The John S. Jackoboice Family Endowment
In Memory of Mary Ann Jackoboice

John S. Jackoboice (’66) established this endowment in memory of his late wife, Mary Ann, who died in 1993 after a 17-year battle with cancer. Mary Ann (Wheaton) attended Saint Mary’s College and graduated from Indiana University (Bloomington) in 1966. A year later, she married John. They had three children, William, John, and Ann, all of whom are Notre Dame graduates.

John Jackoboice is chairman of Monarch Hydraulics, Inc., in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Monarch is the 64th oldest active family business in the United States and the oldest in Michigan. John is chair of the emeritus board of Saint Mary’s Health Care and a member of the Hospice of Michigan Foundation Board. At Notre Dame, he serves on the Advisory Council for the Hesburgh Libraries. In 1997, he married Sarah Horning, the president of the guild supporting Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital.

Over the past several years, the Jackoboice Family Endowment in Memory of Mary Ann Jackoboice, dedicated to Mariology, has enriched the Hesburgh Libraries’ holdings in the study of Our Lady by enabling the acquisition of monographs that document the role of Mary in the systematic theology of the Roman Catholic Church, as well as studies of her emergence in the early tradition of the Church and of her veneration in the development of popular piety. Earnings from the Jackoboice Endowment have also permitted the Hesburgh Libraries to comprehensively acquire materials documenting the many apparitions of Mary during the last century and a half.