



Virginia Lee Stowe

July 7, 1932 - March 22, 2026

Virginia Lee (Vaughn) Stowe joined her Lord on March 22, 2026 in San Antonio, Texas. She was born on July 7, 1932 in San Antonio, to Homer Vaughn and Myrtle Davison Vaughn. Janie was preceded in death by her sons Randy and Franklin Emmert; sister, Vera Brown and brother Homer “Buddy” Vaughn. Janie is survived by her loving husband of thirty-one years, Melvin “Bud” Stowe; son, Rick Emmert, brother, William “Billy” Vaughn Sr., daughter-in-law, Janet Verstegen; grandchildren, Randal Emmert, Alison Emmert (Jennifer), Staci Rutkowski (L.J.), Hannah Wheeler (Nathan), Joey Verstegen; 3 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Truly, Janie lived her life as reflected by her church involvement. Always involved in Sunday School classes, she was a member of Shearer Hills Baptist Church and Castle Hills First Baptist Church. A real prayer warrior, her love for the Lord was constant in her daily life. Whether at home, traveling or in the hospital, Janie shared her love of Jesus. On a daily basis, her expressions of love for family and friends were very evident. A predictable daily occurrence would be her phone calls with her powerful listening ear. She would check on the daily needs of others, and frequently offering a prayer of support. Janie and Bud looked forward to their annual Colorado visits with close friends Glenda and Herschel Billingsley. A long-time employee and analyst with Frost Bank, Janie retired in 1997.

Special thanks to the entire staff at The Waterford at Shavano Park for their loving attention and special care.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Friday, April 3, 2026 beginning at 11:00am, followed by a Funeral Service at 12:00pm at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Interment will follow at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.

For personal acknowledgement, please sign the online guestbook at www.missionparks.com in the Tributes section.

MISSION PARK FUNERAL CHAPELS NORTH

3401 CHERRY RIDGE DR.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78230

(210) 349-1414

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
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San Antonio, TX 78230
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Chapel Service

APR 3. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Interment

APR 3. 1:30 PM (CT)

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