



## Myrtis Bridget Guidry

October 8, 1928 - May 28, 2020

Myrtis Bridget Guidry died on Thursday May 28, 2020 at her home in Alexandria, Virginia at the age of 91; with members of her family in attendance. Born in Reserve Louisiana, she was the daughter of John Robert Williams, an engineer for Godchaux Sugar Refinery and Virginia Montz Williams, a homemaker. Married on January 2, 1953 for 55 years to Paul Lionel Guidry who passed away on January 12, 2008, also from Reserve. The couple resided in Washington DC and Detroit, Michigan before spending 20 years abroad in Mexico City from 1959 – 1969 and Paris, France from 1969 – 1979. During this time they raised their seven surviving children: Catherine, Paul, Michael, Tim, Marie, Jacques, and Peter. She is also survived by one son in law Philip, four daughters in law: Anne, Rita, Leslie and Ellen Marie, fourteen grandchildren: Benjamin, Samuel, Evan, Brian (and Laura), Alexander, Graham, Eric, Conner, Aimee, Trevor, William, Margaret, Ian and Henry, and two sisters Joyce Graugnard and Ethel Mae Trosclair. She will be greatly missed by her large family and many friend in Louisiana, Virginia, Maryland, Mexico and France.

Merle, as she is known by her family and friends will have a visitation at Millet-Guidry Funeral Home 2806 West Airline Highway, LaPlace, LA on Wednesday, June 3, 2020 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and on Thursday, June 4, 2020 at St. Peter Catholic Church, 1550 Hwy 44, Reserve, LA from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass at 11:00 a.m. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, the funeral service will have limited capacity. Interment

in St. Peter's Cemetery.

Donations in Merle's memory may be made to The Communities of Don Guanella; 20 E. Cleveland Ave. Norwood, PA 19074-1207. This community is dear to her heart for they take care of her special needs grandson Eric who lives there. Please consider sharing your thoughts, favorite memory or condolences at [www.milletguidry.com](http://www.milletguidry.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Peter Cemetery

1550 Hwy 44  
Reserve, LA 70084

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Millet Guidry Funeral Home  
2806 W Airline Hwy  
Laplace, LA 70068  
(985) 536-7700  
info@milletguidry.com  
<https://www.milletguidry.com>

## Visitation

JUN 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter Catholic Church  
1550 Hwy 44  
Reserve, LA 70084

## Mass

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JUN 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter Catholic Church  
1550 Hwy 44  
Reserve, LA 70084

# Tribute Wall



“ *Myrtis Bridget Guidry*

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October 05, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ *Please accept our heartfelt condolences. In the many years that we have known the Guidrys no family has so enchanted our lives and so much so with Merle. Each encounter brought joy. She was truly one of the greatest. Again, our condolences.*

*Love Mac and Gisela*

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**Walter McMann** - June 07, 2020 at 05:15 PM



“ *Out of all the Guidry aunts and uncles, I was closest to aunt Merle. I have many lovely memories with her and uncle Paul at their home in Lakeview. I offer thanks and blessings to both of them for the role they played in my life.*

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**John Guidry** - June 07, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ *Oh, my heart breaks for all of you for your loss of your mom. Such a beautiful lady who will be missed by all who knew her. I have so many wonderful memories of your mom, and enjoyed visiting her, Cathy and Ceci when they would come here for All Saints Day. Sending prayers that God gives you all strength during this sad time.*

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**Angel Levet Aycock** - June 05, 2020 at 10:14 AM

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“ *Cathy, Paul, Michael, Tim, Cessi, Jacques and Peter it seems like just yesterday I was meeting and playing with you in Mexico and then in Paris. I loved being with your family as did my grandparents. Celeste always said Paul was a little devil and Merle was his angel. You are certainly from a great set of parents. I'll always cherish those memories and hope that you've had good lives!*

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**Lorelei Schaefer...Celeste/Harry Graham** - June 04, 2020 at 08:07 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Myrtis Bridget Guidry.*



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June 02, 2020 at 06:47 PM

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“ *I truest felt bless to meet so a genteel lady. She was such a warm kind lady. Love. Anna.*



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**Anna** - June 01, 2020 at 06:23 PM