



# Glicería S.L. Padilla

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**L**eticia “Letty” San Luis Padilla, MD May 13, 1932 – January 7, 2026

Dr. Glicería (Letty) San Luis Padilla, MD, age 93, passed away on January 7, 2026, surrounded by her loving family.

Born in Manila, Philippines, on May 13, 1932, Letty was the cherished daughter of Dolores Reyes and Judge Teofilo San Luis, Sr. Her early experiences during World War II inspired her lifelong commitment to helping others, and she pursued her calling in medicine, graduating from the University of Santo Tomas Medical School, Class of 1957. She treasured lifelong friendships with her classmates, especially her beloved “Champaka Gang,” and remained connected with them through medical missions and reunions around the world.

Letty came to New York in 1958 for her medical internship, and it was there on New Year’s Eve that she met Dr. Jaime S. Padilla, her future husband. They married in June 1959 and built a life together in Pottstown, Pennsylvania, raising five children: Leticia (Tish), Jaime J. (Jim), George, Mark, and Peter.

Dr. San Luis practiced medicine with compassion and dedication at Elmhurst General Hospital and Unity Hospital in New York, and later at Pennhurst and Wernersville State Hospitals in Pennsylvania, until her retirement.

A devoted mother and grandmother, Letty created a warm and welcoming home filled with love and cherished family traditions — especially sharing her ancestral recipes. She enjoyed travel, classic films, detective shows, and always encouraged her family to explore the world.

Letty was predeceased by her parents Dolores Reyes and Teofilo San Luis, Sr.; her siblings Rosalina Marcelo and Teofilo San Luis, Jr.; and her step-siblings Maning San Pedro, Lydia Dizon,



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and Tessie Amante.

She is survived by her beloved husband of 66 years, Dr. Jaime S. Padilla; her children Leticia (Tish) Padilla, Jaime J. (Jim) and Yvette Padilla, George Padilla, Mark and Colleen Padilla, and Peter Padilla; her grandchildren Samantha, Megan, Jonathan, Jason, and Shannon Padilla; and her extended family including step-siblings Erling San Luis Agana, Dr. Danilo San Luis, Rose San Luis Go, and Teofilo (Ching) San Luis, Jr.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Jude the Apostle Church, 152 Tulip Drive, Lewes, DE 19958, on February 16, 2026, followed by a small reception with family and friends.

Letty's kindness, strength, and love touched countless lives. She will be deeply missed and fondly remembered by all who knew her.

Please sign the tribute wall located on this website.





# Events

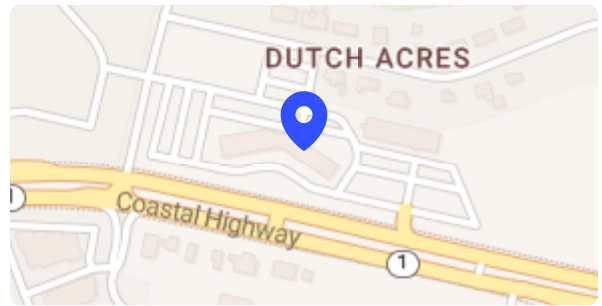
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## Mass of Christian Burial

 **Monday**, February 16, 2026

 **St Jude The Apostle Catholic Church**  
152 Tulip Drive, Lewes DE 19958





# Tribute Wall

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**Xavier Laredo** lit a candle in honor of Gliceria.

She welcomed us very warmly into his home and prepared a huge dinner with many Filipino dishes. She was very kind, and I remember her fondly simply for allowing me to share a meal with her family. May she rest in peace.

February 21 at 1:25 AM



**With Our Love, Psua 4Ever** sent an Arrive in Style to the Padilla family.

February 9 at 10:52 AM



**With Our Love, Psua 4Ever** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Gliceria.

February 9 at 10:52 AM



**Ofelia Bautista** posted:

Condolence to the family may her soul rest in peace. She will be missed terribly. Ben Bautista and family

January 15 at 9:08 PM



**Marilou Concepcion** posted:

Love from Marcelo-Concepcion Family (Marilou, Norbert Jr, Norbert III & Zandro and Dr Marinor Anne)

January 15 at 4:50 PM



**Love, Malou, Jun, Norbert & Dr Marinor** sent a Lily and Rose Tribute Spray to the Padilla family.

January 15 at 4:41 PM





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**Love From The Villegas Family** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Padilla family.



January 15 at 11:57 AM



**Marilou Concepcion** posted:

My Sincere Condolences to the Padilla Family.Keeping your family in my prayer.From,Rose Siquijor

January 14 at 10:17 PM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:52 PM

Thank you!



**Marilou Concepcion** posted:

Our Deepest Sympathy to the Padilla Family.There are no words for the legacy Tita Letty has left on our family. Her shining personality will live in our hearts.Tita Letty was an amazing person and led a wonderful live. She will be missed.We love you Tita Letty.From,The Marcelo-Concepcion Family (Marilou, Norbert Jr, Norbert III & Zandro and Dr Marinor Anne)

January 14 at 10:14 PM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:51 PM

Thank you!



**Elizabeth Dizon** posted:

Tita Letty, may you find rest and warmth with our Lord. We will miss you so much and will always have you in our hearts.We offer prayers of sympathy and condolences to the family.Love, Beth Europa and family

January 14 at 9:02 PM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:50 PM

Thank you!



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OF

**Oly & Gail. Marcelo And Family** sent a Pink Tribute Spray to the Padilla family.



January 14 at 1:45 PM

MM

**Marissa Mendoza** lit a candle in honor of Gliceria.

We will miss you Tita Letty, but we also find comfort knowing that you are now resting in God's loving arms, free from pains, surrounded by his peace. As the bible says.. "Well done, good and faithful servant " and we truly believe that this meant for you.. We love you Tita Letty.. Thank you for the love, and the moments we shared! Until we meet again. Ning and Bing



January 14 at 9:09 AM

MC

**Marilou Concepcion** posted:

I love you, Tita Letty, may you find eternal peace in the arms of our Lord. Though you are gone, your light continues to shine in our hearts. We will cherish all the wonderful memories of you. Love, Leonora San Luis Marcelo

January 14 at 3:05 AM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:47 PM

Thank you!

SO

**Suzie Oh** sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Padilla family.



January 13 at 7:12 PM

SF

**Steve Frishcosy** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Padilla family.



January 13 at 5:52 PM



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EM

**Endo Mendoza** posted:

Our deepest sympathies to the family of Letty. May she Rest in Peace. - From Lucy Mendoza (Pedro (Endo) Mendoza, first cousin of Letty)

January 13 at 12:12 PM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:45 PM

Thank you!

EM

**Endo Mendoza** posted:

Our deepest sympathies to the family of Letty. May she Rest in Peace. - From Lucy Mendoza (Pedro Mendoza, first cousin of Letty)

January 13 at 12:11 PM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:44 PM

Thank you!

DP

**Des Padilla** posted:

We offer prayers of sympathy and condolences to the family of Tia Letty. Eternal rest grant unto the soul of Gliceria Padilla and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen 🙏🙏 Tess Mendoza-Yupano and family

January 13 at 9:36 AM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:43 PM

Thank you!

HB

**Helena Bangit** posted:

Our deepest condolences. We will miss you. Love you Ninang Letty.- Leny Bangit & family

January 13 at 8:12 AM



**Leticia Padilla** February 20 at 12:41 PM

Thank you!



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**Dalisay Limjap** posted:

Goodbye dear Tita Letty. Thank you for the love, kindness, generosity and the memories. I will miss you dearly. Love Nene

January 13 at 6:41 AM



**Amelia, Fred And Family** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Padilla family.



January 13 at 4:52 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Padilla family.



January 12 at 7:44 PM



**Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium** shared an album called **Memories Album**.



January 12 at 3:53 PM



# Media

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Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium shared a photo to the **Memories Album** album.

January 12 at 3:53 PM

*In Loving Memory of*  
**Dr. Gliceria San Luis Padilla**




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Gliceria (Letty) was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. Her gentle spirit, unwavering kindness, and unconditional love left a lasting impression on all who had the privilege of knowing her. She will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered, with her legacy living on through the many lives she's touched.

*Rest in Eternal Peace*

*"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith."  
 2 Timothy 4:7*





# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Gliceria by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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