



Denise L. Ferrelli

March 12, 1956 - November 24, 2011

Denise Ferrelli, 55 years old of Aurora. Loving mother to Meagan (Colin Ross) and Anthony. Wife to Christopher. Daughter to Alberta and Charles (deceased) Williams. Sister to Diane (Gary Schnieder), Debbie (Jack Brennan), and Robert Williams. Daughter-in-law to Joan and Anthony Ferrelli. Denise passed away from complications of pneumonia on November 24, 2011 after a short but tenacious fight. Denise was originally from the Scottsdale neighborhood on Chicago's south side. Despite her fear that civilization ceased to exist west of Kingery Road, Denise moved to Aurora in 1987 and married Chris in 1989. Denise was an avid Chicago Bears fan and for reasons unexplained, also a fan of the Chicago Cubs. Whether it was Meagan's work with challenged individuals or Anthony's participation in sports, Denise loved her children and was very proud of them. Denise was a ease in the kitchen and was known for her lasagna, eggplant parmesan, and pasta dinners when family would gather at the table for food, refreshments, and energetic conversation. Although not of Italian decent, Denise quickly became accustomed to the arts of Italian cooking as if she had "just got off the boat". Denise loved to travel but her favorite vacation destination was Clear Lake Resort in Rhinelander, Wisconsin. Denise spent many enjoyable hours with Chris sitting in a boat drowning crawlers and catching the occasional largemouth. Another love of Denise's was for her many canine companions that she had through the years; all characters, all loyal, and most importantly to Denise; they were all rescue dogs. Most recently, Denise was employed by

Jewel Osco working in the deli department where she quickly made friends with the regular customers that would come in for their weekly purchases. Denise will be missed by all who were touched by her unique personality and talents. Good-bye Denise; no more pain, no more suffering. We will miss you. Please watch over Meagan and Anthony. We would like to thank the nurses and doctors at Provena ICU who diligently worked with Denise during her stay at the hospital. Please remember Denise by making a donation to the Fox Valley Animal Welfare League and/or Recycled Rotts, Inc.

Funeral from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY will be Tuesday, November 29, 2011 at 9:30am to St. Peter Church at 10:00am. Fr. Antoni Kretowicz will officiate. Interment will be at a later date. Visitation will be Monday, November 28, 2011 from 4:00pm until 8:00pm at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora, 630-631-5500 or visit our new interactive website where you may leave condolences for Denise's family.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **28**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
Aurora, IL 60506
(630) 631-5500
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

Funeral Mass

NOV **29**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter Church
925 Sard Avenue
Aurora, IL 60506
1-630-896-6816

Tribute Wall

SN

“ Missed Denise at 40th High School reunion. Sorry to hear she was gone. We were best friends in High School. Lost touch after I moved to California. I have great memories of our high school days. Sorry for your loss. I'm sure her sisters and brother remember me...Sandy.
(Sandra Neville)

Sandra Neville - January 08, 2015 at 07:20 PM

EF

“ Ferrelli family,
Although Denise and I had not been in touch in many years I was lucky to have her as a mentor as I entered the retail business in 1983. She will always hold a special place in my heart. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you.
Eileen Guedel-Fischer

Eileen Fischer - December 31, 2011 at 09:58 PM

TF

“ The Brennan And Gaffney Family lit a candle
in memory of Denise L. Ferrelli



The Brennan and Gaffney Family - December 05, 2011 at 03:25 PM

MO

“ Mom lit a candle in memory of Denise L. Ferrelli



Mom - December 05, 2011 at 03:21 PM

DB

“ Debra Brennan lit a candle in memory of Denise L. Ferrelli



Debra Brennan - December 05, 2011 at 03:19 PM

SB

“ Dear Meagan,,,

I am so sorry for your loss. I remember your mother as a fun loving, great sense of humored person. I'm sure you will miss her terribly. My deepest sympathy.

Uncle Scott

Scott Booth - November 28, 2011 at 07:10 PM

JF

“ Diane Schneider & Family

I am so terribly sorry to hear of your recent loss. My love and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Jason Fitch

Jason Fitch - November 28, 2011 at 07:04 PM

CR

“ Dear Meagan and family,

I am so sorry for your loss. Although I didn't have the opportunity to know your mom, I know she must have been an incredible, loving mother to raise a daughter as special as you. God bless you all.

Cheryl Regier

cheryl regier - November 28, 2011 at 05:43 PM

DW

“ Chris, Megan and Anthony - Jeanne and I can't find the words to express how sad we are at your loss. Denise was a great person and someone who always had a smile and will be greatly missed.
Dan and Jeanne Wasser

Dan Wasser - November 28, 2011 at 03:00 PM

KO

“ Chris and Family - I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Know that you have a very special & beautiful guardian angel shining down on you...
Kathy Owskiak

Kathy Owskiak - November 28, 2011 at 02:48 PM

JB

“ Chris and Family,

I am deeply saddened to hear of Denise's passing. We are so very sorry for your loss. Our love and prayers are with you at this most difficult time.

John Broom

John Broom - November 28, 2011 at 10:44 AM

BG

“ *Megan and Family,*

We are sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. I know that your Mother was very proud of you and the Love she had for you is reflected in the Beautiful work that you do with Special Needs Children here in Phoenix. Our Love and Prayers are with you and your family as you go through this very difficult time.



*Jack and Beverly Graves
(GranJack and Nana of Mackenzie Morris)*

Beverly Graves - November 27, 2011 at 07:39 PM

JM

“ *Chris, Anthony and Meagan,*

We are so sorry for your loss. We will miss Denise. We shared many good times and laughs with her. She was a very caring person who loved you very much.

Love, Jim and Laurie McErlean

Jim McErlean - November 27, 2011 at 03:59 PM