



## Gail Mendoza Bruno

June 19, 1936 - March 15, 2020

UPDATE: THE OBITUARY HAS BEEN UPDATED SINCE ORIGINAL POSTING

Celebration of life services will be held for Mrs. Gail Mendoza Bruno, on Thursday, March 19, 2020, at 12:30 PM in Martin & Castille's La Fleur de Lis Chapel, SOUTHSIDE. Gail passed on Sunday, March 15, 2020 at Our Lady of Lourdes Regional Medical Center in Lafayette.

Graveside services will be at 1:00 PM in Sacred Heart of Jesus Mausoleum.

The family requests that visitation be observed in Martin & Castille's SOUTHSIDE location on Thursday, March 19, 2020 from 10:00 AM to the time of services at 12:30 PM. A recitation of the rosary will be prayed on Thursday, March 19, 2020 at 10:00 AM.

Reverend Matthew Higginbotham, Pastor of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Washington, La. will conduct the graveside services.

Survivors include her sons, Lester Bruno, Jr. and his wife Kristy; Benton Bruno; Vincent Bruno and wife Faye and Mark Bruno and wife Kristina; eleven grandchildren; and twelve great grandchildren; her sisters, June Lewis and Sandra Bergeron.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 59 years, Mr. Lester A. Bruno; her parents, Mr. Anthony Mendoza and Mrs. Clara Blanchard Mendoza; and her ten siblings.

Mrs. Gail was born on June 19, 1936 in Marrero, La. and has been a resident of Lafayette, Louisiana for the past 44 years. She was a graduate of Marrero High School and upon graduating high school she would soon marry Lester.

She was a loving wife and mother who dedicated her life to her family. Mrs. Bruno was a devout Catholic and a faithful member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Broussard. She volunteered some of her free time to the church and Catholic Schools. She was a fabulous

cook and also enjoyed music, dancing, playing cards, and playing golf.

Pallbearers will be her sons, Lester Jr., Benton, Vincent, Mark and her grandsons Anthony Bruno and Michael Bruno.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made in Gail Mendoza Bruno's name to St. Joseph Hospice, 923 W Pinhook Rd, Lafayette, LA 70503.

A heartfelt appreciation is extended by the Bruno family to Denise St. Julien and the staff at Gardenview and The Blake assisted living facilities.

View the obituary and guestbook online at [www.mourning.com](http://www.mourning.com)

Martin & Castille-SOUTHSIDE-600 E. Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA 70508, 337-984-2811

Cemetery

Events

Sacred Heart Mausoleum 200 W. Main St. Broussard, LA,	MAR 19	Rosary	10:00AM - 10:30AM
		Martin & Castille Funeral Home - Southside Location 600 East Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA, US, 70508	
	MAR 19	Visitation	10:00AM - 12:30PM
		Martin & Castille Funeral Home - Southside Location 600 East Farrel Rd., Lafayette, LA, US, 70508	
	MAR 19	Celebration of Life	12:30PM - 01:00PM
		Martin & Castille's La Fleur de Lis Chapel 600 E. Farrel Road, Lafayette, LA, US, 70508	

# Comments

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“ A tribute video has been added.



**Martin & Castille Funeral Home** - March 17, 2020 at 04:43 PM

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“ 6 files added to the album LifeTributes



**Martin & Castille Funeral Home** - March 18, 2020 at 09:36 AM

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“ 52 files added to the album LifeTributes



**Martin & Castille Funeral Home** - March 17, 2020 at 04:44 PM

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“ Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gail Mendoza Bruno.



March 17, 2020 at 11:57 AM

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“ My deepest condolences to the entire family for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. May Christ grant you peace and comfort during this time.

Sincerely,  
Eugene Rayneri

**Eugene Rayneri** - March 17, 2020 at 11:49 AM

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“ Shell Norco -Projects & Services Group purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gail Mendoza Bruno.



**Dawn Viviano** - March 16, 2020 at 07:24 PM