



## Marcella Ursula Eichelberger

September 20, 1929 - March 12, 2018

Marcella Ursula Eichelberger, daughter of Adolph and Anna Loeffler Zuehl, was born at home on September 20, 1929 in San Antonio, Texas. Marcella was the 7th of 10 children. After graduating from St. Gerard High School in 1947, she married John Richard (Dick) Eichelberger on August 9th. They drove to their first home in Akron, Ohio. All 3 of their children were born there. Marcella was very pleased when they all moved to San Antonio in 1960. She had a happy life and especially enjoyed western dancing and casino trips. At the age of 88, Marcella went to be with the Lord on March 12, 2018. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband Dick, her parents, and 6 of her siblings, Leroy, Alban, Adrian, Anna Marie, Magdalen and Adolph. Survivors include daughters, Linda Hunt (Curtis) and Jeanette Hilbig (Robert), and son John Eichelberger (Shirley), eight grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren, sisters Geraldine and Celestine and brother Francis.

Visitation will begin at 5:00 on Sunday, March 25, 2018 at Mission Park South and the vigil service will start at 7:00. The Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 10:30 on Monday, March 26th at St. Gerard Catholic Church. Interment will be April 5th at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Gerard Catholic Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 25. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

## Rosary

MAR 25. 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Mass

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MAR **26**. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Gerard Catholic Church  
1617 Iowa St.  
San Antonio, TX 78203

# Tribute Wall

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“ Ahhh, my first and most memorable encounter with Gramaw...was hearing her "whisper" to my future mother-in-law,"don't you think his hair's too long?!! " I was about 30ft away and heard her clear as a bell !!! I loved her right away and knew I had found a great family to be a part of. I'm going to miss her but I know Grampaw has been at the Pearly Gates glued to St. Peter and asking, "where's Marcella?!"

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**The boy with long hair...** - March 25, 2018 at 10:21 AM