



## Olivia G. Yanez

July 1, 1952 - July 15, 2021

Olivia Garza Yanez-Cantu of San Antonio, TX passed away July 15, 2021 at the age of 69 years. Oliva was born on July 1, 1952 in Medina County, Texas to Juan S. and Gumesinda (Fuentes) Garza.

Olivia was a hard worker and wore many hats over the years; medical assistant, security guard, store manager, and care giver. None of the jobs held as much meaning as that of a care giver to her ailing sisters whom she lovingly cared for in their time of need. Her most treasured activity was spending time with her beloved grandson Eric.

On July 15, 2000 Oliva married Pedro "Pete" Cantu. They were married for twenty years, but together for twenty-five years. Their love was one of life's truly great second acts. Although they were not able to celebrate their twentieth anniversary due to Olivia's passing on that day, Pete will continue to treasure and rejoice in his love for Olivia.

She is preceded in death by her parents Juan and Gumesinda Garza, brothers Candelario, Alfredo "Fred", Juan "Johnnie", and Santiago "Jimmy" Garza; sisters Celia Spear, Francis Rodriguez, Guadalupe "Lupe" Hernandez, Angelita Garza and Dora Ytuarte.

She is survived by her husband Pedro Cantu, son Enrique "Henry" Yanez and wife Kelley, grandsons Eric Yanez and Isaiah Handsor; niece (honorary daughter) Dawn Garza; sister Maria Thomas and brother Ramon Garza and wife Maria. She is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews and other loved ones.

Visitation will be held at the Brookehill Funeral Home, San Antonio, on Wednesday, July 21, 2021 and will begin at 5:00 PM; Rosary will be recited at 7:00 PM. Funeral Service will be held at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church, San Antonio, on Thursday, July 22, 2021 at 10 AM with Interment to follow, at San Jose Burial Park.

Anyone wishing to attend services at the Funeral Home, Church, and/or graveside must wear a mask.

# Cemetery Details

## San Jose Burial Park

8235 Mission RD  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 923-0272  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 21. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home  
711 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 923-7523  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Rosary

JUL 21. 7:00 PM (CT)

Brookehill Funeral Home  
711 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 923-7523  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Funeral Mass

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JUL **22**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Cecilia Catholic Church  
125 W. Whittier St.  
San Antonio, TX 78210

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Olivia G. Yanez.* ”



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July 20, 2021 at 06:15 AM