, 2024 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North, 3401 Cherry Ridge Drive. A funeral

Mass will be held at 10:30 A.M. on Friday, October 11, 2024 at St. Brigid's Catholic Church, 6907 Kitchener followed by her interment at Mission Burial Park North, 20900 IH 10 West.

Though her physical presence is gone, the love and lessons she imparted will remain forever in the hearts of those who loved her.

# Cemetery Details

## Mission Burial Park North

20900 I.H. 10  
West San Antonio, TX 78230

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **10**. 5:30 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge  
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78230  
(210) 349-1414  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Rosary

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## Funeral Mass

OCT 11. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Brigid Catholic Church  
6907 Kitchener  
San Antonio, TX 78240

# Tribute Wall

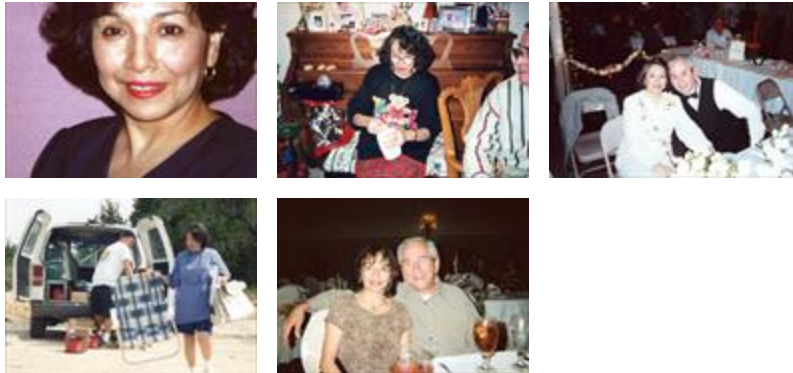
MW

“ *What an awesome Journey, Dear Beloved Sister-of-my-heart. So many beautiful & joyful memories & laughter we shared. Here's looking forward to picking up where we left off when my time comes. Enjoy your daughter & your dog, "Ramie", whom you loved so much. Home Sweet Home with Jesus, My Dear Sister. ❤️*

Mrs Norma Wilkie - October 10, 2024 at 08:21 PM

FC

“ *63 files added to the album Lupita*



Frank Caballero - October 09, 2024 at 05:00 PM

MG

*Such a beautiful Mother. We miss you mom 🥺*

Mike Garcia - October 13, 2024 at 10:55 AM

LV

“ *Liz & Mark Villareal purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Guadalupe Garcia.*



Liz & Mark Villareal - October 07, 2024 at 09:05 PM