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Doris Jean Hayes-Martinez, "Jean", 56, of San Antonio, TX passed away at the Christus Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio surrounded by her family on May 2, 2014 due to terminal illness.

A graveside funeral service was held Friday May 16, 2014 at Newark Memorial Gardens with Pastor Reecior M. Puryear officiating.

Born on November 3, 1957 in Columbus, OH to Warren and Savana Hayes. She is the eldest sister of Tommy Lee Hayes, Melinda Davis, and Irene Hayes.

Married to Ivan Timothy Houpe of Columbus, OH (October 1987-January 2008) and Larry Martinez of San Antonio, TX (December 2010 –)

Jean was a graduate of Newark High School. Jean worked her way through the ranks at various large companies and was known by her colleagues as a motivator and a leader. Her enthusiasm was felt by all those around her. Jean is remembered fondly for adding her flawless creativity to everything she touched. Making a home wherever she went and serving all those who had needs.

She attended Cornerstone Church in San Antonio and was a member of the San Antonio Christian Motorcycle Association

Jean is survived by her husband Larry Martinez; her son Ivan Houpe Jr. and daughters Aja and Arren Houpe; her mother, Savana Hayes; brother, Tommy Lee (Karen) Hayes; sisters, Melinda



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Davis and Irene Hayes; step children, Eli (Lisa) Martinez, Naomi (Robert Esparaza) Martinez; several nieces, nephews and cousins. She is preceded in death by her father, Warren Hayes.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to the Cornerstone Church, 18755 Stone Oak Parkway, San Antonio, TX 78258.

For further information or to contact the family please email

“The pure of heart will see God”

Heart of Gold



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DB

Damon Bleser posted:

Jean always had a funny story to share to turn the mood around. Her youthful spirit always had us smiling as we worked through some tough challenges at work. It was a pleasure knowing you. You are missed.

May 20 at 12:35 PM

MT

Mark Turner posted:

My deepest condolences to the family!

May 19 at 9:07 AM

HW

Holly Webber posted:

Even though I did not know you Jean, and after reading some of these messages I can see that you were loved and cared about by so many people, family and friends that are going to miss you so much. I did get to meet your Larry and children and some of your family, it was a privilege and may you rest in peace.

May 16 at 10:09 AM

MB

Mark Barnes posted:

Mrs. Jean was simply amazing. From singing "Cashing Out" in the office to just being out right one of the funniest people I've ever met. She always greeted me with a smile, a head nod, and the "dueces" (two finger peace sign) thrown in the air, and sometimes with nothing even being said..we'd just laugh with one another. My prayers and condolences to her family and friends. Thank You Jean, we love you and we miss you.

May 13 at 7:35 AM



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CH

Christopher Hubbert posted:

Ms. Jean was one of the coolest people I knew. Every single time we saw each other we had a gut wrenching, breath stopping laugh. One thing we had in common was music and one of Ms. Jean's favorite songs was "Cashing Out" by Cash Out. You don't come across too many people that are well received and liked as Ms. Jean and for that reason and many others she will truly be missed. She was a beacon of light to us at Chase and I know she was to her family as well. My prayers and condolences are with her family. Until we meet again Ms. Jean. You have made an everlasting mark on so many people's lives.

May 12 at 5:02 PM

AG

Azaria Gonzales posted:

I am so blessed to have known Mrs Jean. She was beautiful, witty, smart and loving. She was like a Mother to me, everyday she would get on me about something or love on me just because she loved me. We had so many talks about life and love and her family and her Larry lol. I miss her so much, she was truly an angel lent to me a few hours everyday and I thank God for giving me the chance to know her. She is truly missed and forever loved. My prayers and deepest condolences to her family. She loved and cherished you all dearly. May the peace of God be with you and your hearts be restored and filled with the love of her spirit.

May 12 at 3:38 PM

LW

Lamonica Williams posted:

Jean was not just my colleague but a close friend. So much time spent together and so many precious memories that will forever live on in her name. I extend my condolences to her family for their loss and pray for their strength getting through this. Jean I love you and I miss you. May you rest peacefully in paradise beautiful.

May 12 at 3:29 PM

BT

Billie Thomas posted:

I am going to miss my friend. We have had so many days where we leaned on each other when things were not going well and we laughed when things were going well. Jean is the one person at Chase that I could disagree with in the morning and be best friends with by afternoon. She could look over at me and wait until later and say I know exactly what you were thinking. What a mississippi connection from day one. As much as we miss her, we can all smile when we remember her humor

May 12 at 2:50 PM



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Buffy Poulson posted:

Jean was my best friend for many years. We traveled together... we did things with our children together... she was my confidante.... my sister in Christ. My heart is so heavy with grief right now. My prayers are for her family. It is a great loss for me and a tremendous loss for the family. May our Lord and Savior comfort you... and allow you to never forget her love for God, family, and friends.

May 10 at 8:00 AM



Donna Smith posted:

Jean was my first prayer partner upon moving here from Toledo. She was such an encouragement to me and mine. My condolences are extended to her family. Her megawatt smile will be missed.

May 9 at 11:03 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jean by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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