



Sarah R. Rodriguez

March 8, 1927 - July 16, 2008

Sarah R. Rodriguez passed peacefully into her next life Wednesday, July 16, 2008, surrounded by her loving family at the age of 81. Because of her dedication, determination, intelligence and elegant social graces, Sarah made local history when she became the first female clerk in the Bexar County District Clerk's Office in 1953. "Miss Sarah", as she was known, served proudly as district clerk for 40 years to Judge Sol Casseb and Judge Peter Michael Curry before retiring in 1993. She was certified in 1979, by the Texas Center for the Judiciary in Court Management. She was born in San Antonio to Leon and Hortense Rodriguez and spent in her lifetime living in Corpus Christi and Galveston. She was preceded in death by her devoted husband of 36 years, Lt. Robert Vidal Rodriguez, her beloved parents, brothers and sisters. She is survived by her three loving sons, Robert Larry Rodriguez, James Leonard Rodriguez, and Alfred Lionel Rodriguez; and two daughters-in-law, Elba Alicia Rodriguez, and Jannette Rodriguez. She blessed the lives of her eleven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Sarah was a devout, practicing Catholic and an active member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help where she participated as treasurer of the Altar Society and the choir. Over her lifetime, she diligently served her family and community. She was a member of Las Guadalupanas, the Ladies's Lulac Council #187, the Southside Lyons and a supporter for the Spanish American Baseball League. She was also a frequent court-appointed Ad Litem for many adoption

cases. One of her favorite past times was traveling. She was quite the traveler and enjoyed many family journeys to various destinations like Rockport Beach, Virginia, California, New York and of course, Las Vegas and Coushatta.

Sarah was endlessly dedicated to nurturing and caring for her entire family, including her loyal friends. Her kindness, generosity and boundless energy affected all those who knew her. Her beautiful presence and warm spirit will be greatly missed by all of her loved ones. A rosary will be held Sunday, July 20, at 7:00 p.m. at Mission Park South Funeral Chapel, 1700 SE Military Drive. A memorial mass celebrating her life will be conducted Monday, July 21, at 1:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, 818 South Grimes Street. An interment will follow to San Fernando Cemetery Number 2. Her church will be hosting a reception in her honor at the church hall of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, immediately after the memorial service

Tribute Wall

LR

“ *My aunt Sarah, the seraphim has been called home. I guess another angel was needed in heaven where she is in good company with all her sisters and brothers, her mom and dad, plus her beloved husband, Robert. She was always there for ALL of us, not just*

Larry Rodriguez - July 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

IG

“ *Our deepest condolence at the lost of your mother. She will be greatly missed.*

Irene Gomez wife of Retired Fireman Rene Gomez - July 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ *My deeepest condolences to the Rodriquez family. May the Lord give your mother resting peace and your family is in my thoughts and prayers. Mrs. Elba Rodriguez may God give you peace at this sad time. Love and prayers. Rudy*

Rudy Galindo - July 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ *My deepest sympathy to your family in this profound loss. I had contact with Sarah through my job as a legal secretary for many years and have always had the greatest respect and admiration for her - she was a unique lady. May friends comfort you, your*

Patricia Krawetz - July 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *Dear James
My deepest sympathy on your Mother's death. She was a very gentle and caring and a genuinely nice person who I had the pleasure of getting to know at the courthouse. Please give my condolences to the other members of your family.*

Sam Aaron - July 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *We were so sorry to hear of Sarah's passing. She was such a kind and beautiful lady who was always so gracious to everyone she knew. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.*

Joe and Diana Segura - July 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

IS

“ *my condolence to the Rodriguez family, my prayers are with all the family members, including Mrs. Alba Rodriguez and Mr. Rodriguez. God will take good care of your mother because she is in heaven.
Mr. Villalobos*

isidorovillalobos - July 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ *As an attorney I came in contact with Miss Sarah a lot. Although she was extremely intelligent and very knowledgable about her job, she always made you feel comfortable. She was always kind and helpful. She always had a smile on her face. You could not*

Ray Harris Adams - July 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ I remember Ms Rodriguez from the early 80's when I was a new lawyer. She was always so kind, helpful, patient, and elegant. I missed her dearly when she retired. She was wonderful.

Sally Justice - July 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ To the entire family, my prayers are with you.

Carlos G. Angelini

Carlos G. Angelini - July 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

E.

“ Amy & the Rodriguez Family,

Love never leaves. It lives within our hearts.
My Condolences & prayers are with you.

E.Lopez - July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



Thank you.

Amy Rodriguez - July 15, 2020 at 09:24 AM

IH

“ Aunt Sarah..... You are a wonderful person and will be deeply missed. There will be a very big void in our lives since your departure. My greatest satisfaction is that you are finally reunited with your loved ones, and in the Lord's hands.

Irene Hernandez - July 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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