



Wanda Lee Coleman

October 6, 1934 - December 15, 2023

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Wanda Lee Yount Coleman went home to be with the Lord on December 15th, 2023 at the age of 89. She was born on October 6, 1934 in Quaker, MO. Her tenacious spirit and devotion to her Savior was evident at a young age, leaving her rural home at thirteen to work in the city. Wanda attended Moody Bible Institute. She later met and married her sweetheart, a young Airman named Robert (Bob) Eugene Coleman on September 1, 1956 in St. Louis, MO.

Wanda was a dedicated United States Air Force wife and mother of four boys. Her gift of cooking and hosting made her home a haven for her family and friends. Wanda enjoyed traveling both internationally and domestically, especially alongside those she loved. She had a knack for bargain shopping and perusing local garage sales. Wanda had the gift of gab, never short on stories or her sense of humor. She was a consistent and joyful presence in the life of her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren, always in attendance for family celebrations and activities.

Wanda lived out her deep love for the Lord through her grace and service to others. She was passionate about nursing home chaplaincy, faithfully leading a weekly praise, worship, and Bible study in a local facility for 34 years. She had an empathetic heart for grieving people, discipling in her church's

GriefShare ministry. She was “Mom” to many sons and daughters in Africa, both in Nigeria and Cameroon, passionately caring for them. She had a no-nonsense approach to expressing her love for God and her Savior Jesus, never passing up a chance to tell anyone she encountered about the gift of salvation. She was a fierce prayer warrior who cared deeply for the supplication of others.

Wanda was preceded in death by her husband of 44 years, Bob Coleman; parents, Elmer and Blanche Yount; brothers, Harold Yount, Earl Yount, Ray Yount, and Donald Yount; sisters, Edna Yount Whitaker and Wilma Yount Woolsey. She is survived by her sons, Clarke (Margaret) Coleman, Stan (Terrisa) Coleman, Craig Coleman, and Stuart Coleman; brother Jack Yount; sister Alta Yount Crocker; grandchildren, Jaime (Chris) Flores, Karis (Chris) Walker, Jeffery (Brandy) Elliott, Bridgett (Jorge) Hernandez, Kayla (Jeremy) Valenzuela, Bailey (John) Cordero, Hannah Coleman, Kyndal (Christopher) Singleton, Kaitlyn (Alexander) Rutledge, Gianna (Trey) Wolfe; 22 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Wanda was resolute in her faith in her Lord and Savior. Her memory will live on through the legacy of her family and the countless lives she pointed to Jesus. She will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Family and friends of Wanda are invited to a celebration of life service on Friday, January 19, 2024 at 11:00 AM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels and Cemetery Dominion, Tips Chapel, 20900 IH 10 West, San Antonio, TX 78257. Burial will follow immediately after the service.

All guests are invited to attend a luncheon and life celebration after the service (approximately 1:00 PM). The venue is LifeShare Church, 5359 Casa Bella St., San Antonio, TX 78249. We will have food, music, stories and photos.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Walk By Faith Ministries (facebook.com/WBFMI, PayPal.me/WalkByFaith) or to the Christian School at Castle Hills (castlehills.school/donate).

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN 19. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Fred J. Tips Mausoleum Chapel
20900 IH 10 West
San Antonio, TX 78257

Luncheon

JAN 19. 1:00 PM (CT)

LifeShare Church
5359 Casa Bella
San Antonio, TX 78249

All guest invited for food, music, stories and photos.

Tribute Wall

KA

“ Our group of friends attended Mrs Coleman's Celebration of Life yesterday to support our good friend, Stuart. The Celebration was beautiful. We have all seen Stuart's love for his mom in his dedication of caring for her daily for many, many years. We see why - she was a force! To Stuart - you have been such a good son to your mom as you are a loyal and great friend to me, Missy, Shelly, and the rest of our group of friends. Love to you, Stuart, and to the rest of your family through this time of grief.

Kay Adams - January 20, 2024 at 09:26 AM

LJ

“ I will never forget that Wanda and my brother were married on my 12th birthday just before mom and I left for Michigan. She is a great mom and homemaker. She sure could get the bargains; I know she had to, being a military family. Praying for her family which is suffering a great lost but we will see her again.

linda coleman jensen - January 18, 2024 at 04:00 PM

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Craig Coleman - January 18, 2024 at 02:23 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Wanda Lee Coleman.*



January 17, 2024 at 08:48 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wanda Lee Coleman.*



January 17, 2024 at 06:50 PM



“ *The Christian School at Castle Hills planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wanda Lee Coleman.*

The Christian School at Castle Hills - January 03, 2024 at 03:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wanda Lee Coleman.*



January 03, 2024 at 03:41 PM

Jl

“ In the summer of 1971, my Aunt Wanda cared for her two nieces in Hawaii, for a three week vacation. I had my 15th Birthday, while I was there and one of my most memorable gifts, was of Aunt Wanda piercing my ears; the ice cubes, needle and bar of soap way! She let me wear a bikini on Fort DeRussey and bake a different cake practically every day. It was quite a summer, with four boy cousins, I'll never forget it.

Heartfelt condolences to the Coleman family during this time. May the great faith your dear Mother instilled in you throughout her life give you comfort.

Rest in peace, Aunt Wanda

Love, Joella Kay Isbell and the Patten Family

Joella Kay Isbell - January 03, 2024 at 12:13 PM

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Craig Coleman - January 03, 2024 at 12:00 AM



“ Love you Grandma, you will be missed dearly! You were able to love and accept my messy self even when I was not a Christian. I was able to know Jesus and accept him. I then understood why you were passionate about sharing Jesus. Your genuine heart and transparent personality towards people was noticed and admired. I will make sure your legacy of generosity and love for Jesus continues on through our family.
Love You!!

Christopher J Flores


Christopher Papoutsis-Flores - January 01, 2024 at 02:03 PM

SW

“ Wanda and Bob Coleman were two of the most encouraging people I have ever met. Bob was a mentor to me when I started working at USAA right out of college. Wanda came alongside me as I was called on Staff at CHFB. Not having a Seminary degree I was humbled to be asked to serve but often felt a little overwhelmed. She reminded me of that old saying God does not call the qualified he qualifies the called and would often call me to let me know she was praying for me. I believe she had the Spiritual gift of giving among other qualities like wisdom. One day she called me and asked me to come over to the house.. I arrived to find two very nice suits laid out
That she had bought for a deeply discounted price.
She told me to pick one. I wore that suit for a long time. She is definitely one of the Saints that God will say ... Well done good and faithful servant. Pam and I will miss her home going celebration service ...but want the family to know we loved Wanda and know we will see her again. Soli Deo Gloria! Si Wood

silas Wood - December 26, 2023 at 01:29 PM

DJ

“ Wanda, you ran the race and now are home where all things are made new again. Here, those that love you and enjoyed your friendship, will still hear you cheering us on to finish well. Dixie - awaiting His return 

dixie janszen - December 22, 2023 at 04:46 PM

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“ Mom, your legacy will live on through the many lives you touched during your time here. Proud and blessed to be your son.

Craig Coleman - December 22, 2023 at 01:47 PM

MN

“ Mission Park North lit a candle in memory of Wanda Lee Coleman



Mission Park North - December 22, 2023 at 01:32 PM