



## Mary L. Solloa

November 26, 1929 - July 10, 2019

Maria Luisa “Mary” Dominquez Solloa was born on September 26, 1929, in La Porte, TX, and went to be with the Lord on July 10, 2019, at the age of 89 in San Antonio, TX.

Mary grew up in the west side of San Antonio and, during her youth, was active in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Mary and her brother, Pete, owned the Dominguez Food Store, and she often shared fond memories of her customers from the neighborhood, many of whom would recognize her decades later around town. Mary obtained her real estate license and she especially enjoyed helping families become first-time homeowners.

In 1958, Mary married Roberto G. Solloa. They owned Glover’s Cleaners then later Alamo Uniforms, where they proudly manufactured women’s military uniforms. Mary and Roberto worked together for almost 30 years.

Mary became a member of St. Leonard’s Catholic Church in 1965, and, as president of the Guadalupanas, lead the effort to get church bells for the church. She enjoyed working alongside the other Guadalupanas to create the original Our Lady of Guadalupe grotto, and she valued the friendships formed with her Guadalupana sisters.

Friends and family lovingly call her “Licha.” She was a loving spirit, kind and fun, and had a quirky sense of humor. She loved fireworks during the holidays. Most of all, she loved spending time with her brothers and sisters,

her four daughters, and all the cousins. Mary was fashionable and loved music. She loved to travel to Las Vegas and Mexico, and she loved her San Antonio Spurs, never missing a game on TV.

Mary was a faithful devotee to her daily prayers to Our Lady of Guadalupe. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Roberto G. Solloa, and twelve brothers and sisters. She is survived by her daughters Nora Solloa (Ruben Castillo), Rebecca Solloa, Martha S. Garcia (Joe Garcia), and Bell Solloa, her grandchildren Lilly Garcia, Olivia Garcia and Jeremy R. Solloa; along with her sisters, Michaela Gonzales and Frances Rosales, numerous loving nephews and nieces, and a host of friends.

The family would like to give a special thanks to Trinity Hospice Care, especially Ruby, who met Mary with a smile every day, for the love and care she always showed her as she prepared her for the day. Additional thanks go out to her caregiver, Norma Cooremans, for giving her comfort every day she spent with her. We would especially like to thank her past CNAs Mary Ann and Martha, for three years of caring service, and her longtime physician, Dr. Robledo and the Wellmed staff.

Mary loved life and lived it fully, and she will be deeply missed..

For personal acknowledgement, you may sign the online guestbook at [www.missionparks.com](http://www.missionparks.com) in the obituary section.

PALM HEIGHTS MORTUARY  
3711 S. ZARZAMORA STREET  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78225  
210-924-4568

# Cemetery Details

## San Fernando Cemetery #2

746 Castroville Rd.  
San Antonio, TX 78237

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 16. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Palm Heights Mortuary  
3711 S Zarzamora St  
San Antonio, TX 78225  
(210) 924-4568  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Rosary

JUL 16. 11:30 AM (CT)

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3711 S Zarzamora St  
San Antonio, TX 78225  
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## Mass

JUL 16. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Leonard's Catholic Church  
8510 S. Zarzamora  
San Antonio, TX 78224

# Tribute Wall

RD

“ Rose December sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary L. Solloa



Rose December - March 12, 2021 at 05:54 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.



July 16, 2019 at 12:03 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.



July 15, 2019 at 11:37 PM

LP

“ Love, Edna Pena purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mary L. Solloa.



Love, Edna Pena - July 15, 2019 at 09:20 PM

PP

“ *Bell, Jeremy and family. So sorry to hear about Mary's passing. Sending our deepest condolences. A new door has now opened as a new life in heaven awaits. Love,  
Patty Purcell and Hunter Fell*

Patty Purcell - July 15, 2019 at 09:17 PM

BS

*Thank you Patty. We love you and Hunter.*

Bell Solloa - July 17, 2019 at 11:36 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.*



July 15, 2019 at 08:03 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.*



July 15, 2019 at 07:38 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.*



July 15, 2019 at 04:02 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.*



July 15, 2019 at 03:36 PM



“ *Mary Solloa helped create lifetime memories for my family by sharing her home on Thanksgiving and Easter .And we are eternally grateful.  
Cecelia Tapia and Family.*



**Cecelia Tapia** - July 15, 2019 at 01:00 PM



*You guys are our family.*

**Bell Solloa** - July 17, 2019 at 11:37 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.*



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July 15, 2019 at 12:49 PM



“ *Sending your family all of my love and sincerest condolences on your loss. Please let me know if I can help. <3*



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**Kelly Mini** - July 15, 2019 at 10:32 AM

**BS**

*Thank you Kelli. ❤️*

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**Bell Solloa** - July 15, 2019 at 06:44 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.*



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July 15, 2019 at 10:25 AM

FC

“ My most sincere condolences to the Solloa families especially to our good friend Becky (VLR)! Please accept my heartfelt sympathies from my family in Laredo.  
May she Rest In Peace!  
Frank Castillo and family.

Frank Castillo - July 14, 2019 at 06:26 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.



July 14, 2019 at 10:02 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary L. Solloa.



July 13, 2019 at 07:58 PM

JG

“ Whenever we were together having dinner she would always make sure I was well taken care of. Telling Martha to serve me more food , fill my drink, give me napkins. Martha would reply “he knows how to serve himself “ She would always save the sport pages for me if the Spurs were featured. She love me and I love her. I will miss her greatly. Especially during Spurs season.

Joe Garcia - July 12, 2019 at 11:11 PM

BS

*She loved you like you were her own Son, Joe! Probably because you're an extraordinary Dad to her granddaughters and Husband to Martha. We're all gonna miss her at the dinner table..*

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**Bell Solloa** - July 15, 2019 at 06:42 PM