



## Shirley A. Albert

October 29, 1933 - November 7, 2018

Shirley Ann Vallance Albert, a long-time resident of San Antonio, passed away peacefully the 7th of November at home surrounded by family. She was preceded in death by her parents, Harry George Vallance, Jr. and Mabel Hinton Peirce Vallance.

Born in 1933 in San Antonio, Shirley graduated from Brackenridge High School in 1951. She worked for many years as an Executive Secretary at the UT Health Science Center then later, when all the children were in school, worked as an Executive Secretary at GPM Life Insurance Company until her retirement in 1988.

Shirley was a member of Grace Lutheran Church for many years where she enjoyed singing in the choir.

Shirley enjoyed an active social life and belonged to many community organizations including: The APHCC (Association of Plumbing Heating Cooling Contractors) Women's Auxiliary, the San Antonio Conservation Society, the San Antonio Executive Association Women's Auxiliary and the San Antonio Lutheran Coronation Association.

Shirley loved reading, painting, spending time with her many grandchildren and great-grandchildren, doing needlework and sewing. Shirley was an

excellent seamstress and among many other accomplishments sewed numerous gowns and capes for her children who participated in the Lutheran Coronation.

She is survived by her beloved and devoted husband of 50 years, Kenneth Raymond Albert and their children: Michael Raymond and his wife Judy; Suzanne Adele, Tamara Elaine, Deborah Anne and Alicia Albert Pape and her husband Edward. She will be missed by her grandchildren Nicholas Albert, Andrew Albert, Tyler Albert, Geoffrey Albert, Sarah Pape, Emily Pape and Michael K. Albert and by her great-grandchildren, Riana and Ellie Albert and Bentley and Eleanor Albert.

# Cemetery Details

## Mission Burial Park South

1700 SE Military Dr.  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
<http://www.missionparks.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

NOV 12. 11:00 PM (CT)

Grace Lutheran Church  
504 Ave E  
San Antonio, TX 78215

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The death of a spouse is different than any other loss. It changes every single thing in your world. The way your eat changes. Your interests changes and even the family dynamic changes. Essentially you are left with a life you never asked for. Nothing can prepare you for such a loss. Isaiah 66:13 says ‘ like a man whom his own mother keeps comforting, so I (God) myself shall keep comforting you people ‘ . So keep in praying to the God of all comfort and he will be with you in this difficult time.*

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**Cynthia Puente** - November 09, 2018 at 12:00 PM

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*Ken and family, Clem and I are so sorry for your loss. You are are in our prayers.*

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**Gayle Gates** - November 11, 2018 at 07:59 AM

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*I did not get the pleasure of meeting Shirley Albert but I know and work with her Grandson Tyler and have met her husband. Through hearing about her, there is not any doubt that she was loved and cherished. Tyler and family, Please accept The Sabinal Group's most heartfelt sympathies for your loss...our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

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**Sabinal Group** - November 12, 2018 at 11:50 AM