

BROKEN CHAIN

By Ron Tranmer

*We little knew that day,
God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death, we do the same.*

*It broke our hearts to lose you.
You did not go alone.
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.*

*You left us beautiful memories,
Your love is still our guide.
And although we cannot see you,
You are always at our side.*

*Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again.*

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Celebration of Life



January 5, 1937 — December 22, 2021

Marie Ghislaine Exilien

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 2021

WAKE: 9:00 AM • SERVICE: 10AM

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Parish
1548 Blue Hill Avenue
Mattapan, MA 02126**

BIOGRAPHY

Marie Ghislaine Exilien was born on January 5, 1937 in Port-au-Prince, Haiti to her parents Georges and Georgette Ricot Exilien. In 1971, she immigrated to the United States where she settled in Boston, Massachusetts.

Ghislaine loved to cook and her passion for cooking was her way of expressing her love for those close to her. She was famous for chicken, her black rice (du riz djondjon), sweet potato pie (pain patate) and fritters (akra), just to name a few. She had strong sense of faith despite any hardship that presented themselves in her life. She prayed daily specially for those around her. Ghislaine remained strong in her faith until the day of her passing on December 22, 2021.

She is surviving by her children Yolette Coutard, Carl S. Chavannes, Cecil P. Chavannes, her Brothers Serge Exilien (dit Bobby), Roosevelt Jean, her sister Josette Louis, her grand children Briana D. Chavannes-Smith, Patrick K. Chavannes-Smith, Her nephews Reginald Louis, David Exilien, Georges Exilien, Antoine Roosevelt Buckmire, Vladimir Joseph Jean, Her nieces Tatiana Louis, Cassandre Exilien, Diannah Herolds, Vanessa Simeon, Sabrina Cantley, Jihane Jean.

Her cousins Arnold Ricot, Danielle Ricot, Noella Ricot Pierre, Ulma Ricot, Gladys Ricot, and all other families members and friends who loved her dearly.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Entrance: Kyrie

First Reading

Psalm

Acclamation

Gospel

Universal Prayer

Presentation & Preparation of the Gifts

The Sign of Peace

Santos Agnus

Communion

Eulogy

Action of grace

Final Prayer

Interment

Cedar Grove Cemetery