



Dianne Marie Calmes

October 1, 1946 - March 6, 2012

Dianne Marie Calmes, age 65, of Toledo, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family at the Hospice of Northwest Ohio in Perrysburg after a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer.

Dianne was born in Toledo Ohio on October 1, 1946 to Harold and Teresa (Pinciotti) Calmes and was the second oldest of eight children.

Dianne went to Notre Dame Academy and then joined VISTA. She graduated from Eastern Illinois University with her Master's Degree in Counseling. She was a counselor and was passionate about helping people. She worked for several years as a counselor at Catholic Charities and most recently for the Zepf Center. Throughout her life she donated her time to helping people whether it was at the Boys Club, VISTA, Battered Women's Shelters and other charitable organizations. She loved nature and enjoyed the parks but most of all she loved her grandchildren.

Left to cherish her memory are her daughters Darcy and Carmen Kantner; grandchildren Jordan Kantner-O'Connell and Autum Kantner; siblings Sue (Steve) Eich, Doris (David) Bobak, Connie (Chuck) VanKoughnet, Terry (Ken) Gustin, Chris (Nick) Borgert, Mark (Julie) Calmes, and Paul Calmes and many nieces, nephews and friends. Dianne was preceded in death by her parents.

A memorial mass to celebrate Dianne's life will be held on Tuesday, March 13, 2012 at Corpus Christi University Parish, 2955 Dorr St. Toledo, Ohio, 43607 at 11:00 am where the family will receive guests starting at 10:00 am.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may take the form of a contribution to The Victory Center, Pancreatic Cancer Action Network at www.FirstGiving.com, Hospice of Northwest Ohio or of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Melanie Gustin-McCaskey lit a candle in memory of Dianne Marie Calmes*



Melanie Gustin-McCaskey - March 01, 2020 at 01:56 PM



“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you. I had the pleasure of knowing and working with Diane at the Toledo Edison Co. (cashiers dept) back in the late 60's. It was just a short time, but I remember her as kind, warm, friendly. and a hard working young person. We shared laughs, I think she even cut my hair once. She always had goals and most of all she had a strong faith.*

Peace and comfort to all of you.##imported-begin##Joyce Michalak Rpmm2243@aol.com##imported-end##

March 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Sue, It's unfortunate that I'm connecting with Mary Manse friends because of news such as this. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Now that I'm retired, I've been dusting off memories of my life and recalling all the stories I've made/shared with people like you. Mary Frances MMC '68##imported-begin##Mary Frances Wojciechowski mwoj28@gmail.com##imported-end##*

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“ Bob and I want to express our deepest sympathy to all of the Calmes family, but most especially to Suzanne and Doris on the loss of Dianne. You are always in our thoughts and prayers and we hope that it will bring you some comfort. Your parents must be so delighted to have her with them. With love always, Bob and Mary Bridget###imported-begin###Bob and Mary Bridget DeLaney Utrup m aryutrup@yahoo.com###imported-end##

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“ Tony & I are sending our sympathy to the enite Calmes family. I have such fond memeories of our times at Gesu and the old Evansdale neighborhood. Dianne & I were good buddies, way back then. She "found" me several years ago and I was able to give her a couple of massages. It was wonderful to see her again and renew our old friendship. I am unable to attend mass with you on Tuesday but please know that you will be in my prayers. Donna (Fournier) Gladwell###imported-begin###Donna & Tony Gladwell gladwell@bex.net###imported-end##

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“ Dear Aunt Connie and Uncle Chuck and the Calmes Family,

*Just found out about your sisters passing.
Knowing well that the heavens "Rejoyced" at the Grand enterance
of your sister. A precious lady with many talents. she left footprints
here and we know she is enjoying in the reunion with your parents.
You are all in our prayers. To many of our dear loved ones battle
very bravely with pancreatic cancer. Loved the family video.*

*Peace,
Maggie, Brent, Betsy an Peter Reed###imported-begin##Maggie and
Brent Reed and Family###imported-end##*

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“ Hello Sue and Family

*I was so sorry to read of Dianne's Obituary in The Toledo Blade. My
prayers and deepest Sympathy goes out to you and your family.
May God be with all of you during this time of loss. Barb (on
Evansdale Avenue)###imported-begin##Barbara Buck barbara-2015
@sbcgloal.net###imported-end##*

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“ Dear Sisters & Brothers of Dianne,
I was so sorry to read of Dianne's death. I can remember all the good times we had as kid coming over to your house and vice versa. I always remember her as the quiet one. Now she's in heaven with your mom and dad and my mom and dad. I will pray for all of you. You all were such a very special family to me. God's blessings be with all of you!!!!
Much Love & Many Prayers,
Carrie Ferner Billick 3-12-12###imported-begin##Carrie Ferner Billick
dfbcmb@bex.net###imported-end##

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“ Friends always, Love always, and we will miss you Forever. Our condolences to the family

Chris & Mary Demecs###imported-begin##Christopher & Mary Demecs###imported-end##

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“ Calmes Family, I was so sorry to hear of Dianne's passing. What good times there were so many years ago on Evansdale! All the wonderful families who lived there. Please know that you all will be in my prayers.

God bless you all!###imported-begin##Sue (Clark) Polzin spolzin@accsstoledo.com###imported-end##

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“ I graduated from NDA with Dianne and remember her very well as a bright and friendly young lady. I was sorry to read of her death, but was not surprised that she accomplished so much in her too-short lifetime. My condolences to her children and entire family. Sincerely, Margaret Fisher Sander###imported-begin##Margaret Fisher Sander###imported-end##

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“ My prayers are with the family----what an amazing example of womanhood was Diane!###imported-begin##Darla Simonis Chmiel###imported-end##

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“ Dianne was such an excellent counselor when I worked at Catholic Charities. It was always a better day when she was there. I am so sorry for your loss.###imported-begin##Debbie Sutter###imported-end##

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“ To: Carman & family

I just wanted to say how sorry I am for your loss, and I wish I had the chance to know her for who she was.###imported-begin##Rich Feltner chance43460@yahoo.com###imported-end##

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