



Rita Kay Kirby of San Antonio, Texas passed away on August 4th, 2021 at Crista Santa Rosa Hospital. Born March 12, 1939 in Marshall, Illinois to Harmon and Helen Cooley Greenlee.

In addition to her parents, Kay was preceded in death by her two sons, Derek and Daren, daughter Darla, grandson Justin, her sister Barbara Heyen, and her son-in-law Ed Thornton and the father of her two great granddaughters, Jason Hernandez.

She is survived by her son David (Kay), her granddaughter Brandy (Luis), Amber, Ashleigh, Allison and great grandchildren Victoria, Brooklyn, Audrina and Anthony. Also surviving is the father of her children, Darrell Kirby, nephews Greg, Steve, Jeff and niece Crystal.

Kay had been an assistant to two directors of Nursing Homes, one in Illinois and one in San Antonio, and assisted her husband in the ownership of their Funeral Home in Southern Illinois.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, August 12th at Funeral Caring, 6500 N. Interstate 35 at 1:00 pm with Rev Paul Reavis. Visitation will be 11:00 to 1:00.