



## Lawrence W. Rea

July 7, 1929 - May 7, 2023

United States Air Force Master Sergeant (Retired) Lawrence Wayne Rea (Larry, L.W.), born July 7, 1929 to Mary E. (Hollowell) and Neal R. Rea, in Oiltrough, AR, died May 7, 2023 in San Antonio, TX. Larry attended college after serving his country for 26 years. He then went on to work in the insurance business. He enjoyed talking with anyone he met and was loved by all who knew him.

He married Doris J. Borkowski on August 8, 1953, at St. Francis Xavier Church in St. Joseph, MO. She preceded him in death on July 25, 2021. He was preceded in death by his Mother, Father, and his brother Henry Rea. Also preceding him in death was his daughter, Mary Stoll.

He is survived by his children Robert Rea of Parker AZ, John and Elizabeth Rea of Colorado Springs CO, and Sharon and Ramon Mendez of San Antonio TX. Grandchildren – Aaron (& Brittany) Stoll, Alicia (& Thor) Kooda, Anthony (& Tia Selby) Rea, Allison (& Roland) Courtney, Anna (& Anderson) Jimenez, Daniel (& Amber) Rea, David Rea, Adriane (& B.J.) Ferraro, Andrew (& Tom) Haas, and Alyssa Mendez. In addition, he is survived by 14 Great Grandchildren and one Great Great-Granddaughter. Also surviving are sisters—Juanita Parton, Roberta Perkins, and Hazel Gatlin; brothers— Raymond (& Wanda) Rea, and Charles Rea, all of Arkansas; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was a devoted Husband, Father, Grandfather, and Great Grandfather and Great-Great Grandfather. He will be dearly missed by all.

Visitation will be 6:00pm on May 31 2023 at Mission Park North Funeral Home, 3401 Cherry Ridge, San Antonio, TX 78230, with a Rosary at 7:00 pm.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 am on June 1 2023 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, 13715 Riggs Rd, Helotes, TX 78023. Burial, with full military honors, will be at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery, following the funeral mass.

# Cemetery Details

## **Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery**

1520 Harry Wurzbach  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## **Visitation**

**MAY 31.** 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North  
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive  
San Antonio, TX 78230

## **Rosary**

**MAY 31.** 7:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North  
3401 Cherry Ridge  
San Antonio, TX 78230

## **Funeral Mass**

**JUN 1.** 11:00 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, Helotes  
13715 Riggs Rd.  
Helotes, TX 78023

## Interment

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JUN 1. 1:00 PM (CT)

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery  
1520 Harry Wurzbach  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Tribute Wall

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“ GP,  
*Love you and miss you so much. I remember all the times you took us to the pool, spent summer days with us, took me to school if I missed the bus, and just our talks. Say hi to GM for me. R.I.P. love you always*  
*Your granddaughter Adriane.*

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**Adriane Ferraro** - May 26, 2023 at 11:41 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lawrence W. Rea.*



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May 16, 2023 at 01:33 PM