



## Blanca E. Lopez

August 11, 1958 - December 25, 2011

Blanca Estela Lopez, age 53 of Beverly Shores, IN and formerly of East Chicago, IN, passed away December 25, 2011. Blanca was a graduate of Bishop Noll High School, Class of 1976. She received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Fine Arts from Indiana University Northwest in 1991 and a Master of Fine Arts Degree from the University of Chicago in 1994. She has been an instructor at the American Academy of Art in Chicago for 10 years. Blanca is survived by her husband Gary Gordon of Beverly Shores; son Rudy Paul Gonzalez of Chicago; brothers Jesus (Tricia) Lopez of Indianapolis and Salvador (Sally) Lopez of East Dundee, IL ; sisters Guadalupe Chapa of Portage, Maggie (Isidro) Flores of East Chicago and many nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Life Service will be held Friday, December 30, 2011 at 5 p.m. at Saint Ann of the Dunes Church, 433 E. Golfwood Rd., Beverly Shores, IN. Cremation at Burns Funeral Home Crematory will precede the Celebration of Life Service. Burns Funeral Home, Hobart in charge of arrangements.