



## Murray Barr

November 16, 1937 - September 25, 2020

Murray D. Barr went to heaven on September 25, 2020 in San Antonio, Texas. He was born on November 16, 1937 in Harlingen, Texas to Wilbur D. Barr and Ruth Margeva Baxendale. Mr. Barr is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Virginia Powell Barr; sons, Mark D. Barr (Marcia) and Scott D. Barr (Sherolene); sister, Diane Heatly; brother, Mike Barr (Diane); grandchildren, Lauren Ayala (Miguel), Taylor Barr, Hallie Simmons (Markell), Sammy Barr and Sawyer Barr. Nieces and nephews are: Michelle Bordelon (Mickey), Tracey Tourere, Michael Barr, Suzanne Heatly, and Barr Heatly (Jennifer).

Murray Barr was a man after God's own heart who served faithfully. He worked for Provine Studios for 42 years as a Professional School Photographer. He accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior in 1963 at University Park Baptist Church in response to a message from Pastor Jimmy Draper. His family is fruit from his faith. All of his children and grandchildren claim Jesus Christ as their Savior, largely because of the example Murray lived. Murray faithfully served for ten years as a cook and host, feeding the homeless for the Church Under the Bridge. He joyfully served as a 3-5 year-old Sunday School class teacher for fifteen years at Community Bible Church.

### SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Friday, October 9, 2020 from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. A Celebration of Murray's Life will be on

Saturday, October 10, 2020 at 10:00 am at Watershed Church, 9315 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas 78217. Graveside Service & Interment will immediately follow at Mission Burial Park North. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to <https://www.reachteachlove.org/donate>

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

MISSION PARK FUNERAL CHAPELS NORTH  
3401 CHERRY RIDGE DR.  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78230  
(210) 349-1414

# Cemetery Details

## Mission Burial Park North

20900 IH 10 West  
San Antonio, TX 78257

# Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

CF

“Murray was a great gentleman and friend, though I knew him as the excellent photographer calling on my school for years and years. He was always the finest combination of professional and personal anyone could imagine.

Chris Finger - October 11, 2020 at 12:08 PM

WW

“With love, Lynna Warren purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Murray Barr.



With love, Lynna Warren - October 06, 2020 at 03:17 PM

SW

“Murray and I taught Sunday school together around 20 yrs. Murray was a great teacher and friend to the kids. He was known as Mr. Murray and the kids were in awe of him . He was my mentor and taught me so much thru his words and actions. I will miss him greatly, but he is happy sitting at the Lords feet absorbing all he ever wanted to know. I bet his smile is so large I bet his face hurts. God bless his loving and caring wife, Ginny and all his family.

Sandy Wibracht  
Friend in Christ

sandy Wibracht - October 06, 2020 at 10:09 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Murray Barr.* ”



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October 05, 2020 at 02:03 PM



“ *Your Family and Friends at Trinity Baptist Church purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Murray Barr.* ”



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**Your Family and Friends at Trinity Baptist Church** - October 05, 2020 at 01:55 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Murray Barr.* ”



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October 05, 2020 at 12:15 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Murray Barr.* ”



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October 05, 2020 at 09:37 AM

SY

“ Murray was such a beloved man with everyone that knew him. Always a smile on his face and my precious husband Walt, deceased, considered Murray to be a very special friend and always looked forward to seeing him at church or the men's groups or Mancation. God is holding your hand Gini through these hard times, and you are in my prayers for healing. You and everyone will always miss him.

May the beauty of his soul and his countenance endure forever in the glory of God's creation. Murray lives on, cherished in all our memories. Rest in Eternal Peace Murray.

Sharron Yarbrough

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**SHARRON YARBROUGH** - October 01, 2020 at 06:11 PM

TC

“ The Johnson Family Georgia, Josh, Faith & Children purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Murray Barr.



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**The Johnson Family Georgia, Josh, Faith & Children** -  
October 01, 2020 at 02:45 PM

HH

“ Such a devoted man of faith. I was so sorry to hear of his passing. Sending my prayers and love to all the family.

Love,  
Holly Heatly

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**Holly Heatly** - October 01, 2020 at 12:56 PM

KM

“ I will remember all the fun times in the Rio Grande Valley With all the cousins. Rest In Peace. K Powell mortensen

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**K Mortensen** - September 29, 2020 at 07:21 PM

LW

“ Murray was a special person. We always enjoyed having Murray & Gini visit Reg & I in Plano. Murray would be in the kitchen helping me cook and clean up. Always a sweet man. Reg has been gone five years so I can relate to the loss the family feels. Murray will be missed.

Lynna

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**Lynna Warren** - September 29, 2020 at 06:54 PM

VB

“ I will always remember Murray with a smile on his face, in the company of family and friends who always welcomed me and mine. God bless the man.

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**Vic Blackburn** - September 28, 2020 at 03:14 PM