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Patricia P. Rivera born in San Antonio, Texas on May 20, 1942; went to be with the Lord on April 19, 2021 at the age of 78. Patricia was a San Antonio College Graduate and served 50 years as a U.S. Government contractor. She is preceded in death by her parents Jose and Maria Gonzales. Survivors include her beloved husband Emidgio Valdez, 2 daughters Josie Castilleja (David Thomas), and Mary Garcia Vega (Lee Vega), 2 sons Jose and Richard Garcia, 3 sisters Olga G. Ernst, Rachel Guzman and Rosemary Robertson, 14 grandchildren: Johnny, Michael, Shannen, Robert, Patrick, Ezra “Cuddle Bug”, Joann, Stephanie, Joey, Joe, Richard Jr., Jade, Khloe and Seth, 5 great grandchildren: Mikey, Karmine, LeiLani “Mi Nena”, Penelope and Malakai and other loving family members and friends.

She will be dearly missed by all you who knew her.

“Our mama loved her bingo, until we meet again at our table”

Visitation will begin on May 1, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. with a Celebration of Life service to begin at 6:30 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South.

In accordance with CDC safety precautions, we ask to wear a mask and practice social distancing. There will be limited seating for services. For everyone's safety please honor the family from a distance. We kindly thank you in advance.

For personal acknowledgement, you may sign the online guestbook at www.missionparks.com in the obituary section.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 1. 5:00 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 and Service

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Tribute Wall

PR

“ I just found out about her passing and it breaks my heart. Pat was a very kind and loving person. I had the privilege of working with her when I was with the 772nd. It was a comfort to know that even though there were a lot of new faces in Bay 3 the one I could always count on to see was Pat.

To the family....I am so sorry for your loss. My heart and prayers go out to all of you....especially her grandchildren whom she cherished. God bless

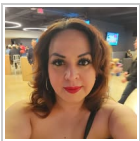
Although I didn't see you very often since I left the 772....I miss you and I'm so heartbroken that I didn't get to see you one last time. Big big hugs Pat. Big big hugs

Patricia Rodriguez - May 11, 2021 at 07:59 PM

TG

My condolences to Pat's family. I knew her at 772 Port San Antonio Kelly AFB. I would give her info and she would give me info. I truly considered her my friend. I appreciated her. God bless you and her family.

Teresa Gonzales - August 06, 2021 at 11:51 PM



“ Miss Pat you were a light in my life. I still can't believe that you're gone. I'll miss you so much. I already do. May you rest peacefully in paradise my friend. Praying for your entire family and all of your loved ones that you adored during this difficult time.



Nina Garcia - April 30, 2021 at 07:42 PM

VR

“ Ms Pat you will be missed. I enjoyed working with you and your friendship. May God Bless You.
Vangie

Vangie Rodriguez - April 30, 2021 at 06:32 PM

SR

“ My Lovely and beautiful Tia!! I love you!! you are with the Angels!! and with Grandma :(Well truly be missed until we meet again.



Sandra Ramos - April 30, 2021 at 11:04 AM

ME

“ Ms Patty, I so enjoyed working with you. You were always so eager to assist others in our office, no matter who it was. You were a world of knowledge who helped others all the way up to your last days with us. Thank you, you will be missed.
Your co-worker, Margie Espitia

MARGIE ESPITIA - April 28, 2021 at 10:28 PM

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“ Oh mamma how I miss you so much I'm so lost without you and broken 😞
Your my heart my life my everything ❤️
Missing our conversations and our Blngo nights
Cause that's what you Loved to do
May you RIP Momma
I love and miss you so much ❤️
My Queen 👑

Josie Castilleja (Daughter) - April 24, 2021 at 04:23 PM