



## Lucia Cruz Hutton

November 30, 1942 - January 4, 2026

Lucia (Luci) Hutton was born on November 30, 1942, in San Antonio, Texas. She passed into her loving Savior's arms on January 4, 2026.

Luci was born in San Antonio, Texas, to Gaspar and Rafaela Cruz. She attended schools in San Antonio and graduated from Burbank High School. After years of working with the USAF Security Service, she enrolled at the University of Texas San Antonio in her early forties. She strongly believed in the importance of education and was proud to graduate with a B.B.A. in Accounting. Her distinguished career as a CPA included the Internal Revenue Service, the FDIC, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the US Attorney's Office. She concluded her career as a compliance auditor with the US Department of Transportation, where she proudly retired after 31 years of federal service.

In addition to her children, Luci's grandchildren were her greatest gifts. She constantly thanked God for them and prayed for His guidance, protection, and blessings over their lives. She instilled in her grandchildren the importance of hard work and perseverance. She always said, "Nothing worthwhile is ever easy." Her life truly embodied this quote, and her devotion and selflessness toward her family will always be remembered.

After retirement, Luci learned how to make jewelry. She collected beads,

designed necklaces, assembled earrings, and found great joy in creating and giving her beautiful pieces to friends and loved ones. In addition to jewelry making, she spent time dining out, dancing, singing karaoke, and thrifting with friends. She frequented several thrift stores and even learned the times when trucks were scheduled to deliver new inventory. She was the first to shop for new items and anticipated the purchase of her next designer jacket or beautiful accessory piece. She wore her stylish outfits for dinner, to meet church friends, or to sing at karaoke events. Luci loved to karaoke! She and her dear friend Don would sing at the American Legion, VFW, and various other places around town. She even purchased a karaoke machine and hosted karaoke nights at her home.

She enjoyed the entertainment and had a blast meeting new people and making new friends. Luci will be deeply missed by all who knew her. Until we meet her again, her spirited personality and unforgettable laughter will live forever in our hearts.

Luci is preceded in death by her parents, Gaspar and Rafaela Cruz; her beloved husband, Billy Joe Hutton; her former husband, Reynolds Combs; her brother, Joe Cruz; and her sister, Herminia (Minnie) Glasscock. She is survived by her devoted friend, Don Girard; sister, Amelia (Emily) Moore; daughter, Meredith Combs (Ruben Leal); son, Greg Combs (Amanda); and grandchildren, Blake and Katherine Combs, and Tristan Leal. She also leaves behind beloved friends who were an important part of her life.

Her visitation will be on Monday, January 26, 2026, from 4:00 pm-8:00 pm, with a Rosary at 6:00 pm, at Mission Park Funeral Chapels Medical Center. The Funeral Service will be on Tuesday, January 27, 2026, at 12:30 pm at the funeral home chapel. Interment will follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. The services will be livestreamed at <https://s3-us-east-2.amazonaws.com>

[s.com/mf-fwp/private/hutton\\_20260127.html](http://www.missionparks.com/mf-fwp/private/hutton_20260127.html)

Luci loved pale pink and wished to include this color in her ceremony, unknowingly realizing that pale pink symbolizes love, grace, and admiration. To commemorate her life, guests are welcome to incorporate a touch of pale pink into their attire, though traditional mourning wear is also welcome. For personal acknowledgement, please sign the online guestbook at [www.missionparks.com](http://www.missionparks.com) in the Tributes section

MISSION PARK FUNERAL CHAPELS MEDICAL CENTER  
8332 FREDERICKSBURG RD.  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78229  
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# Cemetery Details

## Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 26. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Medical Center  
8332 Fredericksburg Road  
San Antonio, TX 78229

## Rosary

JAN 26. 6:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Medical Center  
8332 Fredericksburg Road  
San Antonio, TX 78229

## Chapel Service

JAN 27. 12:30 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Medical Center  
8332 Fredericksburg Road  
San Antonio, TX 78229

## Interment

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JAN 27 (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

CD

“ *Cyndy Drozd purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lucia Cruz Hutton.*



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**Cyndy Drozd** - January 26 at 05:46 PM

JG

“ *Luci, without you we would not have our wonderful son-in-law and grandchildren. With eternal love, the Gauntt family.*

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**John Gauntt** - January 26 at 04:50 PM

NV

“ *Lucy was a dear friend. We met in Karaoke many years, ago! Lucy was a fantastic singer. She will be greatly missed. Although, I will not be able to attend her services because of my lung disease and this cold weather, I will hold her in my heart!  
Rest In Peace, Lucy! □ Your friend, Norma Vasquez*

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**Norma Vasquez** - January 26 at 01:56 PM

LT

“ *Love, Lazzaris and Taylors purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lucia Cruz Hutton.*



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**Love, Lazzaris and Taylors** - January 26 at 10:30 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Lucia Cruz Hutton.*



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January 25 at 04:31 PM



“ *Lucy and I worked and met at Security Hill almost 59 years ago. She was a very special friend to me for many years. I cherish the memories I have of having her in my circle of love. She always made it a point to show her caring, loving nature to all she came in contact with.  
Prayers to Lucy's family. she has a special place in my prayers and in my heart.*

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**Margaret Martinez** - January 25 at 03:19 PM



“ *The Combs Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Lucia Cruz Hutton.*



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**The Combs Family** - January 24 at 10:54 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Lucia Cruz Hutton.*



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January 21 at 09:29 PM

FK

“ From Carrie and Duane Koll purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Lucia Cruz Hutton.



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**From Carrie and Duane Koll** - January 19 at 08:38 PM

NW

“ I met Lucia and Don at the grill when I ran the karaoke show there. They were very delightful singers and she always treated me with the most kindness she will truly be missed and my condolences. Go out to her family.

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**Nick Wilson** - January 17 at 12:16 AM

SS

“ Met Luci in a Mexican Restaurant over 18 years ago while a group of about 29 were gathered for karaoke. Sat next to her and noticed she was singing along with each singer. I asked, "Do you sing?", her answer Oh my goodness NO. So I convinced her to sing with me as I sing only Old country". It only took one song and she was hooked. She and my husband Jim and I spend wonderful years singing. We would go from one friends house each week to another. She finally bought her own system so she host karaoke. She had me stay at her house when I had a cancerous growth removed from my nose. Got up at 5:30 am to get me to surgery. We spent many hours making jewelry and thrifting. She was my younger sister as I had lost both. She will always be on my thoughts and know she is finally with her one true love, her Billy. RIP little sis. I love you.

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**Sara Snider** - January 16 at 06:52 PM

CK

“ We were lucky enough to have her sing with our karaoke. We loved her and she was very special to us. She would always come in and sing Seven Spanish Angels for my mom. She definitely will not be forgotten. Prayers light and love to her family.

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**Cherryl and Kenzie Kellerman** - January 16 at 06:48 PM

NV

“ Knew Lucí for 12 years. Met her at the VFW. Beautiful karaoke singer and great friend!❤️  
Lucí will be missed and remain in our hearts!

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**Norma Vaswuez** - January 15 at 08:17 PM