



Sandra Cobb Mabry

August 4, 1931 - May 14, 2011

Sandra Cobb Mabry was born on August 4, 1931 in San Antonio, Texas and went to be with the Lord on May 14, 2011, from complications due to heart valve surgery. She will always be remembered as vibrant, spirited and passionate about family, children and dance. She was the owner of Earle Cobb Dance Studio established in 1929 by her father Earle Cobb. She has molded, inspired, and touched the lives of hundreds of dance students over the years. She has developed self-esteem and integrity in every student. Sandra has received many cards from her students and the theme of all the cards was her smile, "I miss your smile when I walk in the studio", "I miss seeing your smiling face when I walk in the door after a bad day at school." She was an avid tennis player who enjoyed the time on the court as much as the lunch with her teammates after every match and was a Texas Longhorn fan whose Burnt Orange blood ran deep for every one of the sports and the education. Sandra was also an Alpha Chi Omega at the University of Texas. She was not only a mother to her 3 girls, but the hundreds of dance students and her husband's tennis players as well. Sandra also had many lifelong friends who have remained an important part of her life. She is survived by her loving and devoted husband of 56 years, Clarence Mabry; daughters, Terri Mabry, Sandi Mabry Hill and Dena Mabry; brother, Earle Cobb, Jr.; son-in-law, Steven M. Hill and granddaughter, Talia Hill.

SERVICES

A Service will be held on Wednesday, May 18, 2011, at St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church at 1:00 PM. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Sandra and Clarence Mabry Scholarship Fund, 2610 Ashton Village Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78248. Everyone that knows Sandra would know that she loved the color purple, so "WEAR YOUR PURPLE."

Tribute Wall

NM

“ Terry and family
Your Mother taught my daughter Lisa dance for many years. She provided a very possitive influence on her life. I will always be appreciative of that. You and your family are in our prayers during this difficult time.

Nick and Ann Makris - May 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ Dear Dena and Mabry family, I wish to express my deepest condolences for the loss of your mom. Your love and grace will shine thru and be remembered always thru Dena's smile, voice and love for the Earle Cobb family. Rest now for you are our new guardian a

Maribel Tichota - May 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ To the Mabry Family:
I am truely sorry for your loss: we all lost a true mentor and friend. Mrs. Mabry was one of the first teachers I had at Earle Cobb; it was her uplifting spirit that helped me to feel welcomed and become a more confident and fun-I

Conner Bree Tichota, Maribel Tichota & Jeffrey Allan Tichota - May 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Mrs. Mabry was the friendliest, kindest lady. I took dance classes in high school from Earl Cobb, even years later made me feel like she knew exactly who I was. She made everyone feel so loved and welcome.

Carol Rosenberg Baskin - May 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ My prayers and sympathy are with the entire Mabry family. Sandra was my dance teacher at Mount Sacred Heart and, if it wasn't for her willingness to transport us to dance classes after school, many of us with working parents would have never set foot in

Rita Fox Duggan - May 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Mabry Family - I am sending my deepest condolences for Sandra's passing. It was a sad day when I got the news on Sunday. My thoughts quickly went to how she was so caring, friendly, loving and like a mom to all of us kids. Then my thoughts went to you Den

Steve Meyer - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ Terry and family, our thoughts and prayers with you at this very difficult time. I can't imagine what you went through those last few days having to make such a difficult decision. We're praying you find some solace and peace in the days ahead. Love you!

Sandra Lynum - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ Terri, Joe and I are so sorry to learn of your mother's death. Please know that your mother, you and your family will be in our daily prayers.

Gayle Ketchum and Joe Long - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ *My sincerest condolences to the entire Mabry family. I still have the fondest memories meeting, working, and playing at T-M when it was first established. Sandra was the cool driving force in the family. Does not seem like it was some 40 years ago. Wo*

Denis Abernethy - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ *Terri, Sandi and Dena, I extend my deepest sympathy in learning of the passing of your mom. I loved Sandra and will always remember how much she cared for her students. She was the epitome of a good teacher and wonderful person. My prayers are with*

Beckie Adame Kretzer - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ *Terri, so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. A BIG Hug my dear friend, thinking of you!!*

Marty Gonzalez - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ *I took many a dance class from Sandra from age 5 to 18 and remember her joy for dance, gentle but FIRM instruction and love for her family. My childhood was impacted in such a positive way because of our association with Earle Cobb Dance Studio, and I'm*

Lisa Makris Dowling - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TT

“ Terri: Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this very sad time. Having lost my mom 7 years ago I can only tell you that time does ease the grief of your loss, but for the present, lean on those that are here to support you. I have a quote I would I

Tawana & Mark Timberlake - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ Our prayers are with you!

Brian and Paty Evans - May 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Coach, Terri, Sandi, Dena,
Our thoughts and prayers are with
you at this time. Love, Bohn and Boodles.

Bohn and Vivien Smith - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Terri I was saddened to hear about the passing of your mother my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in this difficult time. God Bless you all. Mark and Shirlene

Shirlene Biediger - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Terri, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. I know you were very close. Please remember that your friends are always here for you. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your entire family.

Lorraine Wright - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Sandra was my dancing teacher since 1956 when I was 8 yrs old. She remained my close friend all these years with our children and then my granddaughters. She will always have a special place in my heart and I'm heartbroken now that she is gone. I'm so so

Jeanne DeSha Ruffo - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Terri, I know you will miss your Mother the rest of your life because I still miss mine but always know you will always be together in your memories and your heart....All your friends love you and are there for you at any time...Many blessings to you and

Mary Mays - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ My prayers and condolences to Sandra's family. I'll always remember her as the wonderfully loving person she was. We played tennis together many years at Northern Hills and they will always be special memories to me. May God help you through this sad t

Sue Harmon - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Deanna Coleman - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family she will truley be missed.Erin loved dancing there and surely misses it there at dance.

Sharon Preslar - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Terri, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Dinah

Dinah Covert - May 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Terri & Tina, my thoughts & prayers are with you during this most difficult time.

Peggy Fudge - May 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during your time of sorrow. Love you all.

Brenda Fudge Massengale - May 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Terri,
Our deepest condolences to you and your entire family. The love and closeness that your family shares is an inspiration, and your mother is a tribute to women everywhere on how to be the nucleus of that unity. May God surround your family with I

Julie Meek - May 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Clarence, we haven't the words to express our condolences. It seems like just yesterday we were on the courts together at the club. You and your family will be in our prayers.

Ricks & Barbara

Ricks & Barbara Wilson - May 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *Mrs. Mabry was an incredible woman. She not only taught me dance, but about life. She was one of the many people that helped me fall in love with dancing and made it so enjoyable. Her passion and sweet smile will be missed.*

Kesa Armstrong - May 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Mabry family. We only had the pleasure of knowing Mrs. Mabry a few years but she was an incredible lady. She truly had a love for all the young people who entered her studio and has touched so many lives in so many wa*

Stacey Barry - May 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM