



## Mary Alice Martinez

January 19, 1942 - November 5, 2025

With sad and grateful hearts, our family announces that Mary Alice Martinez entered eternal rest on November 5, 2025, at the age of 83. Born in Southton, Texas on January 19, 1942, to Candido and Claudina Hernandez, Mary lived a life centered on faith, family, and making others feel at home.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents and her beloved husband, Arthur Martinez, Jr. She is survived by her daughters: Debra “Debbie” M. Anno (husband Jasen Anno), Cathleen “Cathy” Martinez-Lopez (husband Rick Lopez), and Cynthia “Cindy” A. Garcia; grandchildren: Jonathan Anno (wife Gabby Anno), Christopher Martinez, Colton Herrera, Horizon Bowerman (husband Wilmot Bowerman), Clarissa Martinez, Michael Garcia, and Lynzi Anno; and great-grandchildren: Drew Anno, Luke Anno, Alice Bowerman, Beau Johnson, and two new additions arriving soon. She is also lovingly remembered by numerous extended family members and friends.

A life full of love, joy, and tradition, Mary was a loving mom, grandma, great-grandma, and friend who brought joy to every room and would do anything for her family. She gave the best hugs, the kind that made worries fade and reminded you that you were home.

She loved Christmas and made the season sparkle with her traditions. The kitchen was her gathering place: making tamales, baking cookies, and making

sure everyone had a taste and a task. Holidays at Mom's were loud with laughter, full plates, and stories that grew better every year.

Mary delighted in traveling with her family, from spontaneous road trips to her favorite cruises. She enjoyed a good bingo night, the occasional casino visit, and turning ordinary days into small celebrations. A gifted maker at heart, she created and sold handmade crafts alongside her daughter Cindy filling homes and holiday fairs with pieces made with care and shared with love.

Grounded in faith and community, Mary cherished Sunday mass at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church with her granddaughter Clarissa. Mary's greatest joy was her grandchildren and great-grandchildren she bragged on them, prayed for them, and celebrated every milestone. Her legacy lives on in their laughter; in craft projects still hanging on walls and tucked on shelves; and in the countless memories of all holidays, family trips, lucky bingo cards, and the gentle comfort of her embrace.

Mary was deeply loved, she was our world and will be missed by all who knew her.

The family welcomes your favorite story or photo of Mary to keep her memory bright.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 9. 4:00 PM - 8:00 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 Mass

NOV 9. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Mass

NOV 14. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church  
1314 Fair Ave  
San Antonio, TX 78223

## Graveside Service

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NOV **14**. 2:00 PM (CT)

San Jose Burial Park  
8235 Mission Rd  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 923-0272

# Tribute Wall

SR

“ We will hold you in our hearts forever grandma.  
Thank you for filling our childhood with love and laughter.



**Stormye Rangel** - November 09, 2025 at 12:22 PM

SA

“ Stormye & Ari purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.



**Stormye & Ari** - November 09, 2025 at 12:16 PM

JD

“ Jimbo and Melanie Dycus purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.



**Jimbo and Melanie Dycus** - November 09, 2025 at 09:30 AM

JC

“ It was a pleasure seeing her on sundays for 8am mass.  
She will be missed but never forgotten.  
My deepest condolences to the family prayers for peace and comfort

**Jesse Cisneros** - November 08, 2025 at 08:12 PM

JB

“ Jeffrey & Janice Bowerman purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.



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**Jeffrey & Janice Bowerman** - November 08, 2025 at 02:58 AM

MI

“ Cathy, I'm heartbroken for you and your family. Your Mom was always very sweet and loving towards me, and I'm forever blessed for that. I loved her and wish I could have had one more hug from her. My condolences to Cindy and Debbie. Much love your way!

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**Mike** - November 07, 2025 at 09:23 PM

RR

“ Rob and Heidi Robertson purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.



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**Rob and Heidi Robertson** - November 07, 2025 at 08:47 PM

JM

“ I only met her once, but that's all it took to understand and feel her beautiful and kind spirit. My Family and I are thinking about you (Debbie) and your Family during this difficult time. May Mary's heavenly soul bring you all peace and comfort. - The Meade Family

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**James Meade** - November 07, 2025 at 03:19 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.*



November 07, 2025 at 08:41 AM



“ *Jackie & Hayden Edwards purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.*



**Jackie & Hayden Edwards** - November 07, 2025 at 07:39 AM



“ *To explain just how much mom meant to me is an impossible task, as she was my rock, my biggest cheerleader, and my dearest friend. Her love was a constant, unwavering presence that shaped me into the person I am today.. My mom's spirit lives on in our hearts and in the countless lives she touched.*

*Lowe you mom! Debbie*



**Debbie Anno** - November 06, 2025 at 10:49 PM

TS

“ TSSAS purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.



TSSAS - November 06, 2025 at 05:17 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mary Alice Martinez.



November 06, 2025 at 04:54 PM

DA

“ Love you forever Mom! Love Debbie



Debboe Anno - November 06, 2025 at 02:38 PM

DA

Love you forever Mom! ❤️❤️Debbie

Debboe Anno - November 06, 2025 at 02:39 PM