



Shari Martinez

October 11, 1968 - September 4, 2021

Shari Lee (Hopkins) Martinez graced the world with her presence on the 11th day of October 1968 in San Antonio, Texas. Born the daughter of the loving couple Mr. Thomas Patrick Hopkins and the late Mrs. Donna Lynn Hopkins, she, along with her brother, took care her family's affairs until her final days. She is survived by her best friend and husband Marty Martinez, her doting father, Thomas P. and her younger brother, Lesley Hopkins (Lisa). Further survived by nieces: Syrena and Sage (Taylon) and great nieces and great nephews: Kinsley, Lilly, Jaedyn and Grayson and beloved pet Chihuahua, Synko. She is also survived by countless friends who will remember her for her gentle nature and kind demeanor. She graduated from East Central High School and became a lifelong learner. In her youth Shari held several jobs such as store clerk to daycare assistant. She worked at Hill Country Steel Fabrication (HCS) for over 22 years where she met a cast of characters whom she held dearly in her heart. HCS was also the place where her generosity led her to form a not-for-profit organization, Three Helping Hearts, with some of her co-workers. Three Helping Hearts was committed to delivering God's Love to orphaned, at-risk, disabled and less fortunate children and teens in the form of personalized gifts, food and fellowship with Santa Claus. Besides her love for God, Family, Texas and Country Shari loved to watch cooking shows and reality shows like Big Brother and The Amazing Race. She and Marty founded Moon and Stars Productions a multi-media arts and entertainment company. Providing joy via DJ services and personalized Christmas cards. Traveling

was also a passion of hers. Although most of her adventures took her within the continental United States, she loved experiencing new places and people. She was an excellent marksman and was deadly accurate with her .38 Special. Among her myriad of interests, Shari loved to color, organize, people watch, spread joy and laughter and dance. She was a quiet, reserved and shy person but had a personality that, when asked to describe her most, if not all, people would say, "She is so sweet."

Shari finally succumbed to her illnesses on the 4th day of September 2021 at 3:55pm surrounded by family. The family would like to thank all of her doctors over the years, but they would like to especially thank the ICU team at Mission Trails Baptist Hospital for helping her transition from this life to the next comfortably and peacefully.

Family and friends are invited to a celebration of Shari's life at a visitation from 4pm to 7pm and Memorial Service from 7pm to 8pm on Saturday, September 18th, 2021, at Mission Park Funeral Home, 1700 SE Military Dr, San Antonio, TX 78214.

In lieu of flowers the Family would like you to consider donating in memory of Shari to the Scleroderma foundation at scleroderma.org and/or the American Lung Association at lung.org to help people research and combat these terrible diseases.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **18**. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories

1700 SE Military Dr

San Antonio, TX 78214

(210) 924-4242

<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Tribute Wall

JG

“ *The life, love and sweetness of our sister Shari will truly be missed. Shari's beauty radiated both inside and out. Thank you for placing your unconditional love in my brother's heart. We love you.* ”



Judy Garcia - September 19, 2021 at 12:37 AM

JM

“ *My condolences to Shari's husband and family. We thank u all for for having introduced us to a wonderful , most kind woman we could ever have met .* ”



Joe and Rose Martinez - September 18, 2021 at 06:04 PM

CL

“ *Our sincerest condolences to the Hopkins and Martinez Family! Respectively, Scott and Chris LaFond* ”

chris Lafond - September 17, 2021 at 10:48 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Shari Martinez.* ”



September 16, 2021 at 03:25 PM

LH

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Les Hopkins - September 13, 2021 at 12:33 PM

JG

“ Just to let you know James lam truly sorry for your loss. I will never forget Shari and her beautiful smile. From the day I celebrated your guys wedding to the very moment our family lost her. She will be missed in my ❤️. Plz accept my condolences and I know she will always be with us.

Jose luis garcia - September 11, 2021 at 09:46 PM