



Pete T. Casias

February 6, 1936 - March 1, 2019

CASIAS

Captain Pete Casias, Jr. SAPD (Ret) passed away on March 1, 2019 in San Antonio, Texas. He was born on February 6, 1936 in Somerset, Texas to Pedro G. Casias, Sr. and Anita Tijerina Casias. Pete was preceded in death by his sister, Mary Alice Arguello; and brother, Dan T. Casias. He is survived by his loving wife of 63 years, Dolores Diaz Casias; daughter, Gilda Robinson (Davis); sons, Pete Casias, III (Cristela), Roland Casias and Ralph Casias (Nora); sister, Gloria Langnar (Paul); 10 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; and numerous nieces & nephews.

Pete served in the US Army from 1954-1957, he attained the rank of Sergeant and served in the 11th Airborne Division (Angels). He served in the Army reserves until 1963. In 1959 Pete joined the San Antonio Police Department where he served for 31 years. There he promoted through the ranks to Captain, always striving as a progressive innovator to improve policies, ideas and methods in policing. In 1987 Pete was the Commander of the security detail for the Papal visit of Pope John Paul II, where he had the honor of meeting the Pope. He inspired his sons Pete and Roland and they followed in his footsteps, both also retiring from the SAPD.

Pete received his master's degree, MBA, from St Mary's University. He was

active in the community and was a member of the Alamo Silver Wings and a supporter of LULAC Council #2. Pete was crowned REY FEO from 1978-1979 and enjoyed his royalty duties. Pete touched many lives and he will be missed by all.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 from 6:00pm-9:00pm, with a Rosary at 7:00pm at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. A Funeral Mass will be held on Wednesday, March 13, 2019 at 9:30am at St. Paul's Catholic Church, with interment to follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.

For personal acknowledgement, you may sign the online guestbook at 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

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Service

MAR 13. 9:30 AM (CT)

St. Paul Catholic Church
350 Sutton Dr.
San Antonio, TX 78228

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Pete T. Casias*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - March 12, 2019 at 08:34 AM

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“ *My condolences to the Casias Family I met Mr. Casias while he was doing security at a apartment complex Mr. Casias was such a nice man always said Hi ! A man who was very much respected .
Mary Ann Malloy*



Mary Ann Malloy - March 12, 2019 at 06:24 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Pete T. Casias.*



March 11, 2019 at 02:17 PM

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“ I have many memories of you and your family. I was blessed to have been part of your family. God bless you and keep you. May you Rest In Peace. Much love to Dolores and your whole family.
Suzanne

Suzanne Cabriales - March 10, 2019 at 03:53 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Pete T. Casias.



March 09, 2019 at 01:21 PM

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“ Great Grandpa Casias a blessing in our life! We love you! Gina and Gior

gina - March 05, 2019 at 04:49 PM