



Liturgy of Christian Burial

✠ Bobbie Jean Garza
November 15, 1936 - April 14, 2018

Tuesday, April 17, 2018 10:00 a.m.
St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica
Beaumont, Texas



“Never let anything so fill you with sorrow that you forget the joy of the resurrection.”

Mother Teresa

Gathering Rites

Reception at the Cathedral Door

Bobbie was baptized in Christ. Her body is now received at the door of the Cathedral, sprinkled with holy water and covered with the white pall as a reminder of her baptism.

We pray that as Bobbie died and rose with Christ, that she may now be clothed in the radiance of Christ's eternal glory.

Procession

Gathering Hymn

On Eagle's Wings

Refrain

And he will raise you up on ea - gle's wings, bear you on the
breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and
hold you in the palm of his hand.

After last refrain

And hold you, hold you in the palm of his hand.

The musical score is written on a single staff in G major (one sharp) and 7/8 time. It consists of four lines of music with lyrics underneath. The first line is marked 'Refrain' and includes a repeat sign. The second and third lines continue the melody. The fourth line is marked 'After last refrain' and ends with a double bar line.

Opening Prayer



Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Isaiah 25:6-9

Responsorial Psalm

Shepherd Me O God- Psalm 23

Refrain

Shep-herd me, O God, be - yond my wants, be-
yond my fears, from death in - to life.

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 4:14,5:1

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel

Homily

Prayer of the Faithful



Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of the Gifts

Amazing Grace



1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, That
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And
3. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His
4. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
5. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright



saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
grace my fears re - lieved; How pre - cious did that
word my hope se - cures; He will my shield and
have al - read - y come; 'Tis grace has brought me
shin - ing as the sun, We've no less days to



now am found, Was blind, but now I see.
grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!
por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
sing God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.

Text: St. 1-4, John Newton, 1725-1817, St. 5, Asc. to John Rens, fl. 1859
Tune: NEW BRITAIN, CM, Virginia Harmonic, HM, Harm. by John Barnard, b. 1948, c. 1962, Hope Publishing Co.

Preface Acclamation (Holy, Holy, Holy)

Memorial Acclamation

Great Amen

Communion Rite

The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Breaking of the Bread Litany (Lamb of God)

Reception of Holy Communion

For Catholics: *As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity of confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make an act of perfect contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible. (Code of Canon Law, Canon 916). A frequent reception of the sacrament of Penance is encouraged for all.*

For other Christians: *We welcome all Christians to this celebration of the Eucharist as our brothers and sisters. We pray that our common Baptism and the action of the Holy Spirit in this Eucharist will draw us to one another and begin to dispel the sad divisions that separate us. We pray that these will lessen and finally disappear, in keeping with Christ's prayer for us "that they all may be one" (John 17:21). Members of the Orthodox Churches, the Assyrian Church of the East, and the Polish National Catholic Church are urged to respect the discipline of their own churches. According to the Roman Catholic discipline, the Code of Canon Law does not object to the reception of Holy Communion by Christians of these churches. (Canon 844§3).*

Canon law provides Eucharistic sharing by other Christians who do not have full communion with the Catholic Church only when the diocesan bishop deems there is an exceptional circumstance and the following conditions are present: the other Christian on their own asks for the sacrament, they manifest a Catholic faith in the sacrament, are properly disposed and cannot approach a minister of their own community (Canon 844§4).

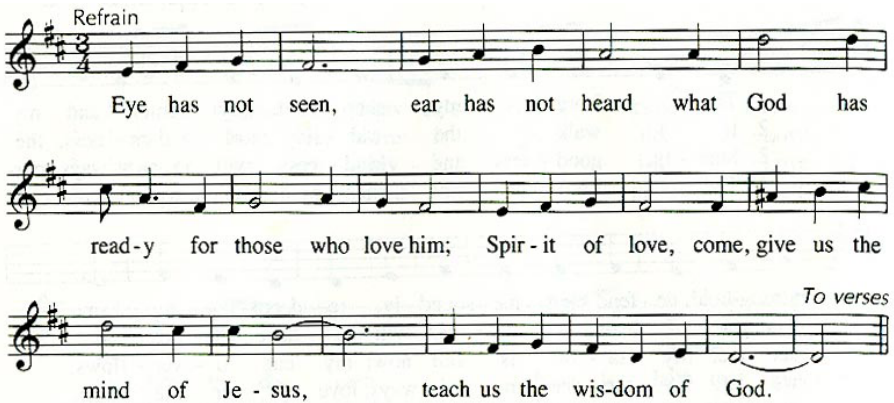
For non-Christians: *We also welcome to this celebration those who do not share our faith in Jesus Christ. We have high regard for their traditions, friendship, and join them in promoting unity among all peoples. It is our joy to unite with them in praying for the peace and unity of the human family while respecting our common traditions, which do not include Eucharist sharing.*

For all not receiving Communion: *All who are not receiving Holy Communion are invited to express their prayerful desire for unity with God and with one another by approaching the altar at communion time with their hands crossed over their hearts. The minister will pray for this unity at the front of the Cathedral with all those in the communion line who have their hands crossed over their hearts.*

Communion Hymn

Eye Has Not Seen

Refrain



Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has

read-y for those who love him; Spir-it of love, come, give us the

To verses

mind of Je - sus, teach us the wis-dom of God.

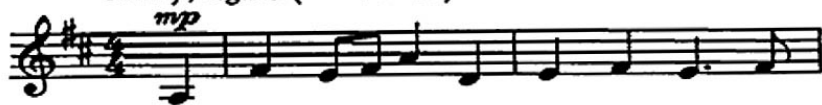
Prayer after Communion

Final Commendation

Invitation to Prayer

Song of Farewell

Gently, legato (♩ = 74-80)



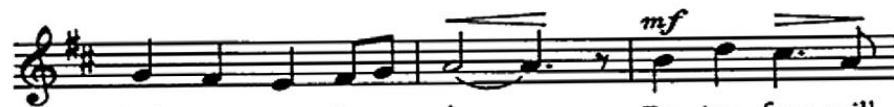
May songs of the an - gels wel - come you and



guide you a - long your way. — May the



smiles of the mar - tyrs greet your own as



dark - ness turns in-to day. — Ev - 'ry fear will



be un - done and death will be no



more, — as songs of the an - gels

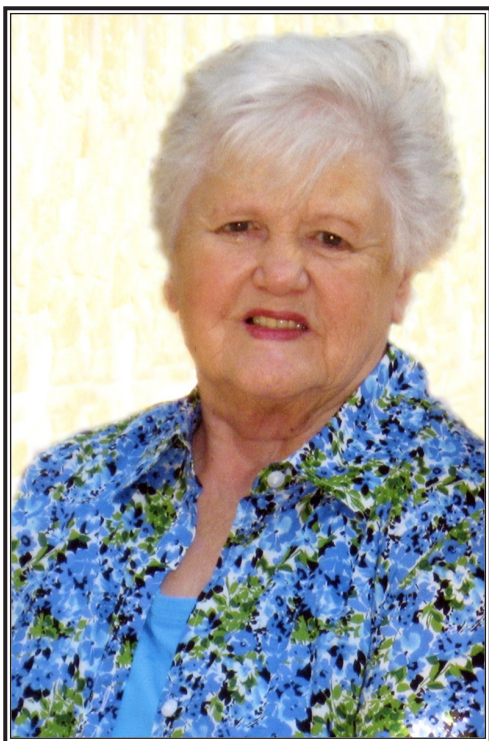


bring you home be - fore the face of God. —

Prayer of Commendation

Song of Commendation

Songs of the Angels



Bobbie Jean “Bobino” Garza was born on November 15, 1936, the youngest daughter to John and Laura Bobino. Early in Bobbie’s life, she fell seriously ill and had to have a kidney removed. Many people thought that Bobbie would not live to be 20 years old. She defied these odds and went on to wed Joe Garza Jr. on August 21, 1964. This was truly a match made in heaven. Joe had a work ethic and friendly demeanor that was unmatched and Bobbie was a fighter who had a fierce love

for her husband, her children, her family and friends. Bobbie loved and cherished her children, Melissa and Michael and being their mother was her greatest joy in life. She always supported them whether it was helping Melissa with her love of dance and twirling or Michael’s many years of playing baseball. Bobbie never missed their performances or games as this gave her great joy.

Bobbie’s love of her family carried over to the way she cared for and loved the many children she kept over 50 years. A testament to the loving care that Bobbie gave these children was apparent when she continued to care for the offspring of the original children she kept. Many of the adults and children she watched continued to visit with Bobbie and Joe throughout their lives. Blake and Laken McClelland were frequent visitors and had a special place in Bobbie’s heart. Bobbie truly was the heart and soul of the Garza home.

Of all the children she kept, the one that held the most special place in her heart was her granddaughter, Alexandra. Being Maw Maw to Alex was a role she cherished. In Alex's early years, Bobbie enjoyed Alex spending the night, buying all the fun toys and wanting her to have all the wonderful things life could offer. Towards the end, Alex and Maw Maw enjoyed talking about Alex's life in Austin and her new dog, Ollie. The love they shared was very special.

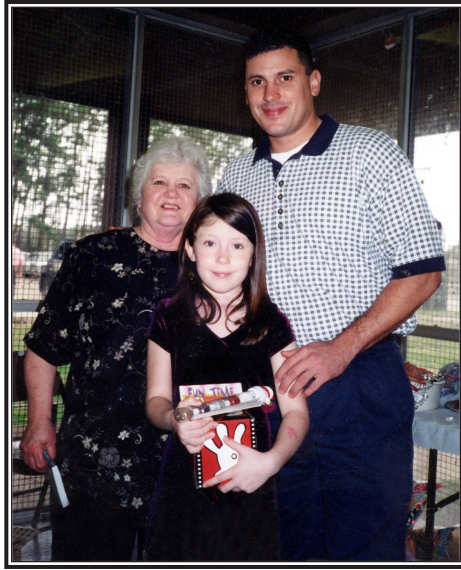
Like many women of her era, Bobbie loved baseball. Bobbie was a devoted and loyal fan of the **Houston Astros** and painfully endured watching them lose for many years. Even though she was quite ill, Bobbie watched every *Astros* game she could and was overjoyed when they finally won the 2017 National Championship.

Bobbie, loved her special four-legged friends, including her grand-dogs Max and Lucy. Max was by her side when she died.























Special Thanks

Melissa and Michael would like to extend our sincere thanks to *Kindred Hospice*. The love, support, care and kindness *Kindred Hospice* showed for Bobbie during the past 5 months is something the we will always be grateful for. We especially appreciate everyone who came to our house to care for and treated Bobbie during her final journey of life. They are: Stacy Durin, Meosha Cruse, Kristin Wilson, Amber, Kat, Victor, Greg Edwards (chaplain), Ron Harris (chaplain) and everyone who answered our after-hour calls. Thank you all for being a part of our lives, giving your hugs, encouragements and prayers to get the family through this process. We couldn't do it without you. Each one of you have a very special gift you share in our community. Thank you. You will forever be in our hearts.

Michael and I would also want to thank Monsignor Jerry and Deanna Hinterberger for visiting Bobbie weekly giving the sacrament, encouragement and prayers. It was their encouragement and visits that help us get through this journey.

Above all else, we will always remember Bobbie as the very special, gentle, kind, loving person that always had a smile on her face and who would never let you leave her sight without saying "...I love you more".

The family appreciates your kindness and invites you to celebrate her legacy and life.



Celebrant
Placing the Pall
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Interment

Forest Lawn Memorial Park
Beaumont, Texas

Memorial Contributions

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