



Petra Martinez Medina

June 29, 1938 - September 14, 2024

With profound sadness, we announce the passing of Petra Medina, wife, devoted mother, and friend to all whose lives she touched; on September 14, 2024, she was 86 years old.

Petra was a check-out clerk for a grocery store for over 25 years. She enjoyed seeing what customers bought. If it looked interesting, she would buy it and bring it home. She also enjoyed interacting with the customers. She retired and then unretired to work for a boss who asked her to work for him at a different location. Then, after a few years, she finally retired.

The most essential loving thing about her was that she was witty, funny, and affectionate. She was a great cook. She always brought out the best in people. She loved to go to dances and listen to Mariachi and Norteña Mexican music. She liked creating crafts and playing with the great-grandchildren. She enjoyed playing Loteria, Left, Center, Right (LCR-a dice game), sitting outside, eating out, and watching the rain.

Petra is survived by her husband Ramon, her children, Ruben (Victoria) Ortega, Emma (Alan) Wolfgram, Cynthia (Roy) Balderas, Beverly (Charles, deceased) Botti, and Karen Ortega.

Petra leaves behind nine grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Petra was preceded in death by her siblings, Roberta Urrera, Martina Herrera, and Janie (Moises, deceased) Gomez.

Her surviving brothers are Angel Martinez and Johnny Martinez.

Cemetery Details

San Jose Burial Park

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

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 21. 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories
1700 SE Military Dr
San Antonio, TX 78214
(210) 924-4242
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Graveside Service

SEP 21. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My Dearest Mother, you have been the greatest in showing me love and respect, even though sometimes I would upset you. Loved how you showed your love to my son and having him try different foods. You were always thinking of us, when you would see something at work that you thought we might like and buy it for us. Your awesome wit and funny way of giving out your recipes, a little of this and a pinch of that and just do this. The fond memories of all the parties, camping, playing games and seeing you play, color and paint with the great grand kids. Thank you for all you have done and continue to do for me, as I remember you throughout my life.* ”

Karen - September 21, 2024 at 02:33 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Petra Martinez Medina.* ”



September 20, 2024 at 09:34 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Petra Martinez Medina.* ”



September 20, 2024 at 09:22 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Petra Martinez Medina.*



September 19, 2024 at 11:26 PM



“ *Beverly Botti (daughter) purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Petra Martinez Medina.*



Beverly Botti (daughter) - September 19, 2024 at 01:53 PM



“ *Mother, you are the brightest light in a sky full of stars. It saddens me that you passed away. You are so important to me. I love you with the soul of my being. Mother in heaven, thank you for always loving me and guiding me. Even though you are no longer here with me, I can still feel your love guiding me. You are an extraordinary person. I have many loving memories of you. I know you never truly leave us. You are in my heart forever and every day. Things will never be the same without you. I miss you and wish you did not have to leave us. I know you are rejoicing with your loved ones and in peace.*

Beverly Botti - September 19, 2024 at 01:43 PM

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“ *The Sanderson Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Petra Martinez Medina.*



The Sanderson Family - September 19, 2024 at 01:28 PM