



Lucy Trejo Gomez

April 21, 1932 - December 10, 2008

Lucy T. Gomez, age 76, of San Antonio, Texas, died December 10, 2008, with family by her side. She is preceded in death by her loving husband Cecil E. Gomez and parents Frank and Christine Trejo. She is survived by her children, Liz Bumgarner, Marty Castro Roger Castro, and Andy Gomez Connie Gomez; grandchildren: Nick Moreno, Christine Taylor Brent Taylor, Trey Bumgarner, Amanda and Kevin Castro, and Greg Gomez. As well as her loving brother, Ernest and Bonnie Trejo and sisters, Esther and Julian Solis, Frances and Manual Gonzalez, and Olga and Randall Beverly and nieces and nephews. The family is sincerely grateful to the transplant team at University Hospital under the leadership of Dr. Kermit Speeg for their wonderful and excellent care for the past eight years. She is a graduate of Lanier High School and Our Lady of the Lake University. Her life was dedicated to education. She began her career in 1954 as an elementary teacher at Loma Park and ended her career as principal for Cenizo Park and Hoelcher Elementary in the Edgewood School District. The lives of hundreds of children, of all ages, and as well as many colleagues have been significantly enriched through her work in Education. Lucy Gomez has had an outstanding career in the field of education, serving as teacher, Dean of Girls, Registrar, Pep-squad Sponsor, and principal in the Edgewood Independent School District. She was very instrumental in the planning of the opening of John F. Kennedy and Memorial High Schools. She continued to exhibit great leadership skills since her retirement in 1979 in serving as a consultant to the

Immaculate Conception Kindergarten, helping the classroom teacher implement a quality program. Lucy helped organized fundraising activities for the Guadalupe Community Center so more children could benefit from better programs. She served as president of the San Antonio Area Retired Teachers Association SAARTA. Lucy considers being involved is the best way to improve the life of her community. Involved she was! She is an untiring community leader who provides leadership to various educational, civic, and charitable organizations. You can always count on her to "get the job done," whatever the job is, and she does it in an efficient, responsible way, and with great enthusiasm!

Lucy volunteered many hours in being a leader in the Sjogrens Syndrome Foundation dry eyes and dry mouth, a support group she organized in 1983. She was the contact person in San Antonio. For fifteen years she was an active member of the American Association of University Women AAUW. She served for two years as the first Hispanic President, Reservation Committee Chairman, Chairman of the Morning Interior Decorating Interest Group, Interest Group Coordinator and Branch Awards Chairman. She was also involved with two interest groups, the Theater Group and Information Please. She volunteered in Career Days at various schools and worked with the Book Fair activities and fundraising efforts sponsored by AAUW and other organizations. She was a member of San Antonio Council of Presidents, San Antonio Conservation Society Flower Fluffer, Women's Democratic Party and San Antonio's Women's Rosary will be on Friday, December 12, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. at the Alamo Funeral Home. Funeral Mass will be held on Saturday, December 13, 2008 at 10:00 am at St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church. Burial will follow at San Fernando Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

GH

“ I think of her often as she was a special 'friend' to me during my high school years. She'll never know what value her faith in me had at that time and has carried me through the years since. She's where she deserves to be now... with with our heavenly f

Gloria Cardenas Hoffman - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the Gomez family. I will miss Mrs Gomez, she was a great person, she was my first grade teacher at Loma Park and then saw again at J.F. Kennedy HS. I was happy and glad to see her attend our 40th Class reunion

Vicky Posada Foreman - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Christine,

My heart goes out to you and your family on your loss. I know how much your Grandmother meant to you. She will always live within your heart...

Jennifer Beaman - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Always cherish the great times you had, and how you helped her so much daily. Love and prayers. I think of you often at Helotes.

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JS

“ Our thoughts and prayers to the family of Ms. Gomez. As a person and educator, she left a legacy of dedication and caring with the students that she both taught and guided.

Joe Jesse Sanchez - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SV

“ Liz,

My deepest condolences go out to you and your family. Your mother left behind a wonderful legacy in her children and grandchildren. She will live on forever through all of you. Please remember that we all love you and are here to support you durin

Sandra Vasquez - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. PLEASE REMEMBER THAT SHE LIVES IN EACH OF THE STUDENTS SHE TAUGHT AND MENTORED. SABRINA M CARDENAS LOMA PARK ELEMENTARY

SABRINA REGER - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ To the family of Lucy Gomez,
We will always remember Lucy. She was a dedicated and active member of our Association. She will be greatly missed. All our sympathies and prayers are with her family.

Love and Prayers,
SAN ANTONIO AREA RETIRED TEACH

San Antonio Area Retired Teachers Association - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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With deepest sympathy,
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LC

“ *Lucy will shine in my my heart every time I think of her. She always had wonderful things to say to everyone and because her laugh was so unique I loved to make her laugh. I will always remember our last dance.*

Larry Contreras - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *Liz,
You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Cathy Battersby - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you all...Lucy was such a WONDERFUL lady, I was so please to help her with her appts....and anything else she needed..she will always be in my thoughts...
GOD BLESS!*

*Michele
Transplant Clinic*

Michele - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

YE

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Yolanda Escalera - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *Liz & Marty,
My thoughts are with you in this difficult time. Remember, you have friends who care. Please let me know if there's anything I can do for you.*

Claudia Mobley - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ *Liz,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

Kerry Keller

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CM

“ *Liz and Family,
May God's blessings and the support of your faith and family be with you during this difficult time. My sincere condolences.*

Carolyn Mirelez - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Liz,

My prayer is that God's peace and grace will surround you and yours during this difficult time as you remember and cherish the many wonderful memories of a life that touch so many.*

Delfy Gonzalez - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Liz I was so sorry to hear about your mother. I know that you loved her so much. You talked about her quite frequently and made me laugh at your stories. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this time.

Trina Heim - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ Liz I am very sorry for for you loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. If you need anything I am here for you.

Eva

Eva Coultriss - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ My prayers are with you all.

Lilia Aguirre - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends.

Debra Tatum - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ Dear Marty and Family,

I am very sorry for your loss. Your mother was obviously an incredible lady. My thoughts are with you.

Tiffany King

Tiffany King - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *Marty, Roger, Amanda, Kevin and Liz,
I am so sorry for your loss. Your mom was a sweet lady and was so lucky to have all of you in her lives. May the memories of your Mom and Grandma help you through this difficult time. We are thinking of you and pray*

Kim Adame - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *My heartfelt condolences for the loss of your loved one. Mrs. Gomez influenced me in a most positive way when I was a youngster at Loma Park Elementary School from 1957 to 1961, and once again when I was a teen at Kennedy High School from 1963 to 1966. I*

Bill W. Love - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ *"When we lose a loved one - a vivid, life-fueled flame and all that's left are pictures and the whispers of a name. Remember to smile for the life she lived and her soul that shone so bright . . . as she waits for us to chase her laughter to where she sta*

Teri Myers - December 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM