



Kristene Mills

April 27, 1964 - August 19, 2024

In Loving Memory of Kristene Mills

April 27, 1964 - August 19, 2024 Kristene Mills was born on April 27, 1964, in San Antonio, Texas, to Thomas Salazar and Anastacia Flores Salazar. She left this world on August 19, 2024, leaving behind a legacy of love, kindness, and unforgettable memories. Kristene was preceded in passing by her beloved parents, her brother, Michael Flores, and many dear aunts and uncles. She is survived by her devoted husband of over 41 years, Thomas Mills, and her cherished children: Kristol Rose Lopez, Martin (Valeri) Lopez, and Monique Sardia (Alexy Pagan) Mills. Her grandchildren, Jesus Lopez Mauricio, Jesalyn Mauricio, Mia Pagan, Dominic Pagan, Isis Lopez, Osiris Lopez, Jenisis Lopez, and Luna Lopez, along with her great-grandson, Jesus Antonio Mauricio, brought immense joy to her life. She is also survived by her siblings, Manuel Salazar, Tomas Salazar, and Jessica Reyna. Kristene was known for her outgoing personality and creative spirit. She had a special love for dragonflies and all things that sparkled. Her hands were rarely still, always crafting beautiful jewelry and intricate paper flowers that she would generously gift to friends, family, and even the nurses who cared for her. Her giving nature was a cornerstone of her character; she volunteered selflessly in her younger years and was always ready to offer a helping hand, especially to those in need of a ride to a doctor's appointment or hospital visit. Kristene had a unique ability to connect with everyone she met. A true social butterfly, her positive energy radiated through every interaction. She shared a deep bond

with her husband, Thomas, and they often embarked on adventures together, exploring the great outdoors through camping trips in cozy cabins. Though she accompanied him on hunting trips, her kind heart always led her to warn the animals, ensuring they had a chance to escape. One of Kristene's greatest joys was playing in the snow, a testament to her unwavering spirit and zest for life. Even through her battles, she never lost her radiant smile, serving as a beacon of light to all who knew her. Her presence in the lives of her family and friends was a gift, and her absence leaves an indescribable void. Kristene Mills will be remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend. Her legacy of love, generosity, and joy will continue to inspire all who were blessed to know her. She will be deeply missed but forever held in the hearts of those she touched.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

AUG 26. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Holy Rosary

AUG 26. 6:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Catholic Funeral Service

AUG 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Burial

AUG 27. 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Burial Park South
1700 SE Military Dr.
San Antonio, TX 78214
<http://www.missionparks.com>

Tribute Wall

TM

“*Kristen wasn't just a part of my life; she was the center of it. There was a quiet strength in her that always amazed me, even after all these years. She had this warmth that could calm any storm, a smile that made everything seem lighter. Her love for our family was boundless, and no matter what came her way, she faced it with such resilience, never letting anything steal her joy. The bond we shared was something that words can't quite capture. She was my rock, my confidante, my everything. It's hard waking up each day without her, but I remind myself that she's no longer fighting, no longer in pain. And in that, I find some peace—knowing she's free, watching over us with that same love that never left her heart.*”



Thomas Mills - September 08, 2024 at 05:15 PM

LY

“*My condolences to the family and friends. Kristene you were a brave person who didn't let anything bring you down. I loved your prayers and I prayed with you. You touched many hearts and were loved by many. Many will miss you but you will never be forgotten. You are at peace free from pain and now a beautiful angel. May God grant your family strength in their time of sorrow. Rest in Peace my beautiful friend*
Lydia”

Lydia - August 27, 2024 at 06:50 PM

DC

“ It was a warm and beautiful service; I was very pleased with the funeral service; Thank Mission Park South Funeral Home and Thank You Thomas Mills you did really good for my KweeKwee. The our God Bless You and family Abundantly ❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️

Diana Perez- Carlee - August 27, 2024 at 05:39 PM

HS

“ Howard Newton and North America securit purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kristene Mills.



Howard Newton and North America securit - August 27, 2024 at 09:13 AM

LB

“ My deepest condolences and prayers for peace and comfort for the family of Kristene. I will hold near and dear to my heart the memories of when you were my sister-in-law! Thank you for being a beautiful Tia to my son Michael. Rest in eternal peace Kwee Kwee!



Lucia “Lucy” Borrego - August 27, 2024 at 07:32 AM

AM

“ Rest in Peace my sweet daughter in law! You will be missed.



Annette Mills - August 26, 2024 at 08:41 AM

BF

“ *Bonnie Perez and family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Kristene Mills.*



Bonnie Perez and family - August 25, 2024 at 08:53 PM

RO

“ *My condolences to the family. Kris will be deeply missed. I will miss our talks. You always had me laughing. You were so brave and strong. Thank you for sharing all your dance videos and morning prayers. May you rest in peace and dance with the angels. Love Rose*

Rose - August 25, 2024 at 01:33 PM

RG

“ *Rose Gonzalez purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Kristene Mills.*



Rose Gonzalez - August 25, 2024 at 01:10 PM

AC

“ *RIP Kwee Kwee! You truly were a beautiful soul! You were an absolute angel. My condolences to your family.* 🙏📄

Anna Campbell - August 24, 2024 at 11:16 PM

JV

“ Janet Villanueva lit a candle in memory of Kristene Mills



Janet Villanueva - August 24, 2024 at 04:27 PM

JV

Rest in peace 🕊️🕊️🕊️ my beautiful friend ☐

Janet Villanueva - August 24, 2024 at 04:28 PM

MA

“ Kris Mills , God saw you were getting tired so he said my Angel Kris come home to the heaven gate's 🙏 Thomas thank you for giving Kris a beautiful life of 41 years. My condolences to her family 🙏❤️

Margie - August 22, 2024 at 12:45 PM

SG

My friend KweeKwee, thanks for all your laughs and dancing 🕺. RIP as you dance freely from pain and suffering. May your Perpetual Light shine upon you. Condolences to all your family and friends 🙏❤️🙏

Sylvia (Castillo) Garcia - August 24, 2024 at 01:44 PM

OS

“ OnePointe Solutions purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kristene Mills.



OnePointe Solutions - August 22, 2024 at 09:50 AM

AF

“ Rest in peace my friend.



Alice Fernandez - August 20, 2024 at 11:20 PM

SH

“ Sending love and hugs purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Kristene Mills.



Sending love and hugs - August 20, 2024 at 07:05 PM

JB

“ RIP 🙏



J B - August 20, 2024 at 06:42 PM

DC

“ My deepest & sincere condolences to dearest Thomas Mills, Monique, Crystal & Junior; Thank you so very much for all the love & care you gave to your wife & mother; may the Lord our God Bless You abundantly. And to our little sister Jessica, brothers Mottie & Manuel my heart is heavy for you, I know how hard this is for you, but please take comfort KweeKwee will always be with you guys in spirit just like Annie & Michael have been, you will see them again, have no fear, no doubts. Love you guys, Nyna.

Diana Perez- Carlee - August 20, 2024 at 06:30 PM

TM

Thank You Diana she loved you very much

Thomas Mills - August 21, 2024 at 06:27 PM

DC

“ Diana Perez- Carlee lit a candle in memory of Kristene Mills



Diana Perez- Carlee - August 20, 2024 at 06:10 PM

DC

“ To my precious & beautiful childhood best friend; KweeKwee, the only best friend I ever had, their came no true other after you, there was only you for me, and even though it was in childhood & school age youth that it lasted, those times of ours I have always carried in my heart and always will, til I see you again in my dreams and when I go home to join you; we will be like little children again innocent & pure, playing marbles in the dirt on the ground like we use to & jacks our favorite, listening to our big crush Donny Osmond; it'll be fun again you'll see. I love you always; Nyna & KweeKwee.

Diana Perez- Carlee - August 20, 2024 at 06:09 PM

DC

"If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am" John 14:3

Diana Perez- Carlee - August 20, 2024 at 08:42 PM

AM

“ She will always be remembered. I remember when she and Tommy would come visit and she would get in the kitchen and not let anyone help and would make the best food you have ever eaten! She made me laugh and was always giving you a hug. She will be missed.

Ashley Mills - August 20, 2024 at 05:58 PM

BM

“ Bubba,Natalie, Korbin and Monica purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kristene Mills.



Bubba,Natalie, Korbin and Monica - August 20, 2024 at 05:23 PM