



## Martha Nell Denney

August 20, 1932 - September 12, 2024

On September 12, 2024, Martha Nell Denney, a beloved mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away peacefully at the age of 92. Born in Plant

City, Florida, Martha moved to Columbus, Georgia, at 19, where she met and married her husband, William Denney. Their enduring marriage spanned 56 years.

As an Air Force wife, Martha embraced the opportunity to explore the world, living in various locations across the United States, including Washington, Missouri, Hawaii, Texas, and Georgia, as well as internationally in England and Germany.

Martha's professional life was marked by her dedication and organizational skills.

She served as a secretary at an insurance company, an executive assistant to the president at Lone Star Brewery, and spent over 20 years as the secretary and bookkeeper for her church. Her attention to detail and problem-solving abilities made her a trusted confidant to her supervisors.

A devoted Christian, Martha's faith was central to her life. She was actively involved in volunteering at her church, her children's school, and Wilford Hall Hospital. Known for her exceptional cooking, baking, and seamstress skills, Martha also enjoyed reading, gardening, and spending time with her family

and  
friends.

Martha is survived by her four children: Debra Schlagenhauf (and her husband  
Jeff), Marvin Denney, Lisa Compton (and her husband Bill), and Kenneth  
Denney

(and his wife Jaime). She is also remembered by her ten grandchildren:  
Allison

Weeks, Tim Schlagenhauf, Taylor Schlagenhauf, Nate Compton, Matt  
Compton,

Devin Denney, Emma Denney, Faith Denney, Grace Compton, and Samantha  
Denney, as well as her great-grandson, Oliver Schlagenhauf.

A burial service will be held on Monday, October 14th at 9:00a.m. at Fort Sam  
Houston

Cemetery in San Antonio, Texas.

# Cemetery Details

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

1520 Harry Wurzbach  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## **Graveside Service**

OCT **14**. 9:00 AM - 9:20 AM (CT)

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery  
1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd  
San Antonio, TX 78209  
(210) 820-3891

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Marvin and family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Martha Nell Denney.*



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**Marvin and family** - September 25, 2024 at 01:16 PM

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“ *Jeffrey S. purchased the Pure Heart for the family of Martha Nell Denney.*



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**Jeffrey S.** - September 25, 2024 at 01:11 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Martha Nell Denney.*



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September 23, 2024 at 07:27 AM

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“ *The Compton Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Martha Nell Denney.*



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**The Compton Family** - September 22, 2024 at 04:05 PM

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“ *Nell was one of my volunteers at Wilford Hall Ambulatory Surgical Center. She sat the front desk and did popcorn. She was always there when I needed her to be. I loved talking with her. She was missed greatly when she moved to GA but was so excited to be near family and her grandchildren. I know she will be greatly missed. My sincere condolences to her family and prayers. Terryca Fuller*

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**Hugh & Terryca Fuller** - September 21, 2024 at 05:42 PM