



## Sarah T. Rice

January 16, 1963 - February 5, 2014

Sarah T. Rice, 51, of Whitehall, WI, passed away Wednesday, February 5, 2014 at Trempealeau County Health Care Center Whitehall, WI. She was born January 16, 1963 in Aurora, Illinois.

Sarah was a graduate of Rosary High School in Aurora. From her earliest years, she loved art, and fishing, swimming, waterskiing, and hiking in the Wisconsin north woods.

Survivors include her father, Dr. J. Ransom Rice; four sisters, Carol (Bob) Rosignolo, Cathy (Bob) Platt, Mary (Ed) Shenoo, Karen (Bob) Weldon; three brothers, Ransom Rice, Craig (Mary) Rice, Paul (Suzy) Rice; many nieces and nephews, and several great nieces and a great nephew.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Jean C. Rice.

Funeral services will be held Monday, February 10, 2014 at 10:30 AM from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, to Holy Angels Church at 11:00 AM, Fr. Joel Rippinger, O.S.B. will officiate with entombment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Monday, February 10, 2014 from 9:00 AM until 10:30 AM at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 North Lake Street, Aurora. 630-631-5500. Please visit our new interactive website at [www.daleidenmortuary.com](http://www.daleidenmortuary.com)

to leave condolences for Sarah's family or sign the guest book.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made in Sarah's name to the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill (NAMI); P.O. Box 62596 Baltimore, MD 21264-2596 or to Rosary High School, 901 N Edgelawn Drive, Aurora, IL 60506.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Olivet Cemetery

278 Ashland Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60505

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 10. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Mass

FEB 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

Holy Angels Church  
120 South Lancaster Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60506

# Tribute Wall

ML

“ Remembering Sally's kindness and warmth. Such a sweet and beautiful person. The angels have taken her home. God Bless you, Sally.

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**Mary LaFleur** - February 14, 2014 at 09:26 AM

KC

“ Dear Rice family, I have such fond memories of Sally and her beautiful smile, eyes, and soul. She was always so gentle and kind. My thoughts are with all of you and especially with Sally. Blessings to all of you, Karen Childress

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**karen childress** - February 13, 2014 at 11:48 PM

PG

“ My condolences to the entire Rice family. I have so many fond childhood memories of our neighborhood friends across the street! God bless Sally!  
Patty Garrity

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**Patty Garrity** - February 13, 2014 at 08:16 AM

LF

“ To the entire Rice Family I send my heartfelt condolences to you all. Sally had a beautiful spirit, as I remember in the halls of Rosary High School, and one gorgeous smile!! Rest now, Sally, for all eternity! God Bless you all.

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**Lou Anne Feltes** - February 12, 2014 at 12:29 PM

LM

“ I received notice of Sally's passing from Rosary High School's Alumnae Director. I am thankful to be informed and so touched by the wonderful tributes to her. Seeing her picture takes me back 40 years instantly. I attended both grade school at Holy Angels and high school with Sally. She was such a sweet person - so unassuming and open. And man, did she have beautiful blue eyes and gorgeous blond hair! I was just as shy as she was, and when you're young girls, you don't always see or understand the personal challenges our peers may face. I don't believe we saw each other after school, and I've lived in California for the last 20 years. But my roots are still in Aurora, and hearing about all Sally has done and what she meant to others brings me right back home. Heartfelt sympathy to the Rice family. Sally is in her glory with the Lord. Laurie Miller-McNeill, Danville CA (daughter of Frank & Marianne Miller, Aurora, IL)

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**Laurie Miller** - February 12, 2014 at 12:30 AM



“ Turkey Dinner was purchased for the family of Sarah T. Rice.



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February 09, 2014 at 04:03 PM

KH

“ Bob and Cathy & Family, Our deepest sympathies go out to your entire family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this sad time. May God Bless you all. The Hilgart Family

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**kathy hilgart** - February 09, 2014 at 11:48 AM

SF

“ *Sally and John and Family purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Basket for the family of Sarah T. Rice.*



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**Sally and John and Family** - February 08, 2014 at 02:28 PM

CP

“ *To Dear Uncle Ransom and all of Sally's family: Though I have not been blessed to meet my cousin Sally and so many other of my cousins, my heart and prayers are with you all. This must be so hard for you and for her many friends and caregivers, too. It is good to read about what Sally loved to do and how sweet and beautiful a person she was. She struggled long and bravely with her illness, she was fortunate to be born into a wonderful family and to have such wonderful help and resources; I know you gave her all the best.*

*God Bless you all and give you peace....*

*Love,*

*Cathy Probst*

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**Cathy Probst** - February 08, 2014 at 09:30 AM

KF

“ *I had the privilege of knowing Sarah and working with her over the past several years. She loved art, loved to sing, and could make people laugh. It will definitely be different walking the halls of TCHCC without her presence there. My thoughts are with your family through this difficult time. May Sarah rest in peace!*

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**KF** - February 08, 2014 at 02:21 AM

MF

“ With great memories of our wonderful neighbors, we send our prayers for Sally and all the Rices who remain in our thoughts, prayers and hearts.

Love,  
Toni & Mary Catherine Fox

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**Mary Fox** - February 07, 2014 at 06:52 PM

SA

“ We will miss you Aunt Sally. I found the cross necklace she gave me after one of our visits together her while I lived in La Crosse. I'm forever touched by her generous and sweet soul/spirit despite the difficulties and challenges she faced in her life. May you Rest In Peace forever and ever, Aunt Sally. Your courage and strength is an inspiration to all of us. Love, your niece, Sarah

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**Sarah** - February 07, 2014 at 05:13 PM

MR

“ I got the pleasure of meeting Sarah and she was such a delight. She would always show me what pictures or projects she was working on. I always looked forward to our visits...although they were short they bring back great memories. My thoughts and prayers go out to Sarah's family!!

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**Michelle Ruka** - February 07, 2014 at 03:52 PM

PP

*My sincere condolences and heartfelt sympathy to the entire Rice family at Sally's passing. Sally was a special soul, and will always hold a special place in my heart. You are all in my thoughts & prayers.  
~Patty Purcell in California (Ed & Pat Garrity's neice)*

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**Patty Purcell** - February 09, 2014 at 08:15 PM



*My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this sad time. My deepest condolences, Kerrie Konen-Pelenytschka*

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**Kerrie Konen-Pelenytschka** - February 10, 2014 at 09:05 AM



*I am so sorry to hear about Sally. I went to Rosary with her and remember her always smiling. My thoughts and prayers are with the Rice family. I love the picture (it brings me right back to Rosary). Agnes Brennan-Dufficy*

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**Agnes Brennan Dufficy** - February 12, 2014 at 12:52 PM