



## Bianca Lydia Wick

October 28, 1959 - May 26, 2021

Bianca Lydia Wick (nee Lemus), age 61 years. Born to Eternal Life on May 26, 2021.

Dear wife of Michael Sr., and loving mother to Michael Jr., Anthony, Andrea and Gianna. Beloved sister to Jismina Saavedra, Schirley Savers, Orlando Rodriguez, Federico Lemus and Nestor Lemus. Further survived by nieces, nephews and many other family members and friends.

Preceded in death by her mother Renee Castillo and her father Federico Lemus, as well as her siblings Richard Lemus, Mercedes Castillo, Maritza Castillo, Saul Castillo and Ivan Castillo.

Born in San Pedro Sula, Honduras, Bianca immigrated to the United States in 1986 from Guatemala City, Guatemala. She proudly became a U.S. citizen in 1998 after she and Michael were married in 1993.

Bianca worked for many years in various salons in Central America and in the United States and was a licensed nail technician in Illinois and Indiana. She was deeply loved by her clientele and coworkers and gave all that she had to serve others.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church (200

East 78th Avenue, Merrillville, Indiana) on Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at 11:00 AM. Most Rev. Robert J. McClory will preside, and Most Rev. Donald Hying will give the homily.

Visitation will be held at the parish church from 9:00 AM until the time of Mass. Interment will follow on a later date at Holy Cross Cemetery, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Masks must be worn during Visitation and Mass.

The family suggests memorial gifts be made to the Conventual Franciscan Friars of Marytown, 1600 W. Park Avenue, Libertyville, Illinois 60048 to go towards an outdoor statue of St. Maximilian Kolbe that will be erected in Bianca's memory.

Special thanks to the staff of Franciscan Home Hospice Care, as well at Franciscan Health, Rush and Methodist Hospitals and Northwest Cancer Center.[www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 1. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church  
200 East 78th Ave.  
Merrillville , IN 46410

## Mass of Christian Burial

JUN 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Church  
200 E. 78th Ave  
Merrillville, IN

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The loss cannot be put into words. Bianca was a wonderful lady. Bianca kept my nails looking great on my toes and fingers. My appointment usually was longer than it should have been, but that was Okay with Bianca. We would discuss the problems in the world and our wonderful dogs. I miss her wonderful smile and laugh and the big hug when she was finished. I always worried about her driving back and forth from Indiana, but she said it was not a problem. The last time I saw Bianca she gave me an angel, which I pin on my coat that wear when I walk my dog. I pray for her every night before I go to sleep.*

*Bianca I miss you.  
June Emrich*

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**June R. Emrich** - June 12, 2021 at 05:52 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the entire family on the passing of Bianca, wife and mother. It is so tragic that one so young had to suffer so much. I know that she fought courageously, and God will welcome her into His kingdom. May your memories and your faith console you during this difficult time. I only wish that I could be there to support you in person, but as you know, Tuesday is an exam day at Andrean. Rest assured that you will all be in my thoughts.*



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**Mary Kopil** - May 28, 2021 at 08:58 AM