



## Lily K. Swan Majors Rambo

January 14, 2026

LILY K. SWAN MAJORS RAMBO of McAllen Texas passed away peacefully on January 14, 2026 in Mission Texas at the age of 89. She was born on July 10, 1936 in Girard, Kansas and from the very beginning, she lived a life on her own terms.

Born to Loren B Swan and Prezzie B. Darity Swan, Lily was the baby of three children. After graduating from Girard high school, she stepped into a life filled with curiosity, courage, and color. Lily collected experiences the way others collect souvenirs. She was many things to many people. She was a wife. She was a mother she was a grandmother, but mostly her favorite was being the best grandmother to Jake.

Lily was a pioneer in the health food industry and the proud owner of Major Health Foods for over 40 years long before “Wellness” was a trend, Lily believed in caring for the body, mind and spirit. She mentored countless people, shared knowledge freely, and open doors for others wherever she went.

Community mattered deeply to Lily. She gave her time and Heart to many organizations, including the National Nutritional Food Association, Southwest NNFA, the Dale Carnegie Institute, the McAllen Chamber of Commerce, Zonta, the Organization of Women Executives, the McAllen, Business

Alliance, the Renaissance Club, Poco Loco's theater group ,Understanding Yourself and others (UYO), AI-Anon, and the Valley Symphony Orchestra. Her involvement wasn't about titles... it was about people.

Standing just 5 feet tall, Lily had a presence that filled every room. She believed in connection, laughter, learning, and living fully. Like a small stone dropped into water, her life created ripples that continue to reach far beyond what she could ever see.

Lily was preceded in death by her parents, her brother, Loren B. Swan; her sister, Betty Larrick and her beloved husband, Darryl Rambo.

She is lovingly survived by her daughters, JoLynn (David) Hasler of Edinburg, TX and Lori (Dell) Jackson of Ocala, FL ; Grandchildren, Jake (Josie) Hasler, Stephanie Hasler, Stacy Hasler and David (Milica) Hasler, along with many extended family members, and dear friends, whose lives were better because they knew her.

Visitation will begin at 9am on Saturday, January 24, 2026 at Kreidler Funeral Home in McAllen with a service at 10:00am.

The HASLER family would like to thank Waterford Gardens Assisted Living for their love and support while Lily was a resident. To All State Hospice for their professional compassion care. Also to Mrs Roda Grubb for always taking the time twice a week to visit Lily for the past 7 years. Whether it was a meditation walk or just sitting and chatting .. it meant the world to her.

Kreidler Funeral Home is handling arrangements. In lieu of flowers the family asked that donations be made to Suzanna Smiles. An organization close to Lily's heart that supports families affected by spina bifida. Donations can be made at [Suzannahsmiles.org](http://Suzannahsmiles.org) , or by mail. Suzannah Smiles 1209 HWY 83,

Alamo, Tx 78516.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 24. 9:00 AM (CT)

Kreidler Funeral Home, Inc.  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *RIP Grandma, crazy how an entire family was left out. I could've sworn she had 7 other Grandchildren and 4 other kids. All my Grandpa Rambo's. I don't remember a kind sweet woman. I remember a woman who went after my Grandpas money right after my Grandma passed. I was a baby when she entered the family. She was always petty, treating wait staff terrible, like slaves. She would always talk down to us, as if to try and get rid of us. I wish I remembered a Grandma who cared vs stole. She took good care of my Grandpas money. Even inviting her ex over and talking poorly of my Grandpa during Thanksgiving while he sat sick in the hospital. I wish the best for you in hell. A lot secrets in that snakes closet.*

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**Nolonger InUse** - March 09 at 11:41 AM



“ *Lilly's legacy will live on for generations. Her selfless love and compassion for others surpasses all others. She consistently blessed anyone who was fortunate to be in her presence.*

*Nancy Jones*

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**Nancy Jones** - January 30 at 07:04 AM



“ *Fond memories of Lily , her kind spirit and forever gracious smile . My heartfelt condolences to the family . Warmly, Barbara York*

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**Barbara York** - January 26 at 09:55 PM

PP

“ Thank you for the gift of health. Rest with the other angels.



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**Patricia Power** - January 25 at 09:51 AM

PK

“ I remember her smile smiles given so freely and so often. They were welcoming and warm.

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**Peggy Kirchner** - January 21 at 11:24 AM

MR

*I was desperate for answers, full of sad disbelief. About 7 pm I called Ms Lily. After explaining my story she said you need to go to an Al-anon meeting. She looked at a list she had behind the office door. She said you have until 8 pm to get to North Main. I got there and the ' understanding and healing' began.. I thank my Jesus for Ms Lily..*

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**Ms.Toni Ruiz** - January 21 at 03:59 PM

NS

*I thank God for the precious memories of my dear Lilly -beginning from our Chamber of Commerce activities together; our visiting in her God-Sent Business of Major's Health Foods; and our fabulous memories dancing together with Gretta Sullivan's Middle Eastern Dance Troup with original Lebanese Music.*

*She was always the "cheerleader to get it going along with my beloved Aunt Maggie Sahadi -*

*As the years passed, she became my confidant" fto improve my health : she was amazing with Knowledge.*

*I followed her happy travels and her exciting adventures. Her employees and JoLyn kept everyone up -to- date about her "cruising" until she Retired.*

*My most cherished , sentimental and loving memories are my visits at her new home at Waterford Gardens Assisted Living in Mission.*

*My Heart was full of Joy sitting next to her, holding her hand, during the movies, or singing along with the Mariachi's or just talking about anything !*

*My heart is Grateful to Jo Lynn( Daughter) for inviting me to join them at the events of Waterford Gardens. We always had FUN !*

*I'm going to Miss her;YET...I am comforted knowing LILLY is resting in God's Paradise.*

*I feel God will remind my soul ( many times) that LILLY will be His #1 Choice for her to be my Guardian Angel ~ and we will continue to Laugh, Talk and Love each other.*

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**Nashla Showery Stowe** - January 23 at 06:06 PM

MA

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



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**mary** - January 21 at 10:11 AM