



Manuela P. Cantu

June 28, 1928 - April 12, 2020

Manuela P Cantu'

Born in Waelder, TX June 28, 1928

She peacefully went to be with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020. She was surrounded by her immediate family during this season of COVID-19 as she was cared for at home.

She lived her life in her beloved San Antonio, TX. Home of "HER" five time champions, the San Antonio Spurs.

Family was of utmost importance to her and welcomed many family members and friends a home when they needed a place to stay.

She worked in food service at Oliver Wendell Holmes High School (36 years) and at Trinity United Methodist School (14 years). Working was a joy for her. She and the students had a mutual love for one another, including her children at Holmes HS and her grandchildren at Trinity UMS. Her drive was unmatched and retired at 87 years of age due to her health.

She is survived by her loving husband Joe T Cantu' of 69 years, her son Rodolfo Roland Cantu' and daughter-in-law Mary Cantu, daughter Rosie Ann

Ard & son in-law Jack Ard, daughter Raquel Rebecca Cantu' Irving & son in-law John Irving. Her Seven grandchildren, Ronnie Cantu', Kevin M Cantu', Christina M Cantu', Stephanie A Owens, Lisa M Fay, Jordan B Hentschel, and Morgan R Hentschel. Twelve great grandchildren Reece Cantu', Pauline Apolinar, Kevin M Cantu II, Justice Cantu', Maxine Cantu', Christian Moncivaias, Sara Moncivaias, Elijah Ruiz, Matthew Owens, Grace Owens, Franny Fay & Zoey Fay. Great great grandchildren, Josline Trevino, Aiden Cruz & Aria Cruz. Her brother Abran Perales of Houston, TX. Being from a large family she is also blessed with numerous beloved nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family and friends that are considered family.

She is predeceased by her precious infant son Jose Cantu', Jr., her loving parents Rosas and Refugia Perales, brothers - Pablo Perales of Houston, TX, Leon Perales of Houston, TX, Julio Perales of Flatonia, TX, sisters - Fernanda Salinas of Raymondville, TX, Apolinar Perales of Flatonia, TX, Anastasia Mier of Houston, TX, Domitila Salas of Lubbock, TX, and Nicomedes Wiedemann of Flatonia, TX.

Manuela will be laid to rest at San Fernando Cemetery II.

The 10 person rule will apply, if you have any questions please let us know.

4/19/2020 - Sunday at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North - 3401 Cherry Ridge, SA, TX 78230

5 to 6 pm public viewing

6 pm - Rosary

4/20/2020 - Monday

11 am - Mass at Holy Rosary Parish

159 Camino Santa Maria
San Antonio, TX 78228

Interment following mass at San Fernando Cemetery II
746 Castroville Rd
San Antonio, TX 78237

For those that would like come by the house we will have a reception
822 Overhill Drive
San Antonio, TX 78228
210.432.1825 house phone

Until we see her smiling face again.....she is home.Thank you so much!!

Cemetery Details

San Fernando Cemetery II

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 19. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Rosary

APR 19. 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Mass

APR 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

Holy Rosary Catholic Church
159 Camino Santa Maria
San Antonio, TX 78228

Graveside

APR 20. 12:15 PM (CT)

San Fernando II
746 Castroville Rd
San Antonio, TX, TX 78237

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Webcast in memory of Manuela P. Cantu*



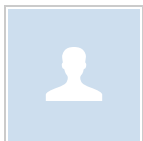
Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - April 19, 2020 at 02:02 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.*



April 20, 2020 at 08:12 AM



“ *Light Blue Rose with White Daisy was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.*



April 20, 2020 at 01:46 AM

BM

“ *Mayme always greeted us with a smile and a hug. We send our sincerest condolences and pray for her prompt journey to her final home. May God give you peace in the joyful memories of her life with you. Love, Berry n Lupe Martinez*

berry martinez - April 19, 2020 at 05:02 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.*



April 19, 2020 at 02:43 PM

DN

“ *I had the pleasure of working with Mamie for many years at Trinity United Methodist School! She made quite an impact on My children, my oldest grandson (Aaron) and myself! I always enjoyed talking to her about our families and of course the Spurs!! Mamie will always be in our hearts. My sympathy to Joe, Raquel, Jordan, Morgan and the rest of the family. Love, Debbie Napolitano and family*

Debbie Napolitano - April 18, 2020 at 06:16 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.*



April 18, 2020 at 02:59 PM

BH

“ Bruce, Zelda and Andy Hentschel purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



Bruce, Zelda and Andy Hentschel - April 18, 2020 at 01:11 PM

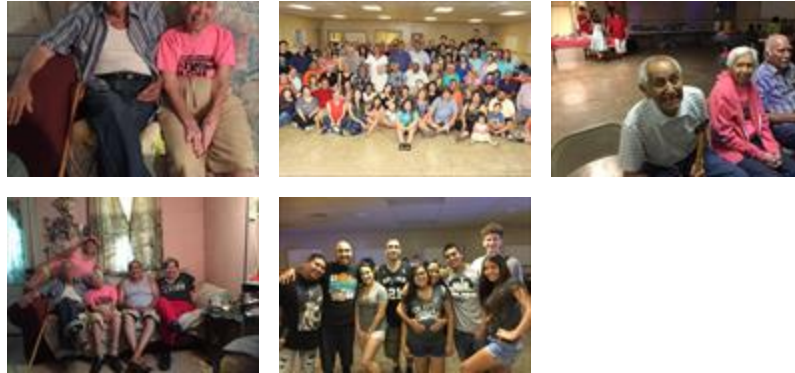
LR

“ I was just a kid; maybe 3 or so when we moved to live at 818 OverHill, and then we met You And Mr. Joe, Mrs. Meme. You have always been Beyond Great all these years. Always Sweet, Funny, Helpful, Compassionate, Genuine, Sincere, Sharp, Smart, Bulletproof, Driven. I always saw You on-the-go nonstop; in and out of Your House, in the backyard, frontyard, going to Work, and wherever else You had to go, Doing So Much. Unbreakable Lady. Exemplary Leader. I honestly never ever, ever saw Time passing for You. Never. Thank You For Everything. Gracias Por Todo Que Nos Compartio Durante Todo El Tiempo De Nuestra Amistad Mutua Entre Los Rodriguez Y Los Cantu. Siempre La Extrañaremos Hasta Que La Veamos Otra Vez. We Miss You And We Love You Forever. We Feel Sorry To Señor Joe, Rosie, Rachel, Rudy, And Your Whole Family. We Give Our Deepest Condolences. May Precious Memories Of Dearest Señora Meme Fill Your Hearts And Help To Ease Your Pain.....-Love, Los Rodriguez ❤️💙💚💛👍💜💖 <3

Lu Rodriguez - April 18, 2020 at 09:35 AM

SP

“ 14 files added to the tribute wall



Sixto Peralez - April 17, 2020 at 11:10 PM

RS

“ Raul S. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



Raul S. - April 17, 2020 at 09:49 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



April 17, 2020 at 01:25 AM

PA

“ To my great grandma and my daughters great great grandma, you will forever be remembered for your funny comebacks, sweet sweet soul and your love for the San Antonio spurs. You have made me laugh every visit, From “cheeks to your seat” and you tried to put the side of your face on the chair to whispering in my ear that grandpa was your “boyfriend” hehee your love for me never went unnoticed. You loved me as if I were blood, and that’s what mattered most to me. And you ma’am are the reason my family and I bleed black and silver. Spurs fan until the end. And I will continue to raise your great great granddaughter as a 5 time champion spurs fan. We love you and our love will stay with you. Until I see you again with a big smile on your face, like always.

Pauline - April 16, 2020 at 10:15 PM

RC

“ To my loving Grandma. You will be missed and remembered for the rest of my life. I am sorry that you never got to meet your great granddaughter Reese. Until we see each other again, because I know we will. I will always love you. Love your grandson Ronnie Lee Cantu.



Ronnie Lee Cantu - April 16, 2020 at 09:29 PM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



April 16, 2020 at 07:10 PM

LS

“ Love Dave, Kathy, Jessie, Casey Amber, Stephen purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



Love Dave, Kathy, Jessie, Casey Amber, Stephen - April 16, 2020 at 04:47 PM

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“ Love Mary Garza, Diane & Jim Sley purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



Love Mary Garza, Diane & Jim Sley - April 16, 2020 at 04:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



April 16, 2020 at 03:47 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Manuela P. Cantu.



April 16, 2020 at 01:37 PM

LC

“ My Beautiful Tia always took good care of me when I visited. I always had fun with her and my Tio she will be dearly missed . I know she's in a better place and will watch over the family . To the family I wish I could be there I am sending my Love Prayers 🙏 and hugs ❤️

Louise Cantu - April 16, 2020 at 01:34 PM

EA

Words can't explain how caring and giving and loving and selflessness my aunt was if you had the honor to meet her then you know how special she was I can honestly say from deep in my heart and I believe in God that she is truly one of God's angels she will be forever missed deeply but we all know she's in a better place no I had to guess she's up there staring at all the angels and get them busy busy love you my family 🙏🙏❤️

Elizabeth Ambriz - April 16, 2020 at 01:47 PM

SP

Due to the unfortunate circumstances we weren't able to attend Our Condolences and Prayers are with Tio Joe and the Family Much Love to you Tia Mamie Sixto Perales Jr, & Anita Rosalez

Sixto Perales - April 19, 2020 at 04:15 PM