



Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard

December 20, 1956 - May 16, 2020

OPELOUSAS-Funeral services will be held privately for Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard, 63, who entered eternal rest on Saturday, May 16, 2020 in her residence.

Interment will be in Serenity Memorial Park at noon on Saturday, May 23, 2020. Father, Lambert Lien will officiate burial rites to be recited graveside.

http://sfm.dps.louisiana.gov/doc/press/pr_2020-33.pdf

Elise Marie leaves to cherish her memory and celebrate her legacy, her children, Christopher Esprit of Opelousas, LA, Michael W. Esprit (Tanisha) of Phoenix, AZ and Travis G. Esprit (Crystal) of Opelousas, LA; a step-son, Warren Lazard, Jr. of Opelousas, LA; three step-daughters, Stacy Lazard, Tracy Lazard both of Lafayette, LA and Shawanna Lavergne of Opelousas, LA; three brothers, Roderick Smith, Patrick Stout both of Opelousas, LA and Don Juan Smith of Port Arthur, TX; two step-brothers, Fredrick Thomas and Jabbar Thomas of Baton Rouge, LA; two sisters, Cassandra Mann (Zachery) of Port Arthur, TX and Phyliss Smith of Baton Rouge, LA; a special caregiver, LaKeisha Cage; fourteen grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and special friends.

Elise was preceded in death by her husband, Warren J. Lazard, Sr.; her parents, Allen and Dorothy Smith; a brother, Renwick Smith; a sister, Cathy Smith and a niece, Ebony Batiste.

Per state mandate for gatherings during Phase 1 of the COVID-19 HEALTH EMERGENCY the family will resolve a quiet hour privately by invitation only,

of a specific number strictly dictated and enforced by state order.

<https://gov.louisiana.gov/assets/Proclamations/2020/59-JBE-2020.pdf>

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Share words of comfort with the family of Elise Marie Lazard on her Permanent Life Tribute Page at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net. Be the first to post your most treasured memory of Elise. Show your support by sharing a personal message or story, meaningful photo or video, or record a video message using your webcam. On behalf of the family, we encourage you share your personal experiences and preserve the memory of Elise Marie Lazard for future generations to come.

The mandate for public gatherings makes it doubly difficult for grieving families especially, pastors and funeral service professionals; we pray your cooperation and support for us all !!!

We remain in prayer with and for all of the families we have served and are serving who have the difficult task of celebrating the lives and legacies of loved ones. Our prayer is that God grant you an extraordinary measure of strength and peace as you go forward. We are honored and grateful to be assisting with each celebration and appreciate the confidence entrusted to the legacy that is Williams Funeral Home. Family serving families "since 1932"!

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *Lisa and use to work together at Rehabilitation center of Opelousas when they first open on 3rd floor, condolences and prayers to her family*

Brenda Carter Leblanc - May 24, 2020 at 08:51 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard.*



May 21, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ *My condolences to the family RIP.From the Batiste family.*

Patti Batiste - May 20, 2020 at 10:26 AM



“ *Patti Batiste lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard*



Patti Batiste - May 20, 2020 at 10:21 AM

CS

“ *Christine Stoot lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard*



Christine Stoot - May 19, 2020 at 08:09 PM

IT

“ *My deepest condolences to the Smith and Lazard. May Elise now be granted eternal rest.*

Isabella b. Thompson - May 19, 2020 at 01:50 PM

VC

“ *VICKIE COMEAUX lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard*



VICKIE COMEAUX - May 19, 2020 at 01:20 PM

RF

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy and Prayers goes out to the Family! So sorry for your loss! Love you Classmate of 1975! R.I.P. Eliseo*



Rita Gradnigo Pickens & Family - May 19, 2020 at 04:05 AM

GM

“ So sorry to hear about your loss .
Lisa and I worked together many years ago at Prompt Succor Nsg Home during the time Sr Margaret Lafleur was there.
RIP Lisa and may God bless your family.
Glenda Moreau, Lpn

Glenda s Moreau - May 18, 2020 at 10:42 PM

BG

“ *My Deepest Prayers and Condolences to the family. RIP Elise.*



Brenda Green - May 18, 2020 at 09:05 PM

EW

“ *Emma West sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Elise Marie Lazard*



Emma West - May 18, 2020 at 09:04 PM

EB

To My Family May the Lord continue comforting you in this time of loss.
Love Ella Bob(Uncle Coes daughter) Franklin, La

Ella A. Bob - May 18, 2020 at 10:15 PM