



## Clare Andres

April 27, 1945 - March 16, 2013

Clare Andres, Executive Assistant to the President of West Virginia State University, passed away peacefully and unexpectedly on Saturday, March 16, 2013 at her home on campus.

The deceased was born in Alhambra, California on April 27, 1945, the daughter of Frank and Clare Tomal. After early education in Chicago Catholic schools, she earned a Bachelors Degree at Rosary College in River Forest, Illinois and a Masters Degree in English from John Carroll University in Cleveland, where she met her husband Jim.

The couple, who have six children, were first married in 1968 and remarried in 2003. Beside her accomplishments as a parent, wife, homemaker, seamstress, crafter, and knitter, Clare became an executive secretary and administrative assistant with superlative editorial and organizational skills.

Her professional expertise brought her to West Virginia State University in July of 2012 as part of President Brian Hemphill's new administrative team. Clare's love for both beauty and precision set a high standard for those who lived with or worked with her, but she showed an equally high standard for herself in the areas of compassion and courtesy. Although generous in bestowing her gifts upon others, especially the less fortunate, she avoided calling attention to her many kindnesses.

Along with her loving husband and longtime friend Jim, Clare leaves her children: Sara Graber of Roscoe, Illinois; Andrew Andres of Phoenix; Patrick Andres of Belvidere, Illinois; Cathleen Andres of Saint Charles, Illinois; Angela Andres of Brooklyn, New York; and Cora Moreno of Woodland, California.

In addition to her nine grandchildren, the deceased is survived by her brother, Michael J. Ricard; her sister, Cathleen Dohmeier; and several nieces and nephews.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 am Thursday, March 21, 2013 at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 1023 Sixth Avenue, St. Albans with Rev. Father Patrick M. McDonough officiating.

Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 21. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church  
1023 Sixth Avenue  
St. Albans, WV 25177

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# Tribute Wall



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