



Mrs. Elsa Iris Baez Cruz

July 29, 1951 - April 22, 2025

Elsa Iris Baez Cruz, 73, passed away on April 22, 2025, following a courageous battle with cancer. She was the beloved wife of Luis Felix Cruz Maldonado who passed away on January 12, 2025.

Elsa was born in San German, Puerto Rico on July 29, 1951, a daughter of the late Aurelio Baez Belles and Cruz Marie Cancel. She was educated in Puerto Rico and graduated high school there.

Elsa came to the United States in the late 1960's. Prior to her retirement, Elsa was employed as a teacher in both Lowell and Chelsea.

She is survived by her children, Linda E. Cotte Baez, Leticia Cotte Baez, Alberto J. Cotte Baez, Luis Cruz, and Elizabeth Cruz; her grandchildren, Mileyshaliz Pacheco, Shana Marie Pacheco, Christian M. Pacheco, Zachira Gabriela Rodriguez, Luis Santos, and Dayalith Santos; her remaining siblings, Hilton Joe Baez, Lydia Estel Baez, Jose Roberto Baez, Julio Ceasar Baez, William Santos Baez, and Alida Baez.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn II

Boston Road
Lowell, MA 01852

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAY 4. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Fay McCabe Funeral Home
105 Moore Street
Lowell, MA 01852
(978) 459-9222
sean@faymccabe.com
<https://www.faymccabe.com>

Funeral Mass

MAY 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Patrick Church
282 Suffolk Street
Lowell, MA 01854
(978) 459-0561
<http://stpatricklowell.org>

Burial

MAY 5. 12:30 PM (ET)

Westlawn II
Boston Road
Lowell, MA 01852

Tribute Wall

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“ Sean & Erin Rourke lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Elsa Iris Baez Cruz



Sean & Erin Rourke - May 03, 2025 at 02:18 PM