



Lourdes Rios

September 30, 1949 - March 20, 2012

Lourdes Rios, 62, of Bourbonnais, died Tuesday (March 20, 2012) at Provena St. Mary's Hospital, Kankakee. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee, where funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday. The Rev. Luis Aguilar will officiate.

Burial will be in Mound Grove Gardens of Memory, Kankakee. Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

She was born Sept. 30, 1949, in Puerto Rico, the daughter of Juan Rios and Ana Rosa Cedeno Rodriguez. She was a deacon at John 3:16 Church of God in Kankakee, where she was very involved. She was in charge of decorating for special events at the church and enjoyed singing at church and being with her grandkids. She enjoyed people.

Surviving are three daughters and two sons-in-law, Minerva and Breck Hankison, of Florida, Marelyn Routson, and Miriam and Brett Barnes, all of Bourbonnais; seven grandchildren, Magan, Mandy, Madison, Marissa, Mason, Morgan and Robby; two great-grandchildren, Kevin and Bentley; three sisters and one brother-in-law, Ruth Robbins, of Bourbonnais, Rosa and Richard Wicker, of Bradley, and Evonne Rodriguez, of North Carolina; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Berto Rodriguez.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 933-6726

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 21. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
1480 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Service

MAR 22. 10:00 AM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

MH

“ *Minerva Hankison lit a candle in memory of Lourdes Rios*



Minerva Hankison - April 17, 2012 at 05:26 PM

MH

“ *Missing you so much today my beautiful Angel! I feel you with me everyday! I love you so very much! Love Mine*

Minerva Hankison - April 17, 2012 at 05:26 PM

MH

“ *I miss you so much Mom! Part of me wanted to be selfish and keep you here any way just to have you with me but I knew what you wanted was to be at peace! you have touched my heart in so many ways you were my everything! I will forever keep every promise I made to you on your last days. I do believe in miracles because 5 months ago God brought you back with borrowed time because he knew you had unfinished buisness here you said to me God had opened your eyes to alot of things and for that I give God thanks I know he is taking Good care of you I wish Heaven had a phone so I could tell you how much I love and Miss you! your Daughter that will forever love you and hold you close to my heart your little Mine*

Minerva Hankison - March 30, 2012 at 06:48 AM



“ *Tanya Robbins lit a candle in memory of Lourdes Rios*



Tanya Robbins - March 29, 2012 at 04:19 AM



“ *What Is a Grandma?*

*A grandma is warm hugs and sweet memories. She remembers all of your accomplishments and forgets all of your mistakes. She is someone you can tell your secrets and worries to, and she hopes and prays that all your dreams come true. She always loves you, no matter what. She can see past temper tantrums and bad moods, and makes it clear that they don't affect how precious you are to her. She is an encouraging word and a tender touch. She is full of proud smiles. She is the one person in the world who loves you with ALL HER HEART, who remembers the child you were and cherishes the person you've become. (I miss her more than words but I know shes smiling down on me, and I may have lost my best friend but I gained a guardian angel)
I love you mama!*

Magan DeVries - March 26, 2012 at 01:29 PM

MH

meggy we were so blessed to have all of grammys love she had a heart of gold! and loved us so much we have so many good memories with her we will always hold them close to our hearts she is always with us in spirit! love mom

Minerva Hankison - March 30, 2012 at 06:38 AM

TB

“ *Todd Benjamin lit a candle in memory of Lourdes Rios*



Todd Benjamin - March 24, 2012 at 01:48 PM

JR

“ *Jeanie Robbins lit a candle in memory of Lourdes Rios*



Jeanie Robbins - March 23, 2012 at 11:18 PM

MH

“ Every time that I smile,
Every time that I sigh,
I think of your face,
And a tear escapes my eye.



You were my world,
My inspiration and my heart,
But when you left me,
I thought I would fall apart.

You were my best friend,
My one true 'confidante',
And that's not all you were,
You were also my mom.

I didn't want to live without you,
But you would have wanted me to,
And if there's anyone I want to make happy,
That anyone is you

I would have given anything to have you back,
But I know now that it was meant to be,
For you are still watching from up there,
And I know you're watching me.

I'll make you proud mom,
I'm going to fulfill your wish,
You're going to see me and smile,
That's a daughter's promise. Your loving Daughter and best friend
Minerva (your little mine

Minerva Hankison - March 23, 2012 at 01:34 PM

DK

“ My prayers are with you and your families at this time. may her memories always warm the heart and bring smiles to your faces. sadly missed, Drem Benjamin



Drem Kempen-Benjamin - March 22, 2012 at 10:04 AM

NK

“ I am so sorry to hear about your sister, shes in my prayers and i still think about all of the good times we had together with our families and i love and miss all of you! i wish we could of made our trip to pourto rico years ago it would have been to remember ill be praying for all of you!!!! GOD BLESS..... NANCY RAGLE KELLY



NANCY RAGLE KELLY - March 21, 2012 at 08:32 PM

KP

“ Lourdes was a beautiful woman inside and out. She is in heaven now an angel looking down on her family and friends.

Dave, Kristie, Brent, Brooke, Panozzo



kristie panozzo - March 21, 2012 at 02:43 PM

KG

“ I am keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers, and holding you close to my heart at this time of your sorrow Sister Ruth.

Sincerely,

Kathie Grazis- Secretary at First Presbyterian Church



Kathie Grazis - March 21, 2012 at 12:20 PM

DD

“ It will be the little things that you will remember, the quiet moments ,the smiles, the laughter. And although it may seem hard right now, it will be the memories of these little things that help to push away the pain and bring the smiles back again.

Buddy, Darcy & Kaylee Drummer

Brett & Brandon Haug

Darcy Drummer - March 21, 2012 at 09:55 AM

DD

“ Darcy Drummer lit a candle in memory of Lourdes Rios



Darcy Drummer - March 21, 2012 at 09:38 AM

VW

“*Lourdes, you were more than just an aunt to Laresa you were our friend. We always knew no matter what whenever anything was going on you, Ruth, and Rosa were always there for everyone and never far behind. You were part of the puzzle that will now never be complete again but in that we know you will be that floating piece of a new start of the puzzle that again someday will be completed once we all meet again. And now we will always have a very special angel watching over us and always by our side guiding us in everthing we do. We will always love and miss you forever,*
Vicki and Laresa



Vicki and Laresa Wicker - March 20, 2012 at 04:50 PM