



Willie Johnston Lardizabal

November 4, 1925 - December 25, 2020

Willie Johnston Lardizabal, 95, of Bloomfield passed away Friday December 25, 2020 at her residence surrounded by her family.

Born November 4, 1925 in Manila, Philippines the daughter of Mont and Rita (Aspacio) Johnston.

Willie came to the United States from the Philippines and went to Washington University St Louis and graduated with a Degree in Nursing in 1952.

She married Jose M. Lardizabal November 4, 1956 in St. Louis Mo.

Willie was a Registered Nurse, she worked at Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, she was a member of the Holy Name Catholic Church in Bloomfield, the Red Cross Outreach and the Psi Iota Xi.

Surviving relatives include her children, Jose R. Lardizabal, Rita A. Lardizabal, and Patricia (Keith) Graves, she has two grandchildren, Jennifer K. Duckworth, Vanessa R. Lardizabal, and two great grandchildren, Estelle Duckworth and Grant Duckworth.

Also surviving is niece Thelma (John) Martin.

Willie was preceded in death by her husband Dr. Jose M. Lardizabal on

January 8, 2006 and her parents.

A graveside service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday at Grandview Cemetery in Bloomfield with Father Simon officiating.

The family wishes any memorial donations be made to the American Cancer Society or the Holy Name Catholic Church in Bloomfield.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC **29**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Grandview Cemetery
Bloomfield, IN

Tribute Wall

EC

“ *Eugenia Chaney sent a virtual gift in memory of Willie Johnston Lardizabal*



Eugenia Chaney - January 02, 2021 at 08:35 AM

RL

*Hi Eugenia. We appreciate your thoughts.
Rita*

Rita Lardizabal - January 04, 2021 at 02:33 PM

RB

“ *What a truly wonderful human being she was - a devoted mother, a talented nurse and a faithful Christian! Praying for the Peace of God to comfort her family at this sad time.*

Roxanne Bailey - December 29, 2020 at 10:59 PM

RL

Thank you, Roxanne. ❤️

Rita Lardizabal - January 01, 2021 at 04:39 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Willie Johnston Lardizabal.*



December 28, 2020 at 12:03 PM

JU

“ I knew Willie, Dr Joe, Jose, Rita and Patricia since they moved to Bloomfield. They are true friends and benefited the community. So sorry for the loss.
Jonas Uland

Jonas Uland - December 28, 2020 at 06:55 AM

RL

Thanks Jonas. You were always so good to our family. My mom and dad loved you!!

Rita Lardizabal - January 01, 2021 at 04:41 PM

BS

“ *Brenda G Strange lit a candle in memory of Willie Johnston Lardizabal*



Brenda G Strange - December 28, 2020 at 12:32 AM

RL

*Brenda,
Your thoughts are very much appreciated.*

Rita Lardizabal - January 04, 2021 at 02:34 PM

CF

“ Was so sorry to hear about Willie. My granddaughter and I were talking about Dr. Joe and Willie before I went outside on Saturday. I loved Dr. Joe and your mom. Your dad always thought it was funny because your mom’s name was Willie and my brother’s name was Willie. My brother did a lot of dozing for your dad and when working on the lake he said he would call out Willie and they both would answer. I wanted to apologize that I was just talking to you Saturday from down the hillside about your pretty doggie and Christmas and didn’t know that you had lost your mom on Christmas. I watched to see if you were out today to tell you how very sorry I was for your lost and sorry for not knowing at the time. I’m so, so sorry. It was a great lost to our town when we lost Dr. Joe and now another great lost. They’re together again in restful peace. Your neighbor down below, Connie Frye

Connie Frye - December 27, 2020 at 08:11 PM

RL

Thank you for such kind words.

Rita Lardizabal - January 01, 2021 at 04:38 PM

RW

“ Sending my sympathy to all the Lardizabal Family! Sorry for the loss of your mother and grandmother! Dr. Jose and Willie was so kind to all our family! Prayers for God’s Peace, Strength and Comfort during this difficult time.
Rosie White

Rosalie White - December 27, 2020 at 05:00 PM

RL

Thank you Rosalie for the comforting words.

Rita Lardizabal - January 01, 2021 at 04:44 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Willie Johnston Lardizabal.*



December 27, 2020 at 04:32 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of Willie. She, Dr Joe, Jose, Rita and Patricia were very very god friends of mine since we were so fortunate to have the family become a member of Bloomfield.*

Jonas Uland - December 27, 2020 at 12:57 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of your mother. You are in my thoughts and prayers!*

DeDe - December 27, 2020 at 08:20 AM



Thanks DeDe.

Rita Lardizabal - January 01, 2021 at 04:45 PM



“ *She was the sweetest and kindest! When my kids were little they loved visiting her. She would tell us stories and she even taught me how to make sweet rice. We will miss her!*

The Finks - December 26, 2020 at 06:52 PM



Thank you for the kind words and for sharing the memories.

Rita

Rita Lardizabal - January 01, 2021 at 04:47 PM