



## Vilma Antequera Fernandez

September 23, 1937 - February 24, 2024

In Loving Memory of Vilma Antequera Fernandez

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It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of Vilma Antequera Fernandez, who departed from this world on February 24, 2024. She was born on September 23, 1937 and lived a life marked by love, compassion, and unwavering strength.

Vilma was born and raised in Barranquilla, Colombia. She studied teaching at El Colegio Barranquilla Para Señoritas. She taught elementary school for almost 10 years before moving with her husband and two young children to the United States in 1966. She eventually settled in the San Antonio area in 1972. She loved the U.S. and especially San Antonio, but never lost her love for her native Colombia. She was very active in the Asociación Amigos de Colombia of San Antonio for many years, including serving as President of the association.

Vilma was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She was known for her love of family, friends, music, sports (Astros, Spurs and most of all the Colombian National Soccer team) and travel (she loved to cruise and always enjoyed the beach). Despite many challenges Vilma approached life with optimism due to her deep faith in God.

Vilma is survived by her daughter Vilma “Vilmi” Fernandez Sucy (Matthew), son Robert Fernandez (Stephanie), 5 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. In this time of sorrow, may we find solace in the memories we

shared and the lessons she imparted. Her spirit will forever live on in the hearts of those who had the privilege of calling her a friend, a mother, or simply “GranmaMita”.

A rosary will be held on March 15th at St. Matthew Catholic Church in San Antonio, TX at 1:30pm, with a funeral Mass at 2:00pm. A Celebration of Life to honor Vilma will follow at 3:00pm in the St. Matthew Parish Hall. Friends and family are invited to join together to honor and remember her.

As we bid farewell to Vilma, let us remember the light she brought into our lives and the enduring impact she made on all who knew her. May her soul rest in eternal peace.

# Cemetery Details

## Mission Park Funeral Chapels and Cemetery Dominion

20900 IH 10 West  
San Antonio, TX 78257  
(210) 698-5252

# Previous Events

## Graveside

MAR 16. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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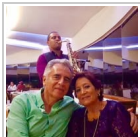
“ I loved the memories sitting on the patio at the beach with your mom, me sweating like crazy, and her barely glistening. I always complimented her beautiful skin and she loved to tell me “I’m from the tropics, Kristie”. 😊. I still have my tea towel that she made for me on our last trip together in Florida. I will always treasure it and the time I was able to spend with her. She was a beautiful lady. And she was SO proud of her family...rightly so!

Kristie Snell - March 17, 2024 at 10:46 PM

JE

“ My mom met your mom through the Association of Colombianos. Their brief meeting ended up becoming a lifetime of memories and a lasting friendship till my mom passed away in 2010. Your mom’s brother worked next to the same office my mom worked in, in Colombia. Small world! Your grandma, Señora Eva, was the grandmother for my sisters wedding (we had lost all of grandparents at the time). Of course, I remember Tico’s medical school graduation and your beautiful wedding with Robert. She came to my house to help me get ready on the day of my wedding, with Omar. I could go on and on....such Beautiful memories! I will miss her!!!

Judy Watts Enriquez - March 15, 2024 at 02:31 PM



“ Vilmi, Tico y familia , desde Barranquilla reciban de parte de Ligia y mía un afectuoso abrazo , orando a Dios para que les de consuelo, y los guíe para superar su dolor en estos difíciles momentos. Ustedes saben que Vilma para mí fue como una hermana y su recuerdo estará siempre en nuestros corazones.Dios los bendiga a todos. ROBERTO Y LIGIA.

Roberto Navarro - March 15, 2024 at 11:17 AM

LE

*Vilmi and Tico. On behalf of my family and I ,please accept our heartfelt condolences. I am sad to learn of your dear mother's passing. Your Mom was my moral support when I went through a very difficult time in my life. She gave me an opportunity to learn the medical field and I am forever grateful; I was able to move forward and earn a living doing medical billing and coding thanks to her. I know she is in heaven rejoicing with her loved ones and will watch over you all and her grand babies. I pray that God will give you endurance to get through this difficult time. I send you lots of love and hugs . Please get in touch with me @ [grammylou1953@gmail.com](mailto:grammylou1953@gmail.com) . My phone number is in your Mom's contacts. Love you . Lulu (Rodriguez)Devine Tx*

**Lulu (Rodriguez) Esquibel** - March 16, 2024 at 10:59 AM

VS

*Thanks Lulu. I have company from Colombia for the next 2 weeks. I'll call you after Easter.*

**Vilma Sucy** - March 17, 2024 at 03:18 PM

BM

“ *Bharat and Andrea Mittal planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.*

**Bharat and Andrea Mittal** - March 15, 2024 at 04:24 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.*



March 15, 2024 at 04:24 AM

FC

“ Familia Antequera Castro planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.

Familia Antequera Castro - March 14, 2024 at 10:23 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.



March 14, 2024 at 10:23 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.



March 14, 2024 at 10:13 PM

EF

“ Efraim and Lucia Fernandez purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.



Efraim and Lucia Fernandez - March 14, 2024 at 08:22 PM

RR

“ Rudy and Linda Ramos purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.



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**Rudy and Linda Ramos** - March 14, 2024 at 07:20 PM

LP

“ I remember her on our Vacation to Hawaii! She climbed up with all of us to Diamondhead Mountain in Hawaii!!!! She was a Wonderful Vacation Buddy that time!!! She cooked her Awesome Columbian Rice for us!! Our Regards n Prayers... Lu Potter & Elizabeth Hail

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**lu Potter** - March 14, 2024 at 01:40 PM

LF

“ Love, The Morcillo Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.



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**Love, The Morcillo Family** - March 13, 2024 at 05:49 PM

LM

“ Love, Sandie, Hamilton, Rosa, Maritza planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.

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**Love, Sandie, Hamilton, Rosa, Maritza** - March 13, 2024 at 04:22 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Vilma Antequera Fernandez.*



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