



## Irene Durio

December 1, 2014

Irene Theresa Sibille Durio

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 12:00 pm on Wednesday, December 3, 2014 at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Rayne, LA for Irene Sibille Durio, 91, who passed away on Monday, December 1, 2014. Interment will be in St. Leo Cemetery, Roberts Cove.

Survivors include her son, Craig A. Durio and his wife, Linda S. Durio, stepson, William H. Durio and daughter-in-law, Rita P. Durio; grandchildren, Brian Durio and fiancée, Jade B. Guidry, Matthew H. Durio and wife, Brandy B. Durio, and Caroline D. Kryszewski and husband, Alan Kryszewski; great grandchildren, Sophia and Michael Kryszewski and Mary Frances and Henri Durio; brother, Edward Sibille; sister-in-law, Claire D. Smith, and a host of nieces and nephews who were very near and dear to her heart.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lennard E. Durio, parents, Willie and Lilburn (Guilbeaux) Sibille; brothers, Willie Sibille, Jr. and Joseph Sibille; sisters, Vivian S. Glasscock and Elaine S. Dodge.

A native of Sunset, LA, Irene was born on October 11, 1923. She graduated from SLI (University of Louisiana-Lafayette) in 1944 with a bachelor's degree in the college of agriculture. She touched many lives of students at Iota High

School, where she taught Home Economics for most of her 35 year career. Irene enjoyed her retirement, being involved in numerous activities which included sewing for those she loved, traveling, cooking, and playing cards.

Irene was a member of Roberts Cove Ladies Altar Society, Catholic Daughters, and a weekly Roberts Cove Rosary Prayer Group.

Friends will be received on Tuesday, December 2, 2014 from 4:00 pm until 8:00pm and on Wednesday, December 3, 2014 from 8:00 am until time of services.

A rosary will be recited Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at 6:00 pm.

The family wishes to extend special heartfelt thanks to the staff at Rayne Guest Home, Dr. Tommy Curtis, and Hospice of Acadiana for the wonderful care provided. Memorial contributions can be made in Irene Durio's name to Hospice of Acadiana, Inc., 2600 Johnston St., Ste 200, Lafayette, LA 70503.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Gossen Funeral Home, Inc. of Rayne, LA.

Gossen Funeral Home, Inc.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Inc.  
504 N. Polk Street  
Rayne, LA 70578  
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## Rosary

DEC 2. 6:00 PM (CT)

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## Visitation

DEC 3. 8:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

GH

“ I am so sorry for your family's loss. Mrs. Durio was always strict with expectations for success... A true teacher....Later in life, I met her and realized what a fun-loving soul she actually was...My prayers are with her family...

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**Gwen Habetz** - January 08, 2015 at 12:48 PM

RP

“ The first year she taught me at Iota High School she was Irene Sebille. I remember when she got married and became Irene Durio. Whether I met her at Walmart or at church she remembered me and was kind to me. She taught me to sew and my family and friends benefitted from what she taught me. I will never forget her. She taught my firstborn, too. God bless her forever.

*RIP Mrs Durio  
Ruth Stroderd Pousson*

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**Ruth Stroderd Pousson** - December 03, 2014 at 02:41 PM

KL

“ Mrs Durio was my H.S. Home Ec. Teacher. I had not seen her since 1959, and sh came to my Mom's wake about 3 years ago. I introduced my son to her and told him she taught me Home Ec. He shook her hand and said " my mom must have failed". Of course I didn't fail, but Mrs. Durio really got a kick out of it. She will really be missed.

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**Katherine Cart Lay** - December 03, 2014 at 02:06 PM

CJ

“ As a young child I loved spending time with Irene. She always laughed. We had so much fun together. I even went to her home in Sunset and spent the week with her. When I was 9, she made me a "squaw dress". It was a beautiful green with lots of colorful rick rack. It had a really full skirt and I had so much fun twirling around and around.

*Irene remained generous and often visited Dad. God has claimed a wonderful person.*

*Connie Durio Jaubert*

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**Connie Jaubert** - December 02, 2014 at 07:29 PM

CH

“ Let perpetual light shine upon her, may she rest in peace. The family has my sympathy and my prayers. Mrs. Durio was my Home Ec teacher for four years I learned many things about sewing from this influential teacher. Cindy LeJeune Hebert

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**Cindy LeJeune Hebert** - December 02, 2014 at 06:47 PM

RP

*My first year of Home Ec at IHS I was taught by Irene Seville. She later became Irene Durio. I treasure all she taught me. She was very encouraging. She taught my firstborn.*

*Whether I met her at Walmart or at church she always knew me and was always kind to me. I'm so glad she was in my life.*

*Ruth Stroderd Pousson*

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**Ruth Pousson** - December 03, 2014 at 02:28 PM