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Dr. Patricia Louise Parker Thompson (Granny), 74, passed into our Lord's loving embrace on October 3, 2017, in San Antonio, Texas. She was born on February 18, 1943, in San Antonio to Ruth Schuette and Wilson Cavitt Parker. On August 3, 1963, she married Roy Wayne Thompson (Grumpy) at Travis Park Methodist Church in San Antonio. Together they raised three daughters and two "adopted" daughters. She graduated from Thomas Edison HS, Trinity University (San Antonio), University of Texas San Antonio and University of Texas Austin, with studies at numerous other universities around the United States.

Dr. Pat had a widely varied professional career including teaching blind students, introducing computers to the small business world in the early 1980s, managing various medical facilities and (finally) teaching University History at UTSA and SAC. Dr. Pat retired from teaching in May 2013, however she never stopped lecturing.

In her spare time she was a baker, artist, candle maker, jewelry maker, musician, seamstress, stamper, knitter, quilter, writer and all around SuperMom. She was active in LLL, multiple church ministries, 4-H shooting sports, UTSA History Department and Committees, AACOG, Mac Arthur High School Band, and the Episcopal Diocese of West Texas.

She is preceded in death by her Parents, her brother Wilson Jr. and his wife Betty and brother-in-law Doug Knapton.

She is survived by the Thompson Army, including her husband of 54 years Roy, her daughters Jennifer Rene Thompson, Rebecca Lynn Thompson Watson, and Joy Elizabeth Lawrence; their partners Micheal Lynn Betz, Jr., Barry Dale Watson and Robert James Lawrence; "Adopted" daughters Susan Claire Hunnicutt Ennis and Mavis Kimball; Her Grandsons Calvin Michael Thompson, Alexander Lee Thompson, Brannon Keller, Wilson Parker, Connor Quinn, William Peter, James Ryan Stanlee and recently "adopted" Connor Randall Bryan as well as her Sister Leona (Nonie) Knapton and Nieces and Nephews Peggy O'Connell, Sally Van Alstyne, Tom Parker Van Alstyne, Pam Knapton, Susie Van Alstyne and Amy Knapton Vega. An extended and surrogate family too numerous to list.

Her Celebration of Life is scheduled for October 15, 2017 at 2:00pm in St. George Episcopal Church located at 6904 West Avenue San Antonio, Texas with party to follow. Easter Attire requested.

While Dr. Granny Pat loved flowers, the family is asking that you donate to Christian Assistance Ministry, Vitas Inpatient Hospice, or your favorite charity (anything except the Republican Party).

Previous Events

Celebration of Her Wonderful Life

OCT **15**. 2:00 PM (CT)

St. George Episcopal Church
6904 West Ave
San Antonio, TX 78213

Tribute Wall



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Dr. Patricia Thompson (Granny).*



October 13, 2017 at 10:37 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dr. Patricia Thompson (Granny).*



October 07, 2017 at 03:36 PM



“ *Jennie, what a blessing your mother must have been! Such a colorful tribute! May you and your family find comfort in the sweet memories.*

Linda Zedler Talley

Linda Zedler Talley - October 05, 2017 at 10:07 AM