



Maria Luisa A. Rubin

September 28, 1957 - December 15, 2024

Maria Luisa Acero Rubin, 67, went to be with the Lord on December 15, 2024 after her long battle with cancer.

Malou as she was fondly known, was born on September 28, 1957 in Macrohon, Southern Leyte, Philippines, the youngest child to the late Lucia Moldes and Pablo Acero. She grew up alongside her four siblings. She attended high school at St. James Academy, Padre Burgos, Southern Leyte and attended Ortañez University, Cubao, Quezon City where she graduated with a degree in Bachelor of Science in Nursing.

As a nurse, she worked in Libya for 2 years, in Saudi Arabia for 2 years and Lincoln Hospital in Bronx, New York for 22 years before retiring to live in Lakeland, Florida.

Malou was a loving sister, aunt, cousin and friend. Her gentle smile, and generous heart made her an instant favorite among all who knew her. She had a passion for fishing, singing, gardening, and traveling. " Malou is a member of the Philippine International Christian Fellowship (PICF) and Terra Largo Bible study group."

Despite facing many health challenges in her life, Malou remained resilient and persevered through it all. She was a fighter till the end, and her unwavering faith in God was her strength.

Malou is survived by her beloved husband of 30 years, Alfredo, her siblings Felomina with husband Fred and Faustino with wife Norma, her nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

We will miss her dearly, but take comfort in the fact that she is now in a better place, free from pain and suffering.

Cemetery Details

Serenity Gardens

3350 Mall Hill Drive
Lakeland, FL 33810

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - Serenity Gardens Chapel
3350 Mall Hill Drive
Lakeland, FL 33810
(863) 858-4474
t.hall@gentry-morrison.com
<https://www.gentry-morrison.com/>

Visitation

DEC **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Maria Luisa A. Rubin



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - December 20, 2024 at 04:28 PM



“ Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Maria Luisa A. Rubin



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - December 18, 2024 at 09:20 AM



“ CECILIA lit a candle in memory of Maria Luisa A. Rubin



CECILIA - December 21, 2024 at 11:20 AM

CE

Condolences to the family, may God give you comfort and strength always.

CECILIA - December 21, 2024 at 11:23 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Maria Luisa A. Rubin.

December 20, 2024 at 10:47 AM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Maria Luisa A. Rubin.



December 20, 2024 at 10:47 AM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maria Luisa A. Rubin.



December 19, 2024 at 09:54 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Maria Luisa A. Rubin.

December 19, 2024 at 09:54 PM

PF

“ Paulo and Family purchased the *Treasured Lilies Spray* for the family of *Maria Luisa A. Rubin*.



Paulo and Family - December 19, 2024 at 03:52 PM

MI

“ Mildred planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of *Maria Luisa A. Rubin*.

Mildred - December 18, 2024 at 07:26 PM

MI

“ Mildred purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of *Maria Luisa A. Rubin*.



Mildred - December 18, 2024 at 07:26 PM

LH

“ Malou my friend, thank you for all the precious memories we shared. Your beautiful voice and smile, i will miss. Your strength and great faith in God is your gift to me. Thank you Malou Rest in Eternal peace Amen!

Luz Henriquez - December 17, 2024 at 03:54 PM

FG

“ From Terralargo Bible study Group purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Maria Luisa A. Rubin.



From Terralargo Bible study Group - December 17, 2024 at 03:47 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Maria Luisa A. Rubin.



December 17, 2024 at 01:11 PM

EF

“ I only know Malou for 4 years. She has a quiet demeanor, a quiet smile, and quiet humor. However, when you hear her sing, she has a powerful voice that reaches the angels in heaven. It brings Joy to everyone's heart and most of all to God be the glory.

Esther Fanco - December 17, 2024 at 12:01 PM

AM

“ *My family and I will be forever grateful for all Marilou did to reunite my papa to his Great Aunt Lucia and family. And making it happen for me to meet more family in the Philippines and the United States.*
~ Arlene Rose

*"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted"
We give our deepest condolences. May the love of Jesus touch your hearts!*

~ From the family of Philip (Peping) Muldez

Arlene McDonald - December 17, 2024 at 07:45 AM

AM

Flowers (Divine Peace Bouquet) sent from the family of Philip (Peping) Muldez. May the cross remind you the hope of glory, knowing the promise of eternal life to those who have accepted Jesus as their Lord & Savior. Marilou walked the life of a faithful servant.

Arlene McDonald - December 18, 2024 at 04:54 AM