



Leonor Valencia

March 6, 1941 - March 2, 2014

Leonor (Lenie) Urrutia Valencia, 72, died on March 2, 2014, at her home in Lee's Summit, Missouri, surrounded by her loving family, after a long illness. Her funeral Mass will take place on March 11, 2014, at 10:00 a.m., at Church of the Ascension in Overland Park, Kansas. A Rosary will be said for her intention at Church of the Ascension on March 10, 2014, at 7:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that Masses be offered in her name or that donations be made in her name to Catholic Charities.

Lenie is survived by her husband, Ernie; her daughter and son-in-law, Lynnette and Dave Rempel; her granddaughter, Kathryn; and three brothers, Mauro Urrutia, Jr., Luis Urrutia, and Antonio Urrutia.

Lenie was born on March 6, 1941, in Manila, Philippines, to Mauro and Pacita Urrutia. She and Ernie married in Manila in 1967. The same year, after earning a Bachelor of Science degree, cum laude, in Food Science from the University of the Philippines, Lenie was named a Fulbright Scholar, and she and Ernie moved to the United States. Lenie earned a Masters degree in Food Science at the University of Illinois, and she was awarded membership in the Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Societies. Lenie began her career in microbiological and pharmaceutical research in Lawrence, Kansas, where she and Ernie became United States citizens and lived for more than 30 years. That career also took Lenie to North Carolina and Kansas City, Missouri, until she retired in 2009. She lived out her remaining days in Lee's Summit, Missouri, dedicated to being a devoted wife, mother, and

grandmother to her family.

Fond memories of Leonor and words of comfort for Ernie and his family may be left by logging onto her memorial webpage at: www.CashattFamilyFunerals.com. Final arrangements entrusted to Cashatt Family Funeral Home in Platte Woods. 816-587-8200

Previous Events

Rosary

MAR 10. 7:00 PM (CT)

Church of the Ascension
9510 West 127th Street
Overland Park, KS 66213

Service

MAR 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

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9510 West 127th Street
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Tribute Wall



“ *Leonor Valencia*

October 04, 2023 at 10:39 PM



“ *Ernie and Lynette -*

You are in our thoughts and prayers! We will never forget many fond memories of Lenie - she was such a wonderful and loving friend. We treasure the friendship of your family always!

*Love and prayers,
Lisa and Jim Chastain*

jim and Lisa Chastain - March 09, 2014 at 04:45 PM



“ *The Laue and Milligan Families purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Leonor Valencia.*



The Laue and Milligan Families - March 09, 2014 at 02:29 PM



“ *Mrs. Valencia. What a splendid woman. Always classy and dressed to the nines! Many memories of fun birthday parties for Lynnette in the basement of their Lawrence, KS home. She obviously adored and loved her family, here in America and in the Phillipines. An accomplished, loving and most gracious lady. Rest in Peace, Mrs. Valencia. Prayers to the family and friends. ~Julie Throne*

julie throne - March 07, 2014 at 04:42 PM

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Kuya Ernie, Lynette & Family,

We are offering prayers and masses here in the Philippines.

Let us remember that from dust we were created and to dust we will return. But salvation we will attain if we remain faithful to Him. Ate Lenie is now at peace with the Lord.

Love and prayers,

Minda & Family

Minda Valencia Escobar - March 11, 2014 at 04:43 AM



“ *Beautiful Whisper was purchased for the family of Leonor Valencia.*



March 06, 2014 at 01:43 PM