



## Karen Ann Buckholdt

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Age 65 • San Antonio, Texas

With hearts heavy in sorrow, we announce the passing of Karen Ann Buckholdt, a beautiful soul taken from us too soon. Karen was a devoted mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, daughter, sister, aunt, and friend. Her unconditional love, wise guidance, and unwavering support touched the lives of everyone fortunate enough to know her.

Karen dedicated 25 years of her life as an educator in the Harlandale Independent School District, where she inspired countless students. With her passion, patience, and belief in others, she had a special gift for helping people discover strength they didn't know they had.

Outside the classroom, Karen found peace and joy in nature. She loved taking hikes, spending long days at the beach, gazing at the stars, and expressing her creativity through writing short novels. Her spirit was both gentle and strong, and her kindness left a lasting impression.

Karen is lovingly remembered by her son Steven Buckholdt and daughter-in-law Pamela; her grandchildren Junior, Justus, Devine, Elijah, Jaxon, and

Alivia; and her great-grandchildren Zyllus and Prince. She now joins her father Carl, mother Alberta, and sisters Carol and Cathy, who gained their wings before her.

Gathering of Remembrance will begin at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 3, 2025 with a Memorial Service to be celebrated at 12:00 p.m. at Alamo Funeral Chapels, 624 N Alamo St, San Antonio, TX 78215.

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Remembrance/Visitation

JUL 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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<https://www.missionparks.com/>

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Karen Ann Buckholdt*



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**Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery** - July 05, 2025 at 02:17 PM

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“ *I met Karen when she trained me on the switchboard at my first job at the hospital she had one of most caring souls i had ever met we became good friends and we liked going to movies and eating mexican food she loved her family so much she went on to be a teacher where she could help so many as she did she will be greatly missed by so many lives she has touched.*



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**nancy** - July 07, 2025 at 11:38 PM

JS

“ *Karen was such a fun and sweet lady. I will miss her laugh. I worked with her as a dyslexia teacher for many years in Harlandale ISD . She was very passionate about her work . And worked hard to make sure her students were treated fairly .*



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**Jackie Soria** - July 02, 2025 at 07:47 AM

TC

“ My heart is sad to hear about Ms Buckholt, she was always kind to me and became a dear friend. I enjoyed our conversations, I will miss you❤️ Thank you Karen for everything.

Your friend Always,  
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**Tanya Cervantes** - July 01, 2025 at 03:58 PM

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“ Greetings family and my deepest condolences for your great loss. I had the honor and privilege of meeting the Karen you also knew and loved when I became a teacher at Columbia Heights Elementary School. She and I became instant friends. She was concerned about my wrist arthritis and bought me arthritic gloves for relief which worked great. We enjoyed many conversations and laughter. I was also very glad that I was able to visit with her at the hospital and consequently the rehab center, both this year and last. She participated in a dinner with our women's group a few years back and was able to have a few meals with her as well after she retired. She will be dearly missed. I'm saddened I won't make her services as I'm currently out of the country until July 4th but my thoughts and prayers will be with you all. Still in disbelief but I'm glad she's no longer suffering and will enjoy an even greater quality of life! Love you friend, until we meet again, and don't you be trying to drive the angels around up there because we all know how you drive! IYKYK LOL - Rest in Peace Karen!! Forever in our hearts!!

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**Nadja Root** - June 29, 2025 at 12:21 AM